



March 23, 2016

Chairman Julie Brown
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Bocilla Utilities, Inc.
2015 Test Year General Rate Increase Application
Our File No. 47016.04

Dear Chairman Brown:

This letter, pursuant to Rule 25-30.430, Florida Administrative Code, requests approval of a test year for Bocilla Utilities, Inc. (the "Company"). The Company intends to submit an application for general rate relief to the Florida Public Service Commission for its water system located in Charlotte County, Florida. The Company intends to submit the minimum filing requirements ("MFRs") on or before June 30, 2016.

The Company has never had a rate proceeding either before this Commission or before Charlotte County when it was regulated by that County.

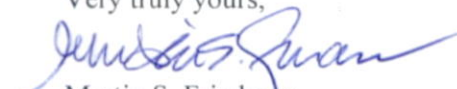
The Company requests an historic test year ending December 31, 2015. The requested test year is representative of a normal full year of operation. However, there will be pro forma adjustments to expenses to reflect expenses in the year when rates will be in effect. Specifically, the Company will request pro forma expenses for additional bookkeeping, a meter replacement program, additional engineering services to comply with regulatory requirements, and a hydrant maintenance program.

The Company does not anticipate including any pro forma plant additions.

Pursuant to Section 367.081(8), Florida Statutes, the Company requests that the Commission process this petition for rate relief using the proposed agency action procedure. The Company also will request interim rates based on the historic test year.

Should you or members of the Staff have any questions regarding this request, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,



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