

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for approval of rate)	DOCKET NO. 900590-EM
changes by CITY OF ALACHUA.)	ORDER NO. 23348
_____)	ISSUED: 8-13-90

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

MICHAEL McK. WILSON, Chairman
 THOMAS M. BEARD
 BETTY EASLEY
 GERALD L. GUNTER
 FRANK S. MESSERSMITH

ORDER APPROVING RATE STRUCTURE

BY THE COMMISSION:

In the City of Alachua's last filing with the Commission, Docket No. 880962-EM, this Commission issued comments regarding the rate relationships among the rate classes; cost allocation methodology used for spreading demand-related costs to each of the classes; and assumed class load factors, which formed the basis of the cost allocators. In the City's response to the Commission's comments, the City agreed to review various options suggested by Staff regarding load research and proper cost allocation methodologies. The City also agreed to address the inequities between the RS and GS rate classes in their next filing with the Commission.

On June 12, 1990, Staff met with the City's consultants to discuss the City's proposed rate structure revisions to its Residential Service (RS), General Service Non Demand (GS) and General Service Demand (GSD) rate classes in this docket. On June 15, 1990, the City of Alachua filed proposed tariff revisions to its RS, GS, and GSD classes. These proposed revisions are attached to this Order as Appendix "A". The City's proposed increase to Residential Service (RS) customers should increase the typical 1000 kwh bill by 5.76%; no increase is proposed for the General Service (GS) rate class, thereby reducing the inequity between RS and GS agreed to by the City in Docket 880962-EM. The average customer served under General Service Demand (GSD) rate class would receive an increase of approximately 5.10%.

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Staff has recommended approval of the proposed revisions as reasonably addressing the Commission's concerns regarding the rate relationships among the rate classes.

We find that the proposed revisions are reasonable and more equitably allocate costs among the rate classes.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the proposed tariff revisions filed June 15, 1990, by the City of Alachua to its RS, GS and GSD classes are hereby approved, to become effective August 1, 1990. It is further

ORDERED that this docket be closed after the time has run in which to file a petition for reconsideration of notice of appeal if such action has not been taken.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission,
this 13th day of AUGUST, 1990.



STEVE TRIBBLE, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

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Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeal in the case of a water or sewer utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.

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SECOND REVISED SHEET NO. 1.0
CANCELLING FIRST REVISED SHEET NO. 1.0

NAME OF UTILITY CITY OF ALACHUA UTILITY (ELECTRIC)

ELECTRIC DOCUMENTATION

VOLUME I

CITY OF ALACHUA UTILITY (ELECTRIC)

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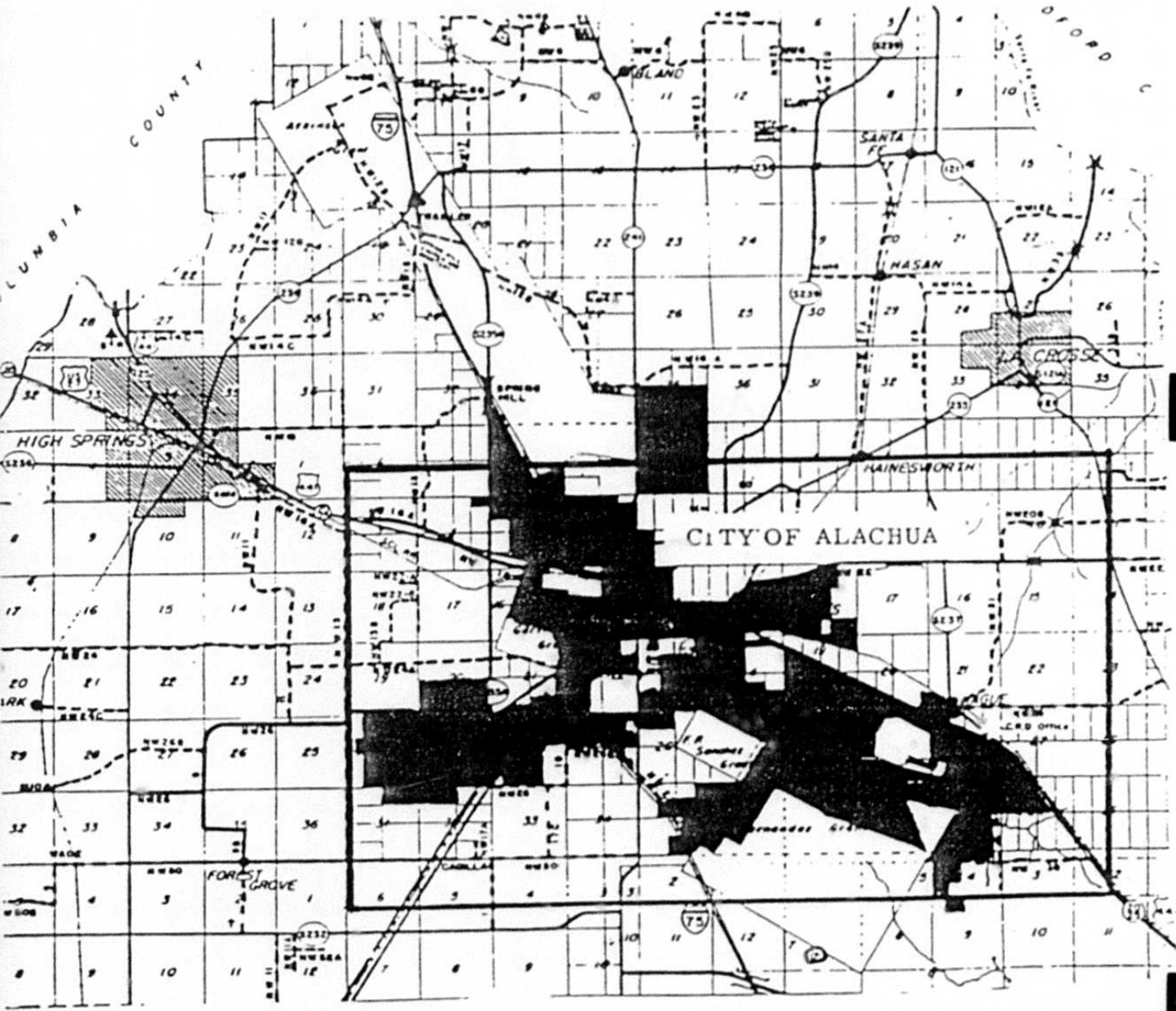
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NAME OF UTILITY CITY OF ALACHUA UTILITY

DESCRIPTION OF TERRITORY



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GS
REVENUE CODE: 442

GENERAL SERVICE NON-DEMAND

Rate Schedule GS

AVAILABILITY - Available throughout the entire service area of the utility.

APPLICABILITY - All electric service connections not included in the Residential or General Service Demand schedules. (See CONDITION OF SERVICE, below.)

CHARACTER OF SERVICE - Single or three (3) phase at available voltages.

LIMITATIONS - Subject to all rules of this tariff and of this utility. Not for resale.

RATES - Service Charge.....\$8.00 per month
All kWh.....\$0.083 per kWh

MINIMUM CHARGE - The minimum monthly bill shall be the service charge plus other applicable charges, covered by Ordinance, State Statutes or Federal Law.

TERMS OF PAYMENT - After close of business on the tenth (10th) of the month, the bills are considered delinquent and are assessed a ten percent (10%) late charge. After close of business on the seventeenth (17th) of the month, the electric service is subject to disconnection.

BULK POWER COST ADJUSTMENT - (See Bulk Power Cost Adjustment Clause on Sheet 9.0.)

CONDITION OF SERVICE - If at any time the billing demand equals or exceeds 20 kW for any nine consecutive months, the rate class shall be changed to General Service - Demand Rate.

NOTE:

This rate is to be applied to all bills issued on or after August 1, 1990.

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GSD
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GENERAL SERVICE DEMAND

Rate Schedule GSD

AVAILABILITY - Available throughout the entire service area of the utility.

APPLICABILITY - Applicable to non-residential customers with an electrical demand requirement of 20 kW or more throughout the area served by the Utility. (See CONDITION OF SERVICE, below.)

LIMITATIONS - Subject to all rules of this tariff and of this utility. Not for resale.

RATES - Service Charge.....\$22.50 per month
All kW.....\$ 6.95/kW
All kWh.....\$ 0.0556 per kWh

BILLING DEMAND - The maximum 15 minute integrated demand.

POWER FACTOR - When the power factor is less than 90%, the Billing Demand may be determined upon the basis of 90% of the calculated kVA demand.

MINIMUM BILL - The minimum bill per month shall be the service charge plus Billing Demand plus other applicable charges, covered by Ordinance, State Statutes or Federal Law.

TERMS OF PAYMENT - After close of business on the tenth (10th) of the month, the bills are considered delinquent and are assessed a ten percent (10%) late charge. After close of business on the seventeenth (17th) of the month, the electric service is subject to disconnection.

BULK POWER COST ADJUSTMENT - (See Bulk Power Cost Adjustment Clause on Sheet 9.0.)

CONDITION OF SERVICE - If at any time the billing demand falls below 20 kW for any nine consecutive months, the rate class shall be changed to General Service - Non-Demand Rate.

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RS
REVENUE CODE: 441

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE

Rate Schedule RS

AVAILABILITY - Available throughout the entire service area of the utility.

APPLICABILITY - Applicable for service to single family housing, a single suite in a multiple-family house, a single suite in a multiple apartment or group of multiple apartments and all bona fide farm uses.

LIMITATIONS - Subject to all rules of this tariff and of this utility. Not for resale.

RATES - Service Charge.....\$8.00 per month
All kWh.....\$0.074 per kWh

MINIMUM BILL - The minimum bill per month shall be the service charge plus other applicable charges, covered by Ordinance, State Statutes or Federal Law.

TERMS OF PAYMENT - After close of business on the tenth (10th) of the month, the bills are considered delinquent and are assessed a ten percent (10%) late charge. After close of business on the seventeenth (17th) of the month, the electric service is subject to disconnection.

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