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a. Person Responsible for Filing

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b. Docket Number and Title

Docket Number: 080353-WU
 Title: Application of Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc. For Increased Water Rates In Highlands County

c. Party On Whose Behalf Documents Are Filed

Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc.

d. Total Number of Pages in Each Document

5 pages

e. Brief Description of Each Attached Document

Letter dated November 11, 2009, to Ms. Ann Cole, Commission Clerk, with the following attachment:

Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc. Notice of Filing with attached Affidavit of Mailing and Notice of Final Rate Increase.

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November 11, 2009

Ms. Ann Cole, Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing, in connection with the Application of Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc. ("Applicant") for Increased Water Rates in Highlands County ("Application"), Docket No. 080353-WU, is Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc.'s Notice Of Filing the Affidavit of Mailing evidencing that the attached Notice of Final Rate Increase has been mailed to the Utility's customers.

If you have any questions or need any additional information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s/ James L. Ade

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cc: Ms. Peggy Ann Brewer
Mr. John Guastella
Mr. Gary White

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

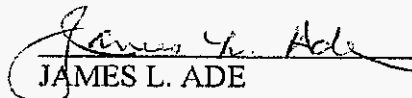
In re: Application of Placid Lakes)
Utilities, Inc. for Increased Water)
Rates in Highlands County.)
_____)

Docket No. 080353-WU

NOTICE OF FILING

1. Applicant, PLACID LAKES UTILITIES, INC., by and through its undersigned attorneys, hereby gives notice of filing in the above-referenced docket the Affidavit of Mailing evidencing that the Notice of Final Rate Increase has been mailed to the customers of Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc.

Respectfully submitted on this 11th day of November, 2009.



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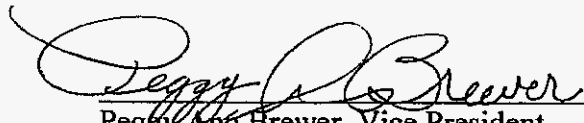
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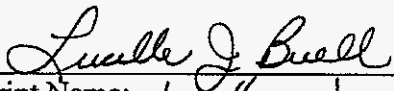
Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared **PEGGY ANN BREWER**, who, after being duly sworn on oath, did depose on oath and say that she is the Vice President of Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc., and that on October 28, 2009, she did send by regular U.S. Mail, a copy of the Notice Of Final Rate Increase, attached hereto, to all customers of the utility.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

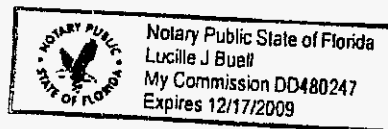


Peggy Ann Brewer, Vice President
Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of October, 2009, by
PEGGY ANN BREWER, () who produced _____ as identification
or who is personally known to me.



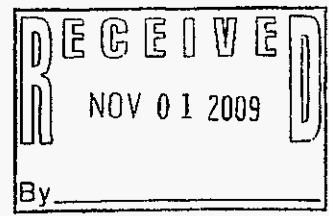
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NOTICE OF FINAL RATE INCREASE

Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc.
PSC Docket No.: 080353-WU
Notice Issued On October 29, 2009



On October 14, 2008, Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc. ("Placid Lakes Utilities") applied to the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") for increased water service rates to its customers in Highlands County, Florida. The application also requested approval of interim rates.

By Commission Order No. PSC-09-0022-PCO-WU issued on January 6, 2009, the Commission granted interim rates to be collected subject to refund, pending the Commission's decision regarding final rates.

By Commission Order No. PSC-09-0632-PAA-WU issued on September 17, 2009, the Commission authorized a portion of the requested increases in water rates designed to allow Placid Lakes Utilities the opportunity to recover costs for providing service and a reasonable rate of return on its investment in facilities necessary to provide such water service. That Order became final and effective upon the issuance of Consummating Order No. PSC-09-0700-CO-WU issued by the Commission on October 22, 2009.

The increased rates approved by the Commission are effective for service rendered on and after November 1, 2009.

The Rates Prior to Filing, Commission Approved Interim Rates, Utility Requested Final Rates, Commission Approved Final Rates and the 4-Year Rate Reduction are set forth in the rate schedule attached to this notice. The Commission Approved Final Rates will become effective for services rendered on and after November 1, 2009

Because the final rates approved by the Commission are in excess of the interim rates previously approved by the Commission, no refund of the interim rates shall be made.

If you have any questions, please call the Utility's office at (863) 465-0345.

Placid Lakes Utilities, Inc.

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WATER SERVICE

Residential General Service And Multi- Family MONTHLY	Rates Prior to Filing	Commission Approved Interim Rates	Utility Requested Final	Commission Approved Final	4-Year Rate Reduction
Base Facility Charge:					
Meter Size:					
5/8" x 3/4"	\$9.73	\$10.68	\$14.64	\$10.65	\$0.40
1"	\$14.60	\$16.03	\$21.96	\$26.63	\$1.00
1 1/2"	\$24.37	\$26.76	\$36.66	\$53.25	\$2.00
2"	\$48.64	\$53.40	\$73.16	\$85.20	\$3.19
3"	\$77.85	\$85.47	\$117.10	\$170.40	\$6.39
4"	\$155.69	\$170.94	\$234.18	\$266.25	\$9.98
6"	\$243.28	\$267.10	\$365.93	\$532.50	\$19.97
Gallage Charge - (Per 1,000 Gallons):					
0 to 10,000 gallons	\$2.80	\$3.07	\$3.27	\$3.99	\$0.15
10,001 - 20,000	\$4.15	\$4.56	\$4.90	\$5.99	\$0.22
Over 10,000 gallons	\$5.50	\$6.04	\$6.53	\$7.98	\$0.30
GS Gallage Charge (per 1,000 gallons)	\$3.18	\$3.49	\$3.76	\$4.27	\$0.16

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