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My name is Beverly Westover, 411 San Jose Drive, Winter Haven, FL 33884 and my telephone number is 863-324-7823. I have lived in Orchid Springs since December of 2006.

This is to let you know that I am definitely opposed to the Staff's Preliminary Recommended Rate Increase for Wastewater under Docket No. 140239-WS. On March 16, 2015 the Wastewater Base Rate for our Meters was raised to \$16.42 with a 50 cent increase in the rate per 1,000 gallon. That I can live with and is okay. Now, 3 months down the road, they are asking for a 98.1% increase in the Base Meter Rate. That is outrageous and excessive. They are also asking to increase the price per 1000 gallons by \$2.32. This is all way too much. A lot of us are widows on fixed incomes and cannot afford big increases as they are recommending.

I will definitely be at the meeting but unfortunately I am not a good speaker and this is the only way I can let you know I'm against their recommendation.

Thank you.

Beverly Westover