

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for establishment of
wastewater AFPI charges in Lake County by
Utilities, Inc. of Florida

Docket No. 20210119 - SU

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Utilities, Inc. of Florida, by and through its undersigned attorneys, hereby gives notice of filing the attached Affidavit of Publication of the Notice in a newspaper of general circulation in Lake County, Florida on July 27, 2021.

Respectfully submitted this 10th day of
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NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR ALLOWANCE OF FUNDS PRUDENTLY INVESTED (AFPI) CHARGES BY UTILITIES, INC. OF FLORIDA July 27, 2021

On June 24, 2021, Utilities, Inc. of Florida filed an application with the Florida Public Service Commission to establish Allowance for Funds Prudently Invested (AFPI) Charges for its wastewater system in Lake County, Florida. The AFPI Charge is to pay for growth in the utility system, and the requested charges will be paid by new, not existing customers. Pursuant to Commission Rules, an AFPI Charge is a mechanism designed to allow a utility the opportunity earn a fair rate of return on prudently constructed plant held for future use from customers who will be served by that plant. This one-time charge is assessed based on the date the future customer connects to the Utility's wastewater system.

A copy of the Application can be viewed on the Florida Public Service Commission website and is available at the following library:

Cooper Memorial Library
2525 Oakley Seaver Drive
Clermont, FL 34711
Monday – Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
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Lake County – Wastewater The current AFPI Charges are as follows:

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
January	\$ 18.00	\$ 234.69	\$ 459.98	\$ 694.47	\$ 938.79
February	\$ 36.00	\$ 253.40	\$ 479.45	\$ 714.75	\$ 959.95
March	\$ 53.99	\$ 272.11	\$ 498.92	\$ 735.04	\$ 981.12
April	\$ 71.99	\$ 290.82	\$ 518.40	\$ 755.33	\$ 1,002.28
May	\$ 89.99	\$ 309.53	\$ 537.87	\$ 775.62	\$ 1,023.44
June	\$ 107.99	\$ 328.24	\$ 557.34	\$ 795.90	\$ 1,044.60
July	\$ 125.99	\$ 346.95	\$ 576.81	\$ 816.19	\$ 1,065.76
August	\$ 143.98	\$ 365.66	\$ 596.29	\$ 836.48	\$ 1,086.92
September	\$ 161.98	\$ 384.37	\$ 615.76	\$ 856.77	\$ 1,108.92
October	\$ 179.98	\$ 403.08	\$ 635.23	\$ 877.05	\$ 1,129.25
November	\$ 197.98	\$ 421.79	\$ 654.71	\$ 897.45	\$ 1,150.41
December	\$ 215.98	\$ 440.50	\$ 674.18	\$ 917.63	\$ 1,171.57

Lake County – Wastewater The proposed AFPI Charges are as follows:

	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
January	\$ 28.13	\$ 366.92	\$ 721.18	\$ 1,091.96	\$ 1,480.41
February	\$ 56.25	\$ 396.33	\$ 751.95	\$ 1,124.20	\$ 1,514.21
March	\$ 84.38	\$ 425.74	\$ 782.73	\$ 1,156.44	\$ 1,548.02
April	\$ 112.51	\$ 455.14	\$ 813.51	\$ 1,188.68	\$ 1,581.83
May	\$ 140.63	\$ 484.55	\$ 844.28	\$ 1,220.92	\$ 1,615.63
June	\$ 168.76	\$ 513.96	\$ 875.06	\$ 1,253.16	\$ 1,649.44
July	\$ 196.88	\$ 543.37	\$ 905.84	\$ 1,285.40	\$ 1,683.25
August	\$ 225.01	\$ 572.77	\$ 936.61	\$ 1,317.64	\$ 1,717.06
September	\$ 253.14	\$ 602.18	\$ 967.39	\$ 1,349.88	\$ 1,750.86
October	\$ 281.26	\$ 631.59	\$ 998.16	\$ 1,382.12	\$ 1,784.67
November	\$ 309.39	\$ 660.99	\$ 1,028.94	\$ 1,414.36	\$ 1,818.48
December	\$ 337.52	\$ 690.40	\$ 1,059.72	\$ 1,446.60	\$ 1,852.28

The AFPI charges, which are based on one equivalent residential connection (ERC), will be collected from 1,144 additional ERCs as of December 31, 2019. If by December 31, 2024, any number of ERCs remain unconnected, the remaining ERCs shall be charged the constant maximum charge of \$1,852.28 until all 1,144 additional ERCs are connected, after which time the charge will cease.

Utilities, Inc. of Florida's address is 200 Weathersfield Ave., Altamonte Springs, FL 32714-4027, (866) 842-8432, and normal business hours are 8:30am to 4:30pm.

Any person who wishes to comment or provide information to Commission staff may direct them to this address:

Florida Public Service Commission
Director, Office of Commission Clerk
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870

All correspondence should refer to "Docket No. 20210119-WS, Utilities, Inc. of Florida" Your letter will be placed in the correspondence file of this docket. You may also submit comments through the Florida Public Service Commission's toll-free facsimile line at 1-800-511-0809, or the Commission's website available at:

<http://floridapsc.com/ConsumerAssistance/ComplaintForm>.

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