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The Honorable Gary F. Clark
Chairman
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 20200241
Petition by Gulf Power Company for Limited Proceeding for Recovery for
Incremental Storm Restoration Costs Related to Hurricane Sally

Dear Mr. Chairman:

On November 10, 2020, Gulf Power Company ("Gulf") filed a Petition for Limited Proceeding for Recovery of Incremental Storm Restoration Costs Related to Hurricane Sally (the "Petition"). Gulf submitted this filing pursuant to Section 366.076(1), Florida Statutes, Rules 25-6.0143 and 25-6.0431, Florida Administrative Code ("F.A.C.") and the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement approved by the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") in Order No. PSC-17-1078-S-EI (the "Stipulation and Settlement Agreement"). In its filing, Gulf requested that the Commission authorize commencement of interim recovery of incremental storm restoration costs related to Hurricane Sally in accordance with Rule 25-6.0143, F.A.C. through a surcharge on customers' electric bills.

Paragraph 7(a) of the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement contemplates a 60-day timeframe, following the filing of a petition, within which Gulf would be authorized to begin recovering its storm costs from customers. By this letter, Gulf hereby agrees to waive, on a limited basis for this proceeding, its right to implement the interim surcharge related to Hurricane Sally within the 60-day timeframe contemplated by the Stipulation and Settlement Agreement such that the consideration of Gulf's Petition can occur at the Commission's March 2, 2021 agenda conference. Based on this limited waiver, Gulf has no objection to a suspension of the effective date of its proposed tariff beyond the 60-day period and through March 2, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason Higginbotham". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Jason" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Higginbotham".

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