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# FLORIDA UTILITY SERVICES 1, LLC 5911 TROUBLE CREEK RD. NEW PORT RICHEY, FL. 34652 863-904-5574

May 8, 2019

Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL. 32399 DKT #: 20190113

RE: Application for a Staff Assisted Rate Case by Heather Hills Utilities, LLC in Manatee County.

Dear Commission Clerk:

Enclosed please find an application for a Staff Assisted Rate Case for Heather Hills Utilities, LLC in Manatee County.

In this docket, the utility is requesting a meter change out program and the replacement of meter boxes and lids.

On behalf of the utility,

Mike Smallridge.

COMMISSION

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## FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

# APPLICATION FOR A STAFF ASSISTED RATE CASE

GEI	IERAL DATA			
Α.	Name of Utility: HEATHER HILLS UT	ILITIES, LLC		
В.	Address: 5911 TROUBLE CREEK R	D		
	NEW PORT RICHEY, FL. 34652			
	1. Telephone Nos.: (863) <b>904-557</b>	4		
	2. County: MANATEE		Nearest City	BRADENTON
	3. General Area Served: <b>HEATHE</b>	ER HILLS ESTATES		
C.	Authority:			
	Water Certificate No. 577		Date Received	10/2018
	2. Wastewater Certificate No. 449	98	Date Received	10/2018
	3. Date Utility Started Operations:	Water: 2018	Wastewater:	2018
D.	How System Was Acquired: PURCHA	<b>ISE</b>		
	If utility was purchased, give date 201	7	Amount Paid S	<b>5</b>
	1. Name of Seller: Heather Hills	Estates Utilities, LLC	;	
	2. Was seller affiliated with present of	owners? 🗌 Yes	X∐ No	
	3. Did you purchase: Stock	X∐ or assets only		
E.	. Type of Legal Entity:			
	x ☐ Corporation ☐ Partnersh	nip 🔲 Sole Pro	prietorship	
F.	Ownership & Officers:			
	Name	Title		Percent Ownership
	1. MICHAEL SMALLRIDGE	SOLE MANAGING	MEMBER 100	
	2	-1000		
	3.			
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G.	List of Associated Companies and Addresses:								
	HOLIDAY GARDENS UTILITIES, LLC- PASCO COUNTY								
	CRESTRIDGE UTILITIES, LLC-PASCO COUNTY								
	WEST LAKELAND WASTEWATER, INC- POLK COUNTY								
H.	If you have retained an attorney and/or a consultant to represent the name(s) and address(es):	e utility for this application, furnish the							
	Name: Address:								
AC	COUNTING DATA								
Α.	Outside Accountant								
	1. Name:								
	2. Firm:								
	3. Address:								
	4. Telephone: ( )								
B.	Individual To Contact On Accounting Matters:								
	1. Name: MIKE SMALLRIDGE								
	2. Telephone: (863) 904-5574								
C.	Location of Books and Records: UTILITY OFFICE-5911 TROUE	BLE CREEK RD. NPR, FL. 34652							
D.	Have you filed an Annual Report with the Commission? X☐ Yes	□ No							
	Date Last Filed: 2018								
E.	Has your latest Regulatory Assessment Fee Payment been made?	YES							
	(January 30 or July 30 whichever is applicable) X☐ Jan 30 ☐	July 30							
F.	Basic Rate Base Data: (Most recent two years)								
	1. <u>Water:</u>	2018							
	Cost of Plant In Service	\$ <b>163,882</b> \$							
	Less Accumulated Depreciation	127,654							
	Less Contributed Plant	0 0							
		\$ -36,237 \$							
	Net Owner's Investment  2. <u>Wastewater:</u>	2018							
_	2. <u>Wastewater:</u>	_*.*							

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		Cost	of Plant In Service	\$_	257011	_ \$	
		Less	Accumulated Depreciation		156894	_	
		Less	Contributed Plant				
		Net C	Owner's Investment	<b>\$</b>	100,117	- — \$	
_	Pocio		ne Statement: (Most recent two years)			-	
G.	,				2018		20
	1.	Wate	_		1		20
			nues (By Class)	ø	62 040	œ	
		a.	RESIDENTIAL	\$_	62,849	_ \$	
		b.	GENERAL SERVICES	_			
		C.	OTHER	_			
		Total	Operating Revenues:	\$_	63,397	= <sup>\$</sup> =	
	1	Less	Expenses:	_			
		a.	Salaries & Wages – Employees	_	12,798		
		b.	Salaries & Wages - Officers, Directors, & Majority Stockholders	_	4314		
		C.	Employee Pensions & Benefits		529	_	
		d.	Purchased Water	_	32,446		0
		e.	Purchased Power		0		
		f.	Fuel for Power Production		0		* ****
		g.	Chemicals		0		
	!	h.	Materials & Supplies	_	778		
		i.	Contractual Services	_	2193		
		j.	Rents	_	1152		·
		k.	Transportation Expenses	_	2236		
		i.	Insurance Expense	_	1778		
		m.	Regulatory Commission Expense		42		
		n.	Bad Debt Expense		126		
		Ο.	Miscellaneous Expense	_	3866		
		p.	Depreciation Expense	_	3137		
		q.	Property Taxes	_	0		
		r.	Other Taxes	_	3891		
		S.	Income Taxes	_	0	_	
		Oper	rating Income (Loss)	\$_	-5889	= \$=	

	2.	Wast	tewater				2018	
			enues (By Class	s):		\$_	104,312	_ \$
		a.				_		
		b.				_		
		C.				-	104,312	
		Total	Operating Rev	enues:		\$_		\$
		Less	Expenses:					
		a.	Salaries & Wa	ages - Employees		_	12,798	
		b.	Salaries & Wa	ages - Officers, Directo	rs, & Majority Stockholders	_	4314	
		C.	Employee Pe	nsions & Benefits		_	529	
		d.	Purchased W	astewater Treatment			81249	
	e. Sludge Removal Expense						0	
		f.	f. Purchased Power				0	
		g.	Fuel for Powe	uel for Power Production			0	
		h.	Chemicals			_	0	
		i.	Materials & S	upplies		_	778	
		j.	Contractual S	Services		_	165	
		k.	Rents			_	1152	
		I.	Transportatio	n Expenses		_	2236	
		m.	Insurance Ex	pense		_	1778	
		n.	Regulatory C	ommission Expense		_	42	
		Ο.	Bad Debt Exp	pense		_	126	
		p.	Miscellaneou	s Expense		_	3766	
		q.	Depreciation	Expense		_	73	
		r.	Property Taxe	es		_	0	
		S.	Other Taxes				3891	
		t.	Income Taxe	s		_	0	
		Ope	rating Income (	Loss)		\$_	-8585	\$
Н.	Oute	tandin	g Debt:			_		
11.	Quis	itanum	ig Debt.	Date	Balance	In	terest	Expiration
		' (	Creditor	Borrowed	Due	F	Rate	Date
	1.	IBE	RIA BANK	3/3/17	121,760	(	6.63	4/22
	2							
							***************************************	
	4.					<u> </u>		
I.		-	pe of Tax Retu					
	X	Forn	n 1120 -Corpor	ation				
		Forn	n 1120S -Subcl	hapter S Corporation				
		Forn	n 1065 - Partne	ership				
		Forn	n 1040 - Sched	ule C - Individual (Prop	orietorship)			

## **ENGINEERING DATA**

A. Outside Engineering Consultant:								
	1.	Name:		•				
	2.	Firm:						
	3.	Address:						
	4.	Telephone: ( )						
B.	Individ	dual to contact on eng	gineering matte	ers:				
	1.	Name: MICHAEL	SMALLRIDGI	≣			e	
	2.	Telephone: (352)	302 7406					
C.	Is the utility under citation by the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) or County Health Department? If yes, explain: <b>NO</b>							
D.	List <sup>'</sup> a	ny known service defi	iciencies and s	teps taken to reme	dy problems: <b>NO</b>	NE		
E.	Name	Name of plant operator(s) and DEP operator certificate number(s) held:						
F.	Is the utility serving customers outside of its certificated area? NO  If yes, explain:							
G.	Waste	ewater:						
	1.	Gallons per day cap	acity of treatme	ent facilities:				
		a. Existing:	b.	Under Construction	on:	c. Proposed:		
	2.	Type and make of p	resent treatme	nt facilities:				
	3.	Approximate averag	e daily flow of	treatment plant eff	luent: <b>22,094</b>			
	4.	Approximate length	of wastewater	mains:		Ι		
		Size (diameter):	6"					
		Linear feet:						
	5.	Number of manhole	s: <b>38</b>					
	6.	Number of lift station	ns: 0					
	7.	How do you measu	re treatment pla	ant effluent? ME	TER			
	8:	Is the treatment plan	nt effluent chlo	rinated? X□	No			

	If yes, what is the normal dosage rate?								
9.	Tap in fees – Wastewater: \$								
10.	Service availability fees – Wastewater: \$								
11.	Note DEP Treatment Plant Certificate Number and date of expiration: D001-176465								
	Number Expiration Date:								
12.	Total gallons treated during most recent twelve months: 8,064,300								
13.	. Wastewater treatment purchased during most recent twelve months: YES								
Wate	r.								
1.	Gallons per day capacity of treatment facilities:								
	a. Existing: 360,000 b. Under Construction: 0 c. Proposed: 0								
2.	Type of treatment: , CHOLRINE								
3.	Approximate average daily flow of treated water:								
4.	Source of water supply: Manatee County Utilities								
5.	Types of chemicals used and their normal dosage rates:								
6.	Number of wells in service:								
1	Total capacity in gallons per minute (gpm):								
	Diameter/Depth:								
	Motor horsepower:								
	Pump capacity (gpm):								
7.	Reservoirs and/or hydropneumatic tanks:								
	Description:								
	Capacity:								
8.	High service pumping:								
	Motor horsepower:								
	Pump capacity (gpm):								
9:	How do you measure treatment plant production?								
10.	Approximate feet of water mains:								
	Size (diameter): 4" 3/4"								
	Linear feet:								
11.	Note any fire flow requirements and imposing government agency: no								
1									
12.	Number of fire hydrants in service: 0								

H.

		13.	Do you have a meter change out program	n? X□ No □ Yes	
		14.	Meter installation or tap in fees - Water	\$	
		15.	Service availability fees - Water \$		
		16.	Has the existing treatment facility been a		
		17.	Total gallons pumped during most recen		
		18.	Total gallons sold during most recent two		
		19.	Gallons unaccounted for during most rec		
		20.	Gallons purchased during most recent tv	velve months: 7,178,000	
V.	RATI	E DAT			
	A.		idual to contact on tariff matters:		
		1.	Name: MICHAEL SMALLRIDGE		
		2.	Telephone Number: (352) 302 7406		
	B.		dule of present rates: (Attach additional s	heets if more space is needed)	
		1.	Water:		
			a. Residential Water	ATTACHED TARIFF SHEETS	- Marine -
			b. General Service		
			c. Special Contract		
			d. Other - Specify		
		2.	Wastewater:		
		,	a. Residential Wastewater	ATTACHED TARIFF SHEETS	
			b. General Service		
			c. Special Contract		
			d. Other - Specify		
	C.	Numl	ber of Customers: (Most recent two years	)	
		1,	Water Metered	2018	
			a. Residential	353	
			b. General Service	1	····
			c. Special Contract		
			d. Other - Specify		
		2.	Water Unmetered		
			a. Residential	<u> </u>	0
			b. General Service	<u> </u>	0
		1	c. Special Contract	<u> </u>	0
			d. Other - Specify	0	0
		3.	Wastewater	2018	
			a. Residential	353	
			b. General Service	1	
			c. Special Contract	0	0
			d. Other - Specify	0	0
			<del> </del>		

#### V. AFFIRMATION

I, <u>MICHAEL SMALLRIDGE</u> the undersigned owner, officer, or partner of the above named public utility, doing business in the State of Florida and subject to the control and jurisdiction of the Florida Public Service Commission, certify that the statements set forth herein are true and correct to the best of my information, knowledge, and belief.

Signed

Title

Notice: Section 837.06, Florida Statutes, provides that any person who knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree.

#### RESIDENTIAL SERVICE

#### RATE SCHEDULE (RS)

**AVAILABILITY** -

Available throughout the area served by the Company.

APPLICABILITY -

For water service for all purposes in private residences and individually metered

apartment units.

**LIMITATIONS** -

Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this Tariff and General Rules and

Regulations of the Commission.

**BILLING PERIOD -**

Quarterly

RATE -

Meter Sizes	Base Facility Charge			
5/8" x 3/4"	\$	28.03		
3/4"	\$	42.05		
1"	\$	70.08		
1 1/2"	\$	140.15		
2"	\$	224.24		
3"	\$	448.48		
4"	\$	700.75		
6"	\$	1,401.50		
Charge per 1,000 gallons	\$	3.40		

MINIMUM CHARGE -

Base Facility Charge

TERMS OF PAYMENT -

Bills are due and payable when rendered. In accordance with Rule 25-30.320,

Florida Administrative Code, if a Customer is delinquent in paying the bill for water

service, service may then be discontinued.

EFFECTIVE DATE -

January 6, 2019

TYPE OF FILING -

2018 Price Index & Pass-Through

WS-2018-0110

MICHAEL SMALLRIDGE **ISSUING OFFICER** 

#### **GENERAL SERVICE**

#### RATE SCHEDULE (GS)

**AVAILABILITY** -

Available throughout the area served by the Company.

**APPLICABILITY** -

For water service to all Customers for which no other schedule applies.

**LIMITATIONS** -

Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this Tariff and General Rules and

Regulations of the Commission.

**BILLING PERIOD -**

Quarterly

RATE -

Meter Sizes	Base Facility Charge		
5/8" x 3/4"	\$.	28.03	
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apartment units.

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Regulations of the Commission.

**BILLING PERIOD -**

Quarterly

RATE -

Meter Size

Base Facility Charge

All Meter Sizes

\$ 36.93

Charge per 1,000 gallons

7.68

**MINIMUM CHARGE -**

Base Facility Charge

TERMS OF PAYMENT - Bills are due and payable when rendered. In accordance with Rule 25-30.320, Florida Administrative Code, if a Customer is delinquent in paying the bill for wastewater

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MICHAEL SMALLRIDGE **ISSUING OFFICER** 

**MANAGING MEMBER** TITLE

#### **GENERAL SERVICE**

#### **RATE SCHEDULE (GS)**

AVAILABILITY -

Available throughout the area served by the Company.

APPLICABILITY -

For wastewater service to all Customers for which no other schedule applies.

**LIMITATIONS** -

Subject to all of the Rules and Regulations of this tariff and General Rules and

Regulations of the Commission.

**BILLING PERIOD** -

Quarterly

RATE -

Meter Sizes	Base F	acility Charge
5/8" x 3/4"	\$	36.93
3/4"	\$	55.40
1"	\$	92.33
1 1/2"	\$	184.65
2"	\$	295.44
3"	\$	590.88
4"	\$	923.25
6"	\$	1,846.50
Charge per 1,000 gallons	\$	8.98

MINIMUM CHARGE -

Base Facility Charge

**TERMS OF PAYMENT -**

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MICHAEL SMALLRIDGE ISSUING OFFICER

MANAGING MEMBER
TITLE