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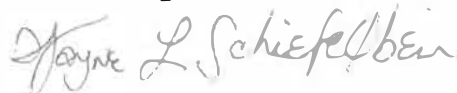
Re: Docket No. 950387-SU
Application for a rate increase for North Ft. Myers Division
in Lee county by FLORIDA CITIES WATER COMPANY - Lee County
Division.

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above docket are an original and 15
copies of the Staff-approved Notice of Hearing.

Please acknowledge receipt of the foregoing by stamping the
enclosed extra copy of this letter and returning same to my
attention. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,



Wayne L. Schiefelbein

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
NOTICE OF HEARING TO
FLORIDA CITIES WATER COMPANY LEE COUNTY DIVISION
AND ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 950387-SU

APPLICATION FOR A RATE INCREASE FOR NORTH FORT MYERS DIVISION
IN LEE COUNTY BY FLORIDA CITIES WATER COMPANY

DATED: _____

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a hearing will be held before the Florida Public Service Commission, regarding the application of Florida Cities Water Company for increased wastewater rates for its North Fort Myers Division at the following time and place:

Wednesday and Thursday, April 24 & 25, 1996 at 10:00 a.m.
Sheraton Harbor Place
Ballroom
2500 Edwards Drive
Ft. Myers, Florida

An evening session will be held beginning at 6:30 P.M., Wednesday, April 24, 1996. The purpose of the evening session will be to take customer testimony. In addition to the evening session, customers will be given the opportunity to present testimony at the beginning of the morning session on Wednesday, April 24, 1996.

All customers wishing to testify are urged to be present at the beginning of the sessions, since the sessions may be adjourned early if no customers are present.

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE

The purpose of this hearing is to consider the application of Florida Cities Water Company for increased wastewater rates and charges and any motions or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions from the bench or may take the matters under advisement.

At the hearing, all parties shall be given the opportunity to present testimony and other evidence on the issues identified by the parties at the prehearing conference scheduled for 9:30 a.m. on April 4, 1996. All witnesses shall be subject to cross-examination at the conclusion of their testimony.

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JURISDICTION

The Commission is vested with jurisdiction over the subject matter by the provisions of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes. This hearing will be governed by said Chapter as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes and Chapters 25-9, 25-22, and 25-30, Florida Administrative Code.

APPLICABLE STATUTES AND RULES

Sections 367.081, 367.0816, 367.101, Florida Statutes, and any other relevant sections of Chapter 367, Florida Statutes, are applicable to this proceeding, as well as Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Chapters 25-22 and 25-30, Florida Administrative Code.