## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Resolution by Jacksonville City Council for extended area service (EAS) between the Fort George and Jacksonville Beach exchanges.

) DOCKET NO. 940337-TL ) ORDER NO. PSC-95-0582-PCO-TL ) ISSUED: May 10, 1995

## ORDER ESTABLISHING PRELIMINARY ISSUES

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An informal meeting, which was noticed to all parties and interested persons, was held on March 23, 1995, for the purpose of establishing preliminary issues for hearing in this docket. The resulting issues follow:

- **ISSUE 1:** Is there a sufficient community of interest on the Fort George/Jacksonville Beach toll route to justify implementing EAS pursuant to Rule 25-4.060, Florida Administrative Code, or implementing an alternative toll proposal?
- **ISSUE 2:** What other community of interest factors should be considered in determining if either an optional or nonoptional toll alternative should be implemented?
- **ISSUE 3:** If a sufficient community of interest is found, what is the economic impact of each of the following plans on the customer and the company? (Summarize in chart form and discuss in detail)
  - A. EAS with 25/25 plan and regrouping;
  - B. \$.25 hybrid plan; and
  - C. Other (specify)
- **ISSUE 4:** Should subscribers be required to pay an additive as a prerequisite to implementation of EAS? If so, how much of a payment is required and how long should it last?
- **ISSUE 5:** If a sufficient community of interest is found, what are the appropriate rates and charges for the plan to be implemented on this route?
- **ISSUE 6:** If EAS is determined to be appropriate, should the customers be surveyed for nonoptional, flat rate, two-way EAS?

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**ISSUE 7:** If EAS or an alternative toll plan is implemented, what action should be taken regarding the existing optional toll plans?

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner Diane K. Kiesling, as Prehearing Officer, that the preliminary issues for this proceeding are those set forth in the body of this Order.

By ORDER of Commissioner Diane K. Kiesling, as Prehearing Officer, this <u>l0th</u> day of <u>May</u>, <u>1995</u>.

DIANE K. KIESLING, Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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