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BEFORE THE
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

DOCKET NO. 20240110-EU

Joint petition for approval of
territorial agreement in Marion
County, by City of Ocala and
Duke Energy Florida, LLC.

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PROCEEDINGS: COMMISSION CONFERENCE AGENDA
ITEM NO. 4

COMMISSIONERS
PARTICIPATING: CHAIRMAN MIKE LA ROSA
COMMISSIONER ART GRAHAM
COMMISSIONER GARY F. CLARK
COMMISSIONER ANDREW GILES FAY
COMMISSIONER GABRIELLA PASSIDOMO

DATE: Tuesday, November 5, 2024

PLACE: Betty Easley Conference Center
Room 148
4075 Esplanade Way
Tallahassee, Florida

REPORTED BY: DEBRA R. KRICK
Court Reporter and
Notary Public in and for
the State of Florida at Large

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1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Let's move to Item No. 4.
3 Mr. Prewett, you are recognized.

4 MR. PREWETT: Good morning, Commissioners. I
5 am Devan Prewett with the Division of Economics.

6 Item 4 is a joint petition by the City of
7 Ocala and Duke Energy Florida requesting approval
8 of the utility's proposed 2024 territorial
9 agreement in Marion County.

10 The joint petitioners seek to make territorial
11 boundary changes to consolidate split parcels and
12 to transfer six customers from the City of Ocala to
13 Duke, and one customer from the Duke to the City of
14 Ocala, thereby correcting certain inadvertent
15 connections in each of the utilities' service
16 territories.

17 Additionally, the proposed agreement would
18 amend the service territories for each utility to
19 more clearly delineate their service territories,
20 help the joint petitioners to gain further
21 operational efficiencies, improve customer service,
22 reduce potential hazardous situations, and address
23 circumstances giving rise to uneconomic duplication
24 of service facilities.

25 The joint petitioners have notified the

1 affected customers, and they expect to transfer --
2 they expect to coordinate the transfer of the seven
3 customers over a 36-month period upon approval by
4 the Commission.

5 Staff recommends approval of the joint
6 petition.

7 Thank you.

8 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Thank you for the summary.
9 Commissioners, is there questions or
10 discussions? Questions or discussions?

11 Seeing none, open the floor for a motion.

12 COMMISSIONER CLARK: Mr. Chairman, move to
13 approve the territorial agreement.

14 COMMISSIONER GRAHAM: Second.

15 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Hearing a motion and
16 hearing a second.

17 All those in favor signify by saying yay.

18 (Chorus of yays.)

19 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Yay.

20 Opposed no.

21 (No response.)

22 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Show that Item No. 4
23 passes.

24 Thank you very much.

25 (Agenda item concluded.)

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COUNTY OF LEON)

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DATED this 24th day of November, 2024.



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