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SUBJECT: DOCKET # 150102-SU, UTILITIES, INCL. OF
SANDALHAUEN

Dear Sir/Madam,

We have just returned to our Florida home to find a notice of a sewer rate increase in our mailbox. We are stunned at the proposed huge increase. We are only here 6 months per year and as such, do not use the system as much as someone who is here full time. We have already suffered large increases since we purchased in 2012 and now we are slammed by yet another enormous increase. How are we suppose to pay for this when our pensions are barely increased and interest rates are so low we cannot even keep up with the increase in the cost of living year to year?

We do understand that some new equipment had to be purchased, but we still strongly feel the proposed increase is in

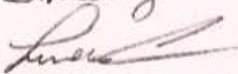

the Ridiculous arena and not affordable
for the average retiree, which is by &
large the bulk of the consumer base
in the Sandal Haven district

We write to you to request you do
the right thing & deny this exuberant
increase and ask the firm to consider
other options like bank financing which
is relatively cheap these days in order
to spread ~~the~~ ^{any reasonable} increases over 10-20
years.

There is mention that development in
this area is not happening & they lament
the lack of customer base increase. Well,
the reason no developer is buying land
here might well be because of the
large fees charged by Sandelhaven. Lets
be reasonable here folks.

cc: Friedman & Friedman, P. A.

Sincerely

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