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Hublic Service Commission

September 17, 2009



Charles deMenzes Tradewinds Utilities, Inc. PO Box 5220 Ocala, FL 34478-5220

Re: Docket No. 090417-WS, Application for amendment of Certificates 405-W and 342-S to add territory located in Marion County, by Tradewinds Utilities, Inc.

Dear Mr. deMenzes:

After an initial review of the application in the above referenced docket, staff has identified the following deficiencies and additional information needed to complete our review and processing of the application.

Deficiencies

- 1. Rule 25-30.036 (3)(f), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), requires a copy of a detailed system map showing the proposed lines, treatment facilities, and the territory proposed to be served. Exhibit L of the application included a Planned Unit Development map for Countryside Estates 1st addition. The lines were not be clearly discernable on the map. Also, there was no system map included in Exhibit L for the Pearl Britain Estates area. Maps clearly showing the water and wastewater lines are necessary. Please submit the appropriate system maps.
- 2. In accordance with Section 367.045(1)(a), Florida Statutes, and Rule 25-30.030, F.A.C., the Utility is to provide affidavits that noticing occurred. Although the application did include a copy of a legal notice, it was undated and was not accompanied with the appropriated affidavits verifying the notifications. Please provide the property documentations.

Additional Information

As explained in Exhibit A of the amendment application, it was indicated that a Water and Sewer Utilities Agreement was attached. This information is missing from the application. Please provide the agreement.

As explained in Exhibit C of the amendment application, the proposed type customers being served are single family residential. As we currently understand, the Utility is providing service to customers outside its territory without prior Commission approval. The Utility did not provide an explanation about its failure to amend its territory when it connected these customers. Please provide

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an explanation as to how the Utility came to provide service outside its authorized territory, and why it failed to request to amend its territory. This information should include the number of unauthorized connections currently being served and the date when the utility first started to provide the service.

The original and four copies of the response to the information requested in this letter should be filed with the Commission on or before October 19, 2009. When filing the response, please be sure to refer to Docket No 090417-WS, and direct the response to:

Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Should you have any questions concerning the information in this letter, please contact Stanley Rieger at (850) 413-6970.

Sincerely,

Patti Daniel

Public Utilities Supervisor

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