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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application of CYPRESS LAKES UTILITIES INC. for an increase in water and wastewater rates in Polk County, Florida

DOCKET NO. 130212-WS

NOTICE OF FILING

Applicant, CYPRESS LAKES UTILITIES INC., by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby gives notice of filing in the above-referenced docket, the Affidavit of Mailing, evidencing that the Interim Rate Notice has been mailed to the customers of CYPRESS LAKES UTILITIES INC. affected by this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted this 20th day of December, 2013, by:

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AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

STATE OF ILLINOIS

COUNTY OF COOK

Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared Adrienne R. Krugler, who, after being duly sworn on oath, did depose on oath and say that she is the Billing Manager of Utilities, Inc., the sole shareholder of Cypress Lakes Utilities Inc. ("Utility"), and that on December _5_ 2013, she did send by regular U.S. Mail, a copy of the Interim Rate Notice, attached hereto, to all customers of the Utility.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

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Print Name: Adrienne R. Krugler Print Title: Billing Manager

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th day of December, 2013, by Adrienne R. Krugler, who is personally known to me or has produced ______as identification.

Print Name: Antoinette Federico NOTARY PUBLIC My Commission Expires: ち・4 - 2015

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF INTERIM RATE INCREASE

TO THE CUSTOMERS OF CYPRESS LAKES UTILITIES, INC. AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

RE: DOCKET NO. 130212-WS

APPLICATION FOR INCREASE IN WATER AND WASTEWATER RATES IN POLK COUNTY BY CYPRESS LAKES UTILITIES, INC.

December 5, 2013

On December 3, 2013, the Florida Public Service Commission approved interim water rates for Cypress Lakes Utilities, Inc. The interim rates will be effective December 10, 2013. The interim rates will be collected subject to refund, pending the Florida Public Service Commission's final decision regarding final rates. If a refund is ordered, it will include interest based upon Commission determined factors.

The current rates, the Utility's requested interim rates, the Utility's requested final rates and the Commission approved interim rates are set forth below. The final rates are subject to change based on information gathered at the customer meeting, further Staff review, and the final decision by the Commissioners.

WATER SERVICE

<u>Residential and General</u> <u>Service</u>	Rates Prior to Filing	<u>Utility's</u> <u>Requested</u> <u>Interim Rates</u>	<u>Utility's</u> <u>Requested</u> <u>Final Rates</u>	<u>Commission</u> <u>Approved</u> <u>Interim Rates</u>
Base Facility Charge:				
Meter Size				
5/8" x 3/4"	\$5.99	\$7.68	\$7.98	\$7.61
1"	\$14.97	\$19.20	\$19.95	\$19.03
1 1/2"	\$29.96	\$38.43	\$39.94	\$38.08
2"	\$47.92	\$61.47	\$63.88	\$60.91
3"	\$95.83	\$122.92	\$127.74	\$121.80
4"	\$149.75	\$192.09	\$199.61	\$190.33
6"	\$299.48	\$384.15	\$399.20	\$380.64

Consumption Charge (per 1,000 gallons)				
Residential				
0-6,000 gallons	\$4.12	\$5.28	\$5.49	\$5.24
6,001-12,000 gallons	\$6.18	\$7.93	\$8.24	\$7.85
Over 12,000	\$8.24	\$10.57	\$10.98	\$10.47
General Service	\$4.37	\$5.61	\$5.83	\$5.55

HOW TO CONTACT THE COMMISSION

Any person who wishes to comment or provide information to Commission Staff may do so at the meetings, either orally or in writing. Other written comments regarding the Utility and the proposed rates, or requests to be placed on the mailing list for this case, may be directed to this address:

> Florida Public Service Commission Director, Division of Commission Clerk 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870

A courtesy copy of written comments and complaints may be mailed to the following:

Martin S. Friedman, Esquire Sundstrom, Friedman & Fumero, LLP 766 North Sun Drive, Suite 4030 Lake Mary, Florida 32746

All correspondence should refer to "Docket No. 130212-WS, Cypress Lakes Utilities, Inc." Your letter will placed in the correspondence file of this docket. You may also submit comments through the Florida Public Service Commission's toll-free facsimile line at 1-800-511-0809, or the Commission's website available at http://floridapsc.com/consumers/complaint/index.cfm.

If you wish to contact the Florida Public Service Commission regarding complaints about service, you may call the Commission's Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach at the following toll-free number 1-800-342-3552.

This notice was prepared by the Utility and approved by Commission Staff for distribution by the Utility to its customers.

If you have any questions, please call the Utility's office at (800) 272-1919.