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DATE:

February 10, 2020

TO:

Adam Teitzman, Commission Clerk, Office of Commission Clerk

FROM:

Marissa Ramos, Public Utility Analyst III, Division of Economics

RE:

Docket No. 20180219-SU - Request for approval of amendment to tariff to charge

a standby charge to customers significantly impacted by Hurricane Michael in

Gulf County, by ESAD Enterprises, Inc. d/b/a Beaches Sewer System

Pursuant to Order No. PSC-2018-0595-TRF-SU, issued December 20, 2018, this docket shall remain open for Commission staff to reevaluate the continuance of the standby change in 2020. Beaches Sewer System (Beaches or utility) provided an updated customer count in response to staff's data request, dated January 28, 2020. The utility's updated customer count indicated that 34 customers are still billed the standby charge, which is not significantly different from when the above mentioned Order was issued December 20, 2018. Therefore, staff believes there is still a need for the standby charge and no additional action is needed at this time. Commission staff will continue to monitor the utility's Annual Reports to ensure the utility's earnings are within its authorized range. As a result, this docket should be closed administratively.

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