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September 19, 2017

Ms. Carolyn Bermudez
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Florida City Gas
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Re: Docket No. 20170179-GU, Petition for Rate Increase by Florida City Gas

Dear Ms. Bermudez:

In response to your Test Year Notification letter, dated August 23, 2017, the Florida Public Service Commission (Commission) has opened Docket No. 20170179-GU for Florida City Gas' (Company) forthcoming general base rate proceeding. The Commission acknowledges that the Company intends to seek an interim base rate increase based on the historic 12-month test year period ended December 31, 2016. In addition, the Company proposes to utilize a projected 12-month test year period ending December 31, 2018, for the permanent rate increase proceeding. Although, please be advised that the appropriateness of the selected test year may be an issue in the upcoming proceeding.

Pursuant to your letter, it is my understanding that the Company intends to make its filing no earlier than October 23, 2017, in order to be in compliance with Rule 25-7.140(1), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). If the Company is unable to file by October 23, 2017, please notify the Commission in accordance with Rule 25-7.140(3), F.A.C.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please contact Andrew Maurey, the Director of the Division of Accounting & Finance at (850) 413-6465.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julie I. Brown".

Julie I. Brown
Chairman

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