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MEMORANDUM

TO: Ms. Ann Cole  
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FROM: Roy C. Young 

DATE: November 20, 2009

SUBJECT: Docket No. 09-0451-EM FAW Notice of Public Hearing in Gainesville, Florida

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Enclosed for filing on behalf of Gainesville Renewable Energy Center original and 5 copies of Affidavit of Publication of the FAW Notice of Public Hearing, which was published in the Gainesville Sun on November 18, 2009, as shown on the attached Affidavit of Publication.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing.

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200 East University Avenue, Gainesville, Florida 32601  
**GENERAL SUBJECT MATTER TO BE CONSIDERED:** Docket No. 090451-EI - Joint petition to determine need for Gainesville Renewable Energy Center in Alachua County, by Gainesville Regional Utilities and Gainesville Renewable Energy Center, LLC. In determining the need for the project, the Commission must take into account the need for electric system reliability and integrity, the need for fuel diversity and supply reliability, the need for adequate electricity at a reasonable cost, whether the proposed plant is the most cost-effective alternative available, and whether any renewable energy sources and technologies or conservation measures taken by or reasonably available to GRU and GREC might mitigate the need for the plant. The purpose of this hearing is to provide the customers of GRU and other interested persons an opportunity to provide public testimony regarding the need for the proposed renewable energy electrical power plant. Separate hearings may be held before the Division of Administrative Hearings at a later date to consider environmental and other impacts of the proposed plant. One or more of the Commissioners of the Florida Public Service Commission may attend and participate in this hearing. For questions, contact Commission staff person Dick Durbin, at 850-413-6121.  
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