

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for increase  
in wastewater rates in Charlotte  
County by Utilities, Inc. of Sandalhaven

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Docket No. 150102-SU

NOTICE OF FILING

Applicant, UTILITIES, INC. OF FLORIDA, as successor by merger to Utilities, Inc. of Sandalhaven, by and through its undersigned attorneys, hereby gives notice of filing, in the above-referenced docket, the Affidavit of Mailing evidencing that the Final Rate Customer Notice was sent by regular mail on June 13, 2016 to all customers of the Utility.

Respectfully submitted this 14th day of June,  
2016, by:

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**AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING**

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF SEMINOLE

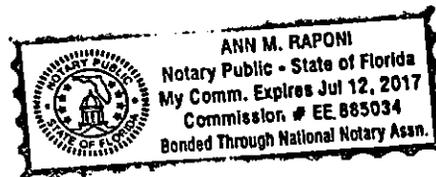
Before me, the undersigned authority, authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared Lori L. Jones, who, after being duly sworn on oath, did depose on oath and say that she is a Billing Specialist with Utilities, Inc., and on behalf of of Utilities, Inc. of Florida as successor to Utilities, Inc. of Sandalhaven ("Utility"), on June 13, 2016, she did send by regular U.S. Mail, a copy of the Customer Notice, attached hereto, to all customers of the Sandalhaven system.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

Lori L. Jones  
Print Name: Lori L. Jones  
Print Title: Billing Specialist

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of June, 2016, by Lori L. Jones who is personally known to me or has produced \_\_\_\_\_ as identification.

Ann M. Raponi  
Print Name: Ann M. Raponi  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
My Commission Expires: 7/12/2017



UTILITIES, INC. OF FLORIDA  
f/k/a Utilities, Inc. Sandalhaven

CUSTOMER NOTICE

JUNE 13, 2016

On July 6, 2015, Utilities, Inc. of Sandalhaven n/k/a Utilities, Inc. of Florida (the "Utility"), completed its application to the Florida Public Service Commission (the "Commission") for increased wastewater rates, in which it requested a permanent revenue increase of approximately 137.9% for wastewater service.

By Proposed Agency Action Order No. PSC-16-0013-PAA-SU ("PAA Order"), issued January 6, 2016, in Docket No. 150102-SU, the Commission proposed a revenue increase of 84.53% for wastewater service. These increases were designed to allow the Utility the opportunity to recover its reasonable and prudent costs for providing service, and a reasonable rate of return on its investment in facilities necessary to provide such wastewater service. The Office of Public Counsel ("OPC") protested the PAA Order, and the Utility filed a Cross-Protest, and pursuant to law the Utility was authorized to implement its requested rate increase during the pendency of the protest proceeding. The Utility implemented the rates set forth in the PAA Order, except those changing the allowance for funds prudently invested charges (AFPI) to new customers which it had protested. Subsequently, the Utility and OPC entered into a Settlement Agreement which left the PAA Order rates in effect, and reinstated the original AFPI Charges. The Utility also agreed not to increase rates based upon the 2016 Price Index. The Settlement Agreement was approved by the Commission by Order No. PSC-16-0151-FOF-SU on April 18, 2016.

As a result of the settlement between the Utility and OPC, the rates currently in effect will remain unchanged.

This notice was prepared by the Utility and approved by the Commission Staff for distribution by the Utility to its customers.

If you have any questions about your bill, please contact the Utility at (800) 272- 1919.

Sincerely,

Utilities, Inc. of Florida