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Blanca Bayo
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Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0870

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RE: NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ORIGINAL WATER
CERTIFICATE FOR TOWN & COUNTRY UTILITY COMPANY

Dear Director Bayo:

The Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) received the attached "Notice of Application for Original Water Certificate", given by Town & Country Utility Company, regarding its application for original water certificate.

All new community water systems (and nontransient-noncommunity water systems) that will commence operation after October 1, 1999, will be required to demonstrate technical, managerial, and financial capacity with respect to each national primary drinking water regulation in effect, or likely to be in effect.

Technical capacity refers to the physical infrastructure of the water system, including but not limited to the adequacy of the source water, infrastructure (source, treatment, storage, and distribution), and the ability of system personnel to adequately operate and maintain the system and to otherwise implement technical knowledge.

Managerial capacity refers to the management structure of the water system, including but not limited to ownership accountability, staffing and organization, and effective linkages to customers and regulatory agencies.

Financial capacity refers to the financial resources of the water system, including but not limited to revenue sufficiency, credit worthiness, and fiscal controls.

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These requirements result from the 1996 Amendments to the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act. If you have any questions, feel free to call me at 941-332-6975, extension 110.

Sincerely,

Gary A. Maier
Professional Engineer III

attachment

GAM/gm

cc: F. Marshall Deterding

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR ORIGINAL WATER CERTIFICATE

Pursuant to Section 367.045, Florida Statutes, and Section 25-30.030, Florida Administrative Code, notice is hereby given by Town & Country Utility Company, 8000 State Road 31, Punta Gorda, Florida 33982, of their application for original water certificate for the following described territory in Charlotte and Lee Counties, Florida:

All of Sections 1 through 36, Township 41 South, Range 26 East, Charlotte County, Florida. Less road right-of-way for S.R. 31 and C.R. 74.

AND

All of Sections 1 through 36, Township 42 South, Range 26 East, Charlotte County, Florida. Less road right-of-way for S.R. 31.

AND

All of Sections 1 through 19, Township 41 South, Range 27 East, Charlotte County, Florida.

AND

All of Sections 1 through 11, the west 1/2 of Section 12, and all of Sections 13 through 36, Township 42 South, Range 27 East, Charlotte County, Florida.

AND

All of Sections 1 through 7, the west 1/2 of Section 9, and all of Section 12, Township 43 South, Range 26 East, Lee County, Florida. Less the road right-of-way for S.R. 31 and C.R. 78.

AND

All of Sections 4 through 8, Township 43 South, Range 27 East, Lee County, Florida.

AND

Section 9, Township 43 South, Range 27 East, Lee County, Florida. Less the South 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of 9-43-27.

AND

The Northwest 1/4 and the North 1/2 of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 17, Township 43 South, Range 27 East, Lee County, Florida.

AND

The North 1/2 of Section 18, Township 43 South, Range 27 East, Lee County, Florida.

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.