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**From:** Joann Parsons  
**Sent:** Monday, June 27, 2016 10:09 AM  
**To:** Commissioner Correspondence  
**Subject:** Docket No. 150269, Rsp ltr to Mariano  
**Attachments:** 2016-06-23, ltr to Comm.Mariano.pdf

Please place the attached in Docket Correspondence, Consumers and their Representatives, in Docket No. 150269-WS.

Thank you.  
Joann

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## Public Service Commission

June 23, 2016

Commissioner Jack Mariano  
Pasco County Board of County Commissioners  
8731 Citizens Drive, Suite 150  
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**Re: Docket No. 150269-WS-Application for limited proceeding water rate increase in Marion, Pasco, and Seminole Counties, by Utilities, Inc. of Florida**

Dear Commissioner Mariano:

Thank you for your correspondence regarding the rate increase requested by Utilities, Inc. of Florida (UIF). As you are aware, UIF filed a limited proceeding for an increase in water rates in Marion, Pasco, and Seminole Counties on December 30, 2015, Docket No. 150269-WS. UIF also filed a request to initiate a rate consolidation rate case, dated April 28, 2016, Docket No. 160101-WS. The two dockets deal with related but separate matters.

On June 8, 2016, UIF requested that the portion of the limited proceeding in Docket No. 150269-WS addressing a rate increase in Pasco County be bifurcated from the portion of the case addressing rate increases in Marion and Seminole Counties. Thus, the Public Service Commission's (PSC) staff recommendation concerning the limited proceeding, which is scheduled to be filed on June 23, 2016, for consideration by the Commission at our Agenda Conference on July 7, 2016, will only address the requested rate increases for Marion and Seminole Counties. Therefore, the vote on July 7, 2016, will not address the requested rate relief associated with Pasco County. It is my understanding from the Commission's technical staff that UIF's requested increase related to Pasco County will be addressed in the bifurcated portion of the limited proceeding at a future time.

I always appreciate your interest and representation of your constituents in this matter. As such, I will make sure that the Commission's staff keep you informed about critical dates concerning this docket.

Commissioner Jack Mariano  
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Please do not hesitate to call me directly if you have any additional questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Julie I. Brown", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Julie I. Brown  
Chairman

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cc: The Honorable Rick Scott, Governor of Florida  
Secretary Jon Steverson, Florida Department of Environmental Protection  
Senator Wilton Simpson  
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