

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Environmental cost recovery clause.

DOCKET NO. 20210007-EI

DATED: October 4, 2021

COMMISSION STAFF'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

Pursuant to the Order Establishing Procedure, Order No. PSC-2021-0078-PCO-EI, issued February 11, 2021, as modified by the First Order Modifying Order Establishing Procedure, Order No. PSC-2021-0210-PCO-EI, issued June 7, 2021, and the Second Order Modifying Order Establishing Procedure, Order No. PSC-2021-0338-PCO-EI, issued September 14, 2021, the Staff of the Florida Public Service Commission files its Prehearing Statement.

1. All Known Witnesses

There are no known witnesses at this time.

2. All Known Exhibits

There are no known exhibits at this time.

3. Staff's Statement of Basic Position

Staff's positions are preliminary and based on materials filed by the parties and on discovery. The preliminary positions are offered to assist the parties in preparing for the hearing. Staff's final positions will be based upon all the evidence in the record and may differ from the preliminary positions stated herein.

4. Staff's Position on the Issues

GENERIC ISSUES

ISSUE 1: What are the final environmental cost recovery true-up amounts for the period January 2020 through December 2020?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 2: What are the estimated/actual environmental cost recovery true-up amounts for the period January 2021 through December 2021?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

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ISSUE 3: What are the projected environmental cost recovery amounts for the period January 2022 through December 2022?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 4: What are the environmental cost recovery amounts, including true-up amounts, for the period January 2022 through December 2022?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 5: What depreciation rates should be used to develop the depreciation expense included in the total environmental cost recovery amounts for the period January 2022 through December 2022?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 6: What are the appropriate jurisdictional separation factors for the projected period January 2022 through December 2022?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 7: What are the appropriate environmental cost recovery factors for the period January 2022 through December 2022 for each rate group?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 8: What should be the effective date of the new environmental cost recovery factors for billing purposes?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 9: Should the Commission approve revised tariffs reflecting the environmental cost recovery amounts and environmental cost recovery factors determined to be appropriate in this proceeding?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 10: Should this docket be closed?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

COMPANY-SPECIFIC ISSUES

Florida Power & Light Company (FPL)

ISSUE 11: Should the Commission approve FPL's Miami-Dade Clean Water Recovery Center Project for cost recovery through the Environmental Cost Recovery Clause?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 12: How should any approved Environmental Cost Recovery Clause costs associated with FPL's Miami-Dade Clean Water Recovery Center Project be allocated to the rate classes?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 13: Should FPL be allowed to recover, through the ECRC, prudently incurred costs associated with its proposed modification to its Turkey Point Cooling Canal Monitoring Plan Project?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

ISSUE 14: Should FPL be allowed to recover, through the ECRC, prudently incurred costs associated with its proposed modification to its Lowest Quality Water Source Project?

POSITION: Staff has no position at this time.

5. Stipulated Issues

None.

6. Pending Motions

None.

7. Pending Confidentiality Claims or Requests

None.

8. Objections to Witness Qualifications as an Expert

None.

9. Compliance with Order No. PSC-2021-0078-PCO-EI

Staff has complied with all requirements of the Order Establishing Procedure entered in this docket.

Respectfully submitted this 4th day of October, 2021.

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