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September 27, 2016

Carlotta S Stauffer, Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Fl. 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. **160003-GU**
Purchased Gas Cost Recovery
for period ending December 31, **2017**

Dear Ms. Stauffer,

Enclosed for filing in the above referenced docket are St. Joe Natural Gas Company's Preliminary Issues and Positions.

Thank you for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

s/Andy Shoaf
V-President

Enclosures

Copies: All known parties of record

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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ST. JOE NATURAL GAS COMPANY'S
PRELIMINARY LIST OF ISSUES AND POSITIONS
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St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. (SJNG) by and through its undersigned officer, hereby submits its Preliminary List of Issues and Positions to be taken up at the Hearing now scheduled to begin the week of **November 02, 2016**.

Issue #1: What is SJNG's appropriate final purchased gas adjustment true-up amount for the period January **2015** through December **2015**?

SJNG's Position: **\$1,945** under-recovery.

Issue #2: What is the estimated purchased gas adjustment true-up amount for the period of January **2016** through December **2016**?

SJNG's Position: **\$80,291** over-recovery.

Issue #3: What is the total purchased gas adjustment true-up amount to be refunded during the period of January **2017** through December **2017**?

SJNG's Position: **\$78,346** over-recovery.

Issue #4: What is the appropriate levelized purchased gas adjustment recovery (cap) factor for the period January, **2017** through December **2017**?

SJNG's Position: **.762** cents per therm recovery (cap) factor

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Continued Preliminary Issues and Positions:

Issue #5: What should be the effective date of the new purchased gas adjustment charge for billing purposes?

SJNG's Position: The effective date for the new purchased gas adjustment charge should be January 1, 2017.

s/Andy Shoaf, V-President
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Preliminary List of Issues and Positions filed on behalf of St. Joe Natural Gas Company have been served upon all known parties of record on this **27th** day of **September 2016**.

s/Andy Shoaf, V-President

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