

Antonia Hover

From: Antonia Hover on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Friday, January 21, 2022 4:19 PM
To: 'Bryan D & Debra S Fredrick'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Docket # 20200226-SU

Good Afternoon, Bryan D. Fredrick.

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

Thank you!

Toni Hover

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From: Bryan D & Debra S Fredrick <bdfredrick@embarqmail.com>
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I, Bryan D Fredrick own the home at 111 S Gulf Blvd, Placida, FL, on Don Pedro Island. I understand that you will be making a decision regarding possible approval for a private sewer system on our Island, by "Environmental Utility". I STRONGLY advise you to DENY the Application.

We all have our septic systems inspected and approved periodically, and have repairs/improvements done as needed - If it ain't broke, don't fix it.

There is no evidence that our properly functioning septic systems are detrimental to our surrounding waters. We live here - we swim. fish and boat in our surrounding waters. I do believe that any degradation of our waters is primarily caused by high-nutrient discharges from Lake Okeechobee.

It is my understanding that "Environmental Utility" is trying to convince you that we have an environmental emergency due to our polluting septic systems, so cannot wait to have Charlotte County install any central sewer system. This reasoning is fallacious.

"Environmental Utility" has no prior experience in installing or operating a central sewer system.

I understand that "Environmental Utility" is a private, FOR PROFIT business. I do not want to let inexperienced people to become multi-millionaires at my expense. I know that we are in the queue for Charlotte County to install a central sewer system here on Don Pedro Island. Why can't we wait for an experienced, non-profit entity handle our sewage ?? We would pay their fees as part of our property taxes, like most Floridians.

In conclusion, PLEASE DENY "Environmental Utility's" application for our wastewater service.

Thank you - Bryan D Fredrick bdfredrick@embarqmail.com 111 S Gulf Blvd, Don Pedro Island