## **Antonia Hover**

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Antonia Hover on behalf of Records Clerk Monday, January 4, 2021 6:03 PM 'Teresa Harris' Consumer Contact RE: Docket #20200226-SU

Good Afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Harris.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200226, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you!

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-----Original Message-----From: Teresa Harris <Trineyharris@msn.com> Sent: Saturday, January 2, 2021 12:04 PM To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US> Subject: Docket #20200226-SU

To Whom It May Concern,

We are writing to you as property owners on Don Pedro (Palm) Island, which is within the service area contained in the application from Environmental Utilities, LLC for central sewer.

This is our formal objection to the applicant's request for the bifurcation of the certificate and rate-making proceedings and we object to the granting of a temporary waiver of Rule 25-30.033(1)(p) and (q). Given the inadequate information regarding the applicant's financial strength and management experience as well as the costs to the stakeholders and property owners involved with this project, the applicant's request for a waiver should be denied.

As stakeholders in the proposed service area, we feel we have a right to all of the relevant information regarding the proposed central sewer, including the proposed rates, connection fees and the type of system intended for installation, as well as how the county intends to handle the possible failure of the project financially, should the applicant not be financially able or willing to provide the service proposed or complete a half-finished project. Will the county be requiring bonding or will the county be guaranteeing to take over should the project fail? All of these are questions that should be answered before the applicant is allowed to proceed.

We therefore request that the applicant's request for bifurcation and a temporary waiver be denied.

Thank you for your time and service to the community,

Mark and Teresa Harris

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