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**From:** Office of Commissioner Clark  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 2, 2024 11:45 AM  
**To:** Commissioner Correspondence  
**Subject:** FW: Objection to Proposed EU application. Docket# 20240032-SU

Good morning,

Please place the attached email in Docket No. 20240032. Thank you!

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From: Mari Koerner <marikoerner2020@gmail.com>  
Sent: Wednesday, May 01, 2024 2:53 PM  
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; Office of Chairman La Rosa <Commissioner.LaRosa@psc.state.fl.us>; Office of Commissioner Clark <Commissioner.Clark@psc.state.fl.us>; Office of Commissioner Passidomo <Commissioner.Passidomo@psc.state.fl.us>; Office of Commissioner Fay <Commissioner.Fay@psc.state.fl.us>; Office of Commissioner Graham <Commissioner.Graham@PSC.STATE.FL.US>  
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Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

My name is Mari Koerner. I am a homeowner on Little Gasparilla Island in Charlotte County since 1992.

I am asking you to deny EUs application for wastewater services. I am not totally satisfied with the reasons our island needs to go thru this great expense , now and in the future. We seem to have managed quite comfortably (with some updating) for the last 30 years. This is a very serious concern.

I would also like to point out that many of our homes were severely damaged by hurricane Ian. I would like to say we have recovered from Ian BUT we have not. This is a very stressful situation . At this time, 1 1/2 years after Ian , we have no idea what each individual expense will end up being . Nothing more should be considered to disrupt our island until all have recovered from the ills of hurricane Ian ( of course, unless there was an absolute emergency).

At that point I would like to see a written report including exact costs, liabilities, the entire project specifications and how we would be financially protected.

There are many more reasons to refuse this application that I am sure so many of our island residents have presented. I hope you will consider our very deep concerns.

Thank you,  
Mari Koerner  
E1 Hideaway Bay  
Little Gasparilla Island

P.S. Could I please have a receipt of this letter from the Clerk?  
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