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Director Of The Division Of Records & Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870

Certified #2719-708-987

Dear Sirs:

960134-WS

My name is John J. O'Connell, Homeowner of 10155 Southeast 178th Place, Summerfield, Florida 34491, Marion County.

On February 10, 1996, at approximately 7:30 AM, I found the enclosed flyer (notice of application for extension of sewer service) in my newspaper receptacle box. According to this notice, Spruce Creek South Utilities, Inc. 17585 Southeast 102nd Ave., Summerfield, Florida 34491 is submitting its "application to extend its service area to provide water and sewer service to the following described lands in Marion and Sumter County, Florida", then it goes on to provide legal description of the subject area.

In going over the legal description in the flyer, I found my area is included in this extension request. Naturally I became quite concerned, since I have owned this home since March 1991 and have paid taxes on this property since that time.

On Monday, February 12, 1996, I went into Spruce Creek South Utilities, Inc. office at 17585 Southeast 102nd Ave., Summerfield, Florida 34491. I was advised by Steve Decker, Spruce Creek South Utilities, that this notice is just to notify the state of the correct service area of Spruce Creek South Utilities and there is no intention of Spruce Creek South Utilities of any further expansion of services in this project. If this is the case I don't understand why the last paragraph on the enclosed flyer is necessary. I want to add that I asked Mr. Steve Decker if this notice was published in the newspaper. He said he didn't know.

I never received any mail regarding this application and my first knowledge of this notice was put in my newspaper receptacle box during the night or early morning hours of Saturday, February 10, 1996.

I want to go on record that if this notice is to extend any further water or sewer service to the area described I AM OPPOSED TO THIS APPLICATION, because I feel the present facilities are at or near their maximum capacity for satisfactory service for the present area served.

If this application is only to spell out the area served, as stated by Steve Decker, Spruce Creek Utilities, Inc., then I have no objection to this application.

Sincerely,

John J. O'Connell
John J. O'Connell
10155 Southeast 178th Place
Summerfield, Florida 34491

cc: F. Marshall Deterding, Rose, Sundstrom & Bentley
2548 Blairstone Pines Drive
Tallahassee, Florida 32301

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF SERVICE AREA

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 367.045, Florida Statutes, and the provisions of Florida Public Service Commission Rule 25-30.030, Notice is hereby given by Spruce Creek South Utilities, Inc., 17585 Southeast 102nd Avenue, Summerfield, Florida 34491, of its Application to extend its service area to provide water and sewer service to the following described lands in Marion and Sumter County, Florida:

A TRACT OF LAND SITUATED IN SECTIONS 34, 35, AND 38, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA AND IN SECTIONS 2 AND 3, TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, SUMTER COUNTY, FLORIDA BEING DESCRIBED AS THAT PART OF SECTION 38, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, LYING SOUTHWEST OF U.S. HIGHWAY 441/27 (200 FEET WIDE); AND THAT PART OF THE EAST 1/2 OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST LYING SOUTHWEST OF SAID U.S. HIGHWAY 441/27; AND THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 35; AND THE SOUTH 3/4 OF THE EAST 1/2 OF SECTION 34, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST; AND THE EAST 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 34; AND THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 34; AND THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 AND THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, AND THE EAST 1/2 OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 2, AND THOSE LANDS AS DESCRIBED IN OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK 409, ON PAGE 578 AND OFFICIAL RECORDS BOOK 409, ON PAGE 572 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF SUMTER COUNTY, FLORIDA, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 34, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST, PROCEED NORTH 00 31'03" WEST ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY OF SAID SOUTHEAST 1/4, A DISTANCE OF 661.77 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 34; THENCE SOUTH 89 34'55" WEST, 661.11 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 00 31'55" WEST 661.93 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 89 35'45" EAST 661.28 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 00 31'03" WEST, 1323.54 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 34; THENCE SOUTH 89 37'25" WEST, 661.61 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 00 29'12" WEST, 1328.11 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 89 37'24" EAST, 661.85 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 89 35'15" EAST ALONG THE NORTH BOUNDARY OF THE SOUTH 3/4 OF THE EAST 1/2 OF SAID SECTION 34, A DISTANCE OF 2645.34 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE SOUTH 00 41'05" EAST, 1331.04 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 35, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST; THENCE NORTH 89 41'44" EAST, 2648.07 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 00 39'42" WEST, ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 35, A DISTANCE OF 2144.24 FEET TO THE SOUTHWESTERLY RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF U.S. HIGHWAYS 441 AND 27 (200 FEET WIDE); THENCE SOUTH 42 10'39" EAST ALONG SAID RIGHT OF WAY LINE 6434.54 FEET TO AN INTERSECTION WITH THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF SECTION 36, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST; THENCE DEPARTING SAID RIGHT OF WAY LINE PROCEED SOUTH 89 44'19" WEST, 1622.89 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 36; THENCE SOUTH 89 39'39" WEST ALONG THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF THE AFORESAID SECTION 36, A DISTANCE OF 1321.03 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST; THENCE SOUTH 00 03'49" EAST, 1323.53 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE SOUTH 89 38'07" WEST, 1320.76 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE SOUTH 00 04'53" EAST, ALONG THE EAST BOUNDARY OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 2, A DISTANCE OF 1324.10 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE SOUTH 89 36'48" WEST, 330.77 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 00 05'43" WEST, 662.06 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE WEST 1/2 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 2; THENCE SOUTH 89 37'01" WEST PARALLEL TO THE NORTH BOUNDARY OF THE SOUTH 1/2 OF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 AND AN EXTENSION THEREOF WESTERLY, A DISTANCE OF 2965.77 FEET TO A POINT THAT IS SOUTH 00 00'49" WEST OF A POINT THAT IS 643.34 FEET WEST OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 18 SOUTH, RANGE 23 EAST AND BEING ON THE NORTH BOUNDARY OF SAID SECTION 3; THENCE NORTH 00 00'49" EAST, 662.80 FEET TO THE SOUTH BOUNDARY OF THE NORTH 1/2 OF THE NORTHEAST 1/4, OF SAID SECTION 3; THENCE SOUTH 89 40'53" WEST ALONG SAID SOUTH BOUNDARY, 2004.01 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER THEREOF; THENCE NORTH 00 19'23" WEST ALONG THE WEST BOUNDARY OF SAID NORTH 1/2 OF NORTHEAST 1/4 A DISTANCE OF 1324.98 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.

ALL BEING IN MARION AND SUMTER COUNTIES, FLORIDA AND CONTAINING 924.51 ACRES MORE OR LESS.

Written objections of the above noted extension must be filed with the Director of the Division of Records and Reporting, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870, and a copy provided to F. Marshall Deterding, ROSE, SUNDSTROM & BENTLEY, 2548 Blairstone Pines Drive, Tallahassee, Florida 32301, no later than 30 days after the last date this notice was mailed or published whichever is later.

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