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October 26, 2017

HAND DELIVERY

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



RE:

Docket No. 20170223-SU; Application for establishment of wastewater AFPI charges in Highlands, Lake, Marion, Pasco and Pinellas Counties by Utilities, Inc. of Florida Our File No. 30057.232

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

On October 16, 2017 I attempted to send the attached correspondence to you by USPS Priority Mail. Although the USPS tracking system show the letter delivered (see attached), it apparently did not reach you.

Therefore, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$2,250 for the filing fee. If the prior letter and check show up, please give me a call and I will pick it up. The prior letter included a proposed Notice, and I have already worked with Staff on that so it is no longer necessary to forward that to Staff...

Should you or Staff have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Very truly yours,

MARTIN S. FRIEDMAN

For the Firm

MSF/

Enclosures

cc:

John Hoy (via email)

Patrick Flynn (via email)

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October 18, 2017, 9:02 am	In Transit to Destination	On its way to TALLAHASSEE, FL 32399



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October 16, 2017

OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Carlotta S. Stauffer, Commission Clerk Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: Docket No. 2017____-SU; Application for establishment of wastewater AFPI charges in Highlands, Lake, Marion, Pasco and Pinellas Counties by Utilities, Inc. of Florida
Our File No. 30057.232

Dear Ms. Stauffer:

Pursuant to Section 367.101, Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-30.434, Florida Administrative Code, Utilities, Inc. of Florida's Application for establishment of wastewater AFPI charges in Highlands, Lake, Marion, Pasco and Pinellas Counties, was electronically filed. Enclosed is this firm's check in the amount of \$2,250.00 for the filing fee.

Further enclosed is a draft Notice to be forwarded to appropriate staff for comments. The Notice will be provided upon approval by the staff.

Should you or Staff have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Very truly yours,

MARTIN S. FRIEDMAN

For the Firm

MSF/ Enclosures

cc: John Hoy (via email)

Patrick Flynn (via email)

DATE:

October 10, 2017

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AMOUNT: \$2,250.00

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS

IN RE: DOCKET NO.: 2017 -SU

APPLICATION FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF WASTEWATER AFPI CHARGES IN HIGHLANDS, LAKE, MARION, PASCO AND PINELLAS COUNTIES BY UTILITIES, INC. OF FLORIDA

DATED: October , 2017

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

On October ___, 2017, Utilities, Inc. of Florida filed an Application with the Florida Public Service Commission for the establishment of an Allowance for Funds Prudently Invested ("AFPI") Charge for future customers of its wastewater systems in Highlands, Lake, Marion, Pasco and Pinellas Counties. The AFPI Charges ares to pay for growth in the wastewater system and the requested charges are to be paid by new, not existing customers. A copy of the application is available for inspection at the following locations:

Cooper Memorial Library 2525 Oakley Seaver Drive Clermont, FL 34711 Monday – Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Friday – Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Sunday: (Closed)

St. Petersburg Public Library
South Branch
2300 Roy Hanna Drive S.
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday:
9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Sunday: (Closed)

Lake Placid Memorial Library 205 W. Interlake Blvd. Lake Placid, Florida 33852 Tuesday: 10:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday – Saturday: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Sunday - Monday: (Closed)

Zephyrhills Public Library 5347 8th Street Zephyrhills, Florida 33542 Tuesday – Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to noon Sunday - Monday: (Closed)

Marion County Public Library 2720 E. Silver Springs Blvd. Ocala, FL 34470 Monday-Thursday: 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday and Saturday: 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday: 1-5 p.m. The Utility's requested AFPI Charges are set forth below. The AFPI Charges are subject to change based the staff review and final decision by the Commissioners.

Highlands County (Lake Placid System)

			2018		2020
2016		2017		2019	
January	\$ 6.56	\$ 85.55	\$ 167.79	\$ 253.53	\$ 343.00
February	\$ 13.12	\$ 92.38	\$ 174.91	\$ 260.96	\$ 350.76
March	\$ 19.68	\$ 99.21	\$ 182.03	\$ 268.39	\$ 358.52
April	\$ 26.24	\$ 106.04	\$ 189.15	\$ 275.82	\$ 366.28
May	\$ 32.80	\$ 112.87	\$ 196.27	\$ 283.24	\$ 374.04
June	\$ 39.36	\$ 119.70	\$ 203.39	\$ 290.67	\$ 381.80
July	\$ 45.92	\$ 126.53	\$ 210.51	\$ 298.10	\$ 389.56
August	\$ 52.48	\$ 133.35	\$ 217.63	\$ 305.53	\$ 397.32
September	\$ 59.04	\$ 140.18	\$ 224.75	\$ 312.96	\$ 405.08
October	\$ 65.60	\$ 147.01	\$ 231.87	\$ 320.38	\$ 412.85
November	\$ 72.16	\$ 153.84	\$ 238.99	\$ 327.81	\$ 420.61
December	\$ 78.72	\$ 160.67	\$ 246.10	\$ 335.24	\$ 428.37

The approved AFPI charges, which are based on one equivalent residential connection (ERC), will be collected from 458 additional ERCs as of December 31, 2015. The amount of the charge will be based on the month in which the connection to the utility is made. If by December 31, 2020, any number of ERCs remain unconnected, the remaining ERCs shall be charged the constant maxmium charge of \$428.37 until all 458 additional ERCs are connected, afterwhich the charge will cease.

Lake County (Lake Utility System)

			2018		2020	
2016	2017		2019			
January	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
February	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
March	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
April	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
May	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
June	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
July	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
August	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
September	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
October	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
November	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	
December	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	\$ 1,263.83	

The approved AFPI charges, which are based on one equivalent residential connection (ERC), will be collected from 1,471 additional ERCs as of December 31, 2015. The 1,471 ERCs shall be charged a constant charge of \$1,263.83 until all ERCs are connected, afterwhich the charge will cease.

Marion County (UIF-Marion System)

			2018		
	2016	2017		2019	2020
January	\$ 4.92	\$ 64.11	\$ 125.33	\$ 188.70	\$ 254.39
February	\$ 9.84	\$ 69.20	\$ 130.60	\$ 194.16	\$ 260.05
March	\$ 14.76	\$ 74.28	\$ 135.86	\$ 199.61	\$ 265.72
April	\$ 19.67	\$ 79.37	\$ 141.13	\$ 205.07	\$ 271.38
May	\$ 24.59	\$ 84.46	\$ 146.39	\$ 210.53	\$ 277.05
June	\$ 29.51	\$ 89.55	\$ 151.66	\$ 215.98	\$ 282.71
July	\$ 34.43	\$ 94.63	\$ 156.92	\$ 221.44	\$ 288.38
August	\$ 39.35	\$ 99.72	\$ 162.19	\$ 226.90	\$ 294.04
September	\$ 44.27	\$ 104.81	\$ 167.45	\$ 232.35	\$ 299.71
October	\$ 49.19	\$ 109.89	\$ 172.72	\$ 237.81	\$ 305.37
November	\$ 54.10	\$ 114.98	\$ 177.98	\$ 243.26	\$ 311.04
December	\$ 59.02	\$ 120.07	\$ 183.25	\$ 248.72	\$ 316.70

The approved AFPI charges, which are based on one equivalent residential connection (ERC), will be collected from 67 additional ERCs as of December 31, 2015. The amount of the charge will be based on the month in which the connection to the utility is made. If by December 31, 2020, any number of ERCs remain unconnected, the remaining ERCs shall be charged the constant maxmium charge of \$316.70 until all 67 additional ERCs are connected, afterwhich the charge will cease.

Pasco County (Labrador System)

		2018			
2016	2017		2019		2020
January	\$ 8.47	\$ 110.56	\$ 217.72	\$ 330.30	\$ 448.71
February	\$ 16.94	\$ 119.45	\$ 227.06	\$ 340.12	\$ 459.05
March	\$ 25.42	\$ 128.34	\$ 236.40	\$ 349.95	\$ 469.39
April	\$ 33.89	\$ 137.24	\$ 245.74	\$ 359.77	\$ 479.73
May	\$ 42.36	\$ 146.13	\$ 255.08	\$ 369.60	\$ 490.07
June	\$ 50.83	\$ 155.02	\$ 264.42	\$ 379.42	\$ 500.41
July	\$ 59.31	\$ 163.91	\$ 273.76	\$ 389.25	\$ 510.75
August	\$ 67.78	\$ 172.81	\$ 283.11	\$ 399.07	\$ 521.09
September	\$ 76.25	\$ 181.70	\$ 292.45	\$ 408.90	\$ 531.43
October	\$ 84.72	\$ 190.59	\$ 301.79	\$ 418.72	\$ 541.77
November	\$ 93.19	\$ 199.48	\$ 311.13	\$ 428.55	\$ 552.11
December	\$ 101.67	\$ 208.38	\$ 320.47	\$ 438.37	\$ 562.45

The approved AFPI charges, which are based on one equivalent residential connection (ERC), will be collected from 458 additional ERCs as of December 31, 2015. The amount of the charge will be based on the month in which the connection to the utility is made. If by December 31, 2020, any number of ERCs remain unconnected, the remaining ERCs shall be charged the constant maxmium charge of \$562.45 until all 458 additional ERCs are connected, afterwhich the charge will cease.

Pinellas County (Mid-County System)

			2018		2020
2016		2017		2019	
January	\$ 5.56	\$ 72.56	\$ 142.20	\$ 214.69	\$ 290.22
February	\$ 11.13	\$ 78.34	\$ 148.22	\$ 220.96	\$ 296.75
March	\$ 16.69	\$ 84.13	\$ 154.24	\$ 227.23	\$ 303.29
April	\$ 22.26	\$ 89.91	\$ 160.26	\$ 233.51	\$ 309.83
May	\$ 27.82	\$ 95.69	\$ 166.28	\$ 239.78	\$ 316.37
June	\$ 33.39	\$ 101.48	\$ 172.30	\$ 246.05	\$ 322.90
July	\$ 38.95	\$ 107.26	\$ 178.32	\$ 252.32	\$ 329.44
August	\$ 44.52	\$ 113.04	\$ 184.34	\$ 258.59	\$ 335.98
September	\$ 50.08	\$ 118.83	\$ 190.36	\$ 264.86	\$ 342.51
October	\$ 55.65	\$ 124.61	\$ 196.38	\$ 271.14	\$ 349.05
November	\$61.21	\$ 130.39	\$ 202.40	\$ 277.41	\$ 355.59
December	\$ 66.78	\$ 136.18	\$ 208.42	\$ 283.68	\$ 362.13

The approved AFPI charges, which are based on one equivalent residential connection (ERC), will be collected from 203 additional ERCs as of December 31, 2015. The amount of the charge will be based on the month in which the connection to the utility is made. If by December 31, 2020, any number of ERCs remain unconnected, the remaining ERCs shall be charged the constant maxmium charge of \$362.13 until all 203 additional ERCs are connected, afterwhich the charge will cease.

HOW TO CONTACT THE COMMISSION

Written comments regarding the Utility and the proposed AFPI Charge, or requests to be placed on the mailing list for this case, may be directed to this address:

Florida Public Service Commission Director, Office of Commission Clerk 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870

A courtesy copy of written comments and complaints is not required, but may be mailed or emailed to the following: Martin S. Friedman, Esquire, Friedman & Friedman, P.A., 766 North Sun Drive, Suite 4030, Lake Mary, Florida 32746. mfriedman@ff-attorneys.com.

All correspondence should refer to "Docket No. 2007____-SUS, Utilities, Inc. of Florida" Your letter will placed in the correspondence file of this docket. You may also submit comments through the Florida Public Service Commission's toll-free facsimile line at 1-800-511-0809, or the Commission's website available at http://floridapsc.com/ConsumerAssistance/ComplaintForm.

If you wish to contact the Florida Public Service Commission regarding complaints about service, you may call the Commission's Division of Consumer Assistance and Outreach at the following toll-free number 1-800-342-3552.

This notice was prepared by the Utility and approved by Commission staff for distribution by the Utility to its customers. If you have any questions, please call the Utility's office at (866) 842-8432.

Utilities, Inc. of Florida