

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 6

VOTE SHEET

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Docket No. 20170147-WS – Application for staff-assisted rate case in Levy County by FIMC Hideaway, Inc.

Issue 1: What further action should be taken considering FIMC’s failure to meet DEP secondary water quality standards?

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Commission direct FIMC to create an estimate of costs and benefits of a plausible solution to reduce sulfates and total dissolved solids to a level that is within acceptable DEP standards. Staff additionally recommends that the Commission direct FIMC to meet with its customers to discuss the estimated costs and benefits of and the time necessary for implementing a plausible solution to reduce sulfates and total dissolved solids to a level that is within acceptable DEP standards. The Utility should report the results of such meeting(s) to the Commission by August 6, 2019. After analyzing FIMC’s report, staff will bring this item before the Commission for further action, if needed.

APPROVED

Utility should hold customer meeting in 60-90 days, where it should provide options to customers. Utility should notify Commission staff and Office of Public Counsel of meeting date and provide the results within 30 days of the meeting.

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS’ SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Issue 2: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: No. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the order, a consummating order should be issued. The docket should remain open to allow the Utility to provide the appropriate reporting information and the allow staff to bring this item back to the Commission for further action, if needed.

APPROVED as modified

The docket should remain open until such time as water quality is vetted and addressed.