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Public Service Commission

December 4, 2014

Little Gasparilla Water Utility, Inc.
Attn: Ms. Diane K. Boyer, President
P.O. Box 5159
Grove City, Florida 34224-0159

Re: Docket No. 130265-WU, Application for staff-assisted rate case in Charlotte County by Little Gasparilla Water Utility, Inc.

Dear Ms. Boyer:

We have determined eligibility for staff assistance in the above referenced case filed by Little Gasparilla Water Utility, Inc. (Little Gasparilla or Utility). We find that the Utility is eligible for the staff-assisted rate case (SARC) filing.

The staff engineer has determined the filing fee in this rate case is \$1,000. The fee is based on the capacity of the Utility's systems as provided by Section 367.145(2) of the Florida Statutes (F.S.). The Commission received Little Gasparilla's \$1,000 filing fee on November 7, 2013, therefore, the Utility has met this requirement. The official filing date for this rate case is January 3, 2014, pursuant to Rule 25-30.456 (7), Florida Administrative Code.

Section 367.091(2), F.S., provides:

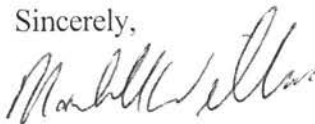
Upon filing an application for new rates, the utility shall mail a copy of the application to the chief executive officer of the governing body of each county within the service areas included in the rate request. The governing body may petition the commission for leave to intervene in the rate change proceeding and the commission shall grant intervenor status to any governing body that files a petition.

Please forward a copy of Little Gasparilla's application for a SARC to the chief executive officer of Charlotte County as required by law, and copy the Commission as proof that an application was forwarded to them.

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Members of Commission staff will contact you to schedule a convenient time for examination of the Utility's books, records and physical plant. If you have any questions regarding the rate proceeding, please call Martha Golden at (850) 413-7015 or Matthew Vogel at (850) 413-6453.

Sincerely,



Marshall Willis
Director

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cc: Mr. Martin S. Friedman, Esquire
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