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Lisa Smith

From: Office of Commissioner Passidomo **Sent:** Monday, January 24, 2022 4:49 PM

To: Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: Docket No. 20200226

Attachments: RE Docket #20200226-SU; Docket #20200226-SU

Please place the attached in Docket No. 20200226.

Thank you!

Lisa Smith

From: David W Adams <dadams@bja-law.com>

Sent: Monday, January 24, 2022 4:43 PM

To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of Commissioner

Passidomo

Cc: Records Clerk

Subject: RE: Docket #20200226-SU

Dear Commissioners:

This is a supplemental notice from David Adams. I own property at 8356 Little Gasparilla Island. I just received the email below.

As you can see from the message below, the hookup cost for a Charlotte County Septic to Sewer project is \$11,500 per residence, which is payable interest free over twenty years. I would like PSC staff to investigate whether EU is willing to match the hook up price and finance the hook up fee interest free over twenty years, like Charlotte County has done with other conversions.

Thank you,

David Adams

From: Wannall, Caroline < Caroline. Wannall@charlottecountyfl.gov>

Sent: Monday, January 24, 2022 3:38 PM
To: David W Adams < dadams@bja-law.com>

Subject: RE: Little Gasparilla proposed Sewer project

Good Afternoon,

Could you please clarify your below request? Are you looking for the cost of connection for our septic to sewer MSBUs (ex: El Jobean and Ackerman areas) or in general? Homes not in MSBUs have different connection fees.

The cost for connection in the El Jobean and Ackerman MSBUs was \$11,500 per equivalent residential connection (ERC). This assessment is on the tax bill for 20 years (\$575 per year for 20 years).

Thank you,

Lisa Smith

From:

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Sent:

Monday, January 24, 2022 4:42 PM

To:

Records Clerk: Office of Commissioner La Rosa: Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of

Commissioner Passidomo

Subject:

Docket #20200226-SU

My wife and I are Rodney and Alice Henderson. We have owned our home on Little Gasparilla Island for 22 years and spend 6 months here each year.

We are writing to strongly and formally request that the PSC deny EU's application for wastewater service.

There are many reasons I can think of that would disqualify EU from attempting this project, I would like to mention a few.

The electric system on the island is under severe strain. We have power interruptions several times a year. Three days ago we had rain and power cut out briefly three times.

A few weeks before that the power was out for 10 hours. How will the sewage be handled during these outages.

This is a harsh environment, with salt water incursion and salt mist in the air. Everything suffers from it. Any equipment out here suffers with more maintenance requirements and a much shorter life span. Especially electrical equipment.

Movement on the island is severely restricted due to our narrow sandy trails and dense vegetation. This limits movement of service vehicles. Many of the trails would have to be widened for access to the homes and would destroy the look of the island.

I know of no other place like this!

EU (Jack Boyer) has no experience with sewage systems!!! This is not the environment for him to be learning. A mistake could cause severe impact with limited resources to deal with the situation. Three days ago one of his water lines was leaking and running toward the bay. It leaked for 5 hours before it was stopped. What if it was sewage?

There is no consideration for septic systems in good working condition. In 22 years we have not had any problems with ours.

Retired living on fixed incomes and in these times we like many others do not need the additional expense of many thousands of dollars for an unneeded septic system.

Your Consideration Is Appreciated,

Rodney and Alice Henderson floridabuckeye362@gmail.com

