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From: Hannah Barker
Sent: Tuesday, January 18, 2022 3:13 PM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Docket Correspondence
Attachments: Docket #20200226-SU; Docket #20200226-SU

Good afternoon,

Please place the attached emails in Docket No. 20200226. Thank you!

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Docket #20200226-SU

Our names are Ken & Sally Mingerink. We live on Don Pedro Island and we formally requesting that the PSC deny EU'S application for waste water service.

We live in HOA with 39 doors and the majority are duplexes and close together. We have not been informed of how EU is going to handle our situation.

EU has no experience installing and running a sewer system.

Uncertain hook up costs. He started with \$20,000.00 per unit to \$11,928.00, that's too much of a difference. That shows that EU has no experience in running a sewer system and pricing the rates.

There is no back-up plan if the power goes out for an extended period of time. Other than owners having to own their generator. Can you imagine a large number of generators running on these small islands and how much of an impact to the environment.

Sincerely
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From: Kevin Tyler <kktyler@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, January 18, 2022 2:50 PM
To: Records Clerk; Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of Commissioner Passidomo
Subject: Docket #20200226-SU

Good day, my name is Kevin Tyler; I am a property owner and live on Palm Island full time. The central sewer proposal in question would have a direct effect on me.

I am requesting that you deny EU's Application for Original Certificate of Authorization for this proposed central sewer system for the following reasons:

- **Wildly fluctuating cost estimates** - EUs estimates for hookup fees and average monthly bills are all over the map, starting with outrageous and going up. These expenses appear to be open-ended as all cost overruns will inevitably be passed along to homeowners
- **Competence** - The fluctuating cost-estimates indicate to me that EU lacks the project-management skills to make this happen according to any reasonable plan. They certainly have no particular expertise operating a central sewer system.
- **Complexity** - The proposed system is needlessly complex and proposes to push financial and maintenance responsibility for critical components of the system onto the homeowners. It is not yet clear who would be responsible for these pumps, but as proposed, homeowners would provide electrical infrastructure required to operate lift pumps. With such a complicated system and responsibility distributed among EU and homeowners, this design is needlessly complicated and is certain to be fragile and prone to failures.

This is a half-baked proposal by an inexperienced waste processing company with unlimited potential for economic and environmental harm. I urge you to reject EU's application.

Sincerely,

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