

BEFORE THE  
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

DOCKET NO. 20250109-GU

Petition for approval of gas utility  
access and replacement directive cost  
recovery factors for January 2026  
through December 2026, by Florida  
Public Utilities Company.

PROCEEDINGS: COMMISSION CONFERENCE AGENDA  
ITEM NO. 6

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

DATE: Tuesday, December 2, 2025

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

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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. 6.

3 Ms. Guffey, madam, you are recognized.

4 MS. GUFFEY: Good morning, Chairman and  
5 Commissioners. Seveni Guffey with the Division of  
6 Economics.

7 Item 6 is Florida Public Utilities Company's  
8 petition seeking approval of its gas utility access  
9 and replacement directive cost recovery factors for  
10 year 2026. The program is also called the GUARD  
11 program.

12 The GUARD surcharge recovers costs associated  
13 with replacing problematic distribution pipes and  
14 facilities, as well as the relocation of mains and  
15 service lines to enhance safety and accessibility  
16 of its distribution system.

17 The residential customer on the RES-2 tariff  
18 using 20 therms per month will have a bill impact  
19 of \$5.20. Staff believes the calculation of FPUC's  
20 GUARD revenue requirement and surcharges for each  
21 rate class are accurate, and, therefore, staff  
22 recommends approval of the proposed GUARD  
23 surcharges to be effective from January 1st, 2026.

24 Thank you.

25 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Great. Thank you for that

1 summary.

2 Commissioners, are there any questions or  
3 discussion?

4 Seeing none, open for a motion.

5 COMMISSIONER CLARK: Move staff  
6 recommendation, Mr. Chairman.

7 COMMISSIONER GRAHAM: Second.

8 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Hearing a motion and  
9 hearing a second.

10 All those in favor signify by saying yay.

11 (Chorus of yays.)

12 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Yay.

13 Opposed no?

14 (No response.)

15 CHAIRMAN LA ROSA: Show that Item No. 6  
16 passes.

17 Thank you he have much.

18 (Agenda item concluded.)

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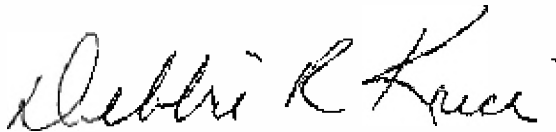
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