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**From:** Antonia Hover on behalf of Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 18, 2024 3:55 PM  
**To:** 'Heather L Robertson'  
**Cc:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** RE: RE. Docket #20240032-SU

Good Afternoon, Heather, Ben, and Teegan Stout.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20240032, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you!

*Toni Hover*

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Dear Commisioners,

My name is Heather Stout. My husband and I and our son reside at 400 Bocilla Dr on Don Pedro Island in Placida FL  
I am asking to again deny EUs application for wastewater service.  
We emphatically do not want wastewater service from EU. The EU owner has a demonstrated past in blatantly disregarding the will or needs of the island. Our septic system is functioning perfectly and I had a new septic system installed in 2014. It is pumped every 2-3 years as we want to make sure we are always in full compliance with

what the state suggests. We love our island and surrounding water and feel it is our obligation and pleasure to be responsible septic owners.

Some things to consider:

Hurricane Ian caused island wide power outages for weeks. The EU proposed sewer system would have been an environmental disaster for our island and the surrounding waters. No electric means the proposed sewer system would not have worked.

Our island is subject to frequent power outages and of course our island is a tourist destination. Septic systems work even when the power is out. THE EU system requires electric. How do we handle guests that do not have access to generators and other means of powering a sewer system when the power goes out?

Our property rights are important to us. We do not want to "give an easement" to EU on our property.

Our island is a sensitive environment and the island has many properties that are designated wildlife friendly. That's a big deal. Now the Prince of Plunder wants to rip up yards and plow through the state park to achieve his money grab.

Lastly let's not forget the history of Jack Boyer the owner of EU. Financial instability, arrest record, mismanagement of Little Gasparilla water service and absolutely zero experience in implementing and managing a momentous task like this.

You all denied him the first time for good reasons and despite his opinion on your judgment we support your stance and hope it will remain unchanged.

Sincerely,

Heather, Ben and Teegan Stout

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