

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 8

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Docket No. 20160165-SU – Application for staff-assisted rate case in Gulf County by ESAD Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a Beaches Sewer Systems, Inc.

**Issue 1:** What is the appropriate Phase II revenue requirement for Beaches?

**Recommendation:** The appropriate Phase II revenue requirement is \$185,819. This represents an increase of \$33,095, which equates to an increase of 21.67 percent. The increase includes staff’s recommended pro forma plant and O&M expense additions, as well as the billing determinant change and corresponding adjustment to test year revenues discussed in Issues 2 and 3. Phase II rate base is shown on Schedule No. 1-A. The related adjustments are shown on Schedule No. 1-B. The operating income for Phase II is shown on Schedule No. 2-A. The related adjustments are shown on Schedule No. 2-B.

**APPROVED** *as* **MODIFIED**

The adjustments in Table 1-3 for Sludge Removal and Purchased Power should be eliminated. Staff has administrative authority to make all necessary adjustments.

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS’ SIGNATURES

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DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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**Issue 2:** What are the appropriate test year revenues for Phase II?

**Recommendation:** The appropriate test year revenues for Beaches' Phase II rates are \$152,724.

**APPROVED**

**Issue 3:** What are the appropriate rates for Phase II?

**Recommendation:** The recommended rates and charges are shown on Schedule No. 3. The Utility should file revised tariff sheets and a proposed customer notice to reflect the Commission-approved rates and charges. The approved rates and charges should be effective for service rendered on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff sheets pursuant to Rule 25-30.475(1), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). In addition, the approved rates and charges should not be implemented until staff has approved the proposed customer notice and the notice has been received by the customers. The Utility should provide proof of the date notice was given within 10 days of the date of the notice.

**APPROVED**

**Issue 4:** 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 will be issued. The docket should remain open for staff's verification that the revised tariff sheets and the customer notice have been filed by the Utility and approved by staff. When the tariff and notice actions are complete, this docket may be closed administratively.

**APPROVED**