

VOTE SHEET

September 15, 2009

Docket No. 090146-EQ – Petition by Tampa Electric Company for approval of extension of small power production agreement with City of Tampa. (Deferred from the July 14, 2009, Commission Conference, new recommendation filed.)

Issue 1: Should the Commission approve, for the purposes of cost recovery, the proposed extension of a small power production agreement between Tampa Electric Company (TECO) and the City of Tampa (City)?

Recommendation: Yes. Based on cost-effectiveness analyses, the contract can potentially result in a net present value savings to TECO’s customers of between \$677,000 and \$8.7 million when compared to TECO’s Standard Offer Contract using a 2012 combustion turbine as the avoided unit. The Extension provides both Parties the absolute discretion to terminate the Agreement effective August 1, 2014, August 1, 2017, or August 1, 2020, by providing 18 months prior written notice. Because the cost-effectiveness of the Extension is highly dependent on the actual performance of the solid waste facility, staff recommends that TECO be required to file with staff a re-evaluation of the continued long term cost-effectiveness of the agreement by August 1, 2012, August 1, 2015, and August 1, 2018.

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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS’ SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

Neil A. Singh

Katrina J. DePurris

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Nancy Argenziano by [Signature]

REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS: Commissioner Argenziano participated in the conference by telephone. She will sign the vote sheet upon her return to the office.

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a consummating order.

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