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Ann Cole, Commission Clerk
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2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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RE: Docket No.: 060726-WS; Application of Silver Lake Utilities, Inc., to Operate a Water Utility in Glades and Highlands Counties, and a Wastewater Utility in Glades County
Our File No.: 40001.01

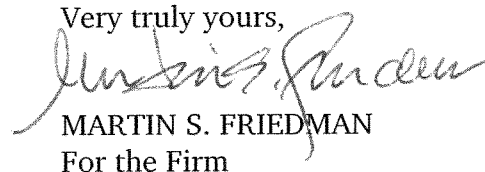
Dear Ms. Cole:

The Staff has requested that Silver Lake Utilities, Inc., provide an Annual Status Report with regard to the eventual plant sites for serving the proposed Muse development.

Permitting for the Muse site, specifically the Environmental Resource Permit issued by the South Florida Water Management District and Dredge and Fill Permit issued by the U.S. Army Corp. of Engineers is underway. Johnson Engineering has responded to a Request for Additional Information from the SFWMD. We expect these permits will be issued during the second quarter of 2009. The local zoning and amendments to the Glades County comprehensive Plan have been approved.

We expect to start construction of the housing toward the end of 2009, early 2010. The leasehold for the water and wastewater system will coincide with the application for land development and building permits through Glades County. This scheduled is based on an improvement in the current market conditions.

Very truly yours,



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