## **Alexus Austin**

From: Angela Charles on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2015 8:23 AM

To: 'John VanZutphen'

**Subject:** RE: Docket No. 150102-SU Utilities, Inc. of Sandalhaven

## Good morning.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 150102-SU and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

## Have a good day,

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From: John VanZutphen [mailto:ne1410us@msn.com]

Sent: Saturday, September 19, 2015 5:44 PM

To: Records Clerk

Subject: Docket No. 150102-SU Utilities, Inc. of Sandalhaven

Application for increase in wastewater rates in Charlotte County by

Utilities, Inc. of Sandalhaven

DOCKET NO. 150102-SU

Name and Adress

John VanZutphen

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Please submit your comments about this docket to the Florida Public Service Commission by completing this comment form and return it by mail, or send a fax to 1-800-511-0809. Correspondence will be placed in the file of this docket.

## CONSUMER COMMENTS

In my opinion the rate increase requested by Sandalhaven should be denied. Their projection of new homes

built did not materialize in there anticipated time frame so the guaranteed return will take a little longer, that is business. My fixed income increased less than one percent last year and will probably be about the same next year, this exorbitant increase will be a financial hardship on me and many of my neighbors are in a similar situation. Such an increase will lower my property value. A prospective buyer would have to include this increased amount in their housing expense.

Just because they made a poor decision on their investment does not justify the home owners being financially penalized.	,
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