BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION and RESCHEDULED HEARING

TO

GULF POWER COMPANY

oFFICE OF PUBLIC COUNSEL

FEDERAL EXECUTIVE AGENCIES

AND

ALL OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

DOCKET NO. 20190038-EI

Petition for limited proceeding for recovery of incremental storm restoration costs related to Hurricane Michael, by Gulf Power Company.

ISSUED: August 31, 2020

 NOTICE is hereby given that the hearing originally scheduled to be held at the following time and place has been **CANCELLED**:

HEARING

Tuesday, September 1, 2020 immediately following the Commission Agenda Conference and the hearing in Docket Nos. 20200069-EI and 20200092-EI, scheduled to commence at 9:30 a.m.

 Hearing Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center

 4075 Esplanade Way

 Tallahassee, Florida

 NOTICE is hereby given that the Florida Public Service Commission that the hearing in the above referenced docket has been **RESCHEDULED** for the following time and place:

HEARING

Tuesday, September 15, 2020, at 9:30 a.m.

 Hearing Room 148, Betty Easley Conference Center

 4075 Esplanade Way

 Tallahassee, Florida

PURPOSE AND PROCEDURE:

 The purpose of this hearing is to consider the Joint Settlement Agreement filed by the Parties on August 26, 2020, in the petition of Gulf Power Company for recovery of expenses in its response to Hurricane Michael, and any motions or other matters that may be pending at the time of the hearing. The Commission may rule on any such motions from the bench or may take the matters under advisement.

 At the hearing beginning September 15, 2020, all parties shall be given the opportunity to present testimony concerning the terms of the Joint Settlement Agreement, and whether approval of the Joint Settlement Agreement is in the public interest.

State buildings are currently closed to the public and other restrictions on gatherings remain in place due to COVID-19. Accordingly, the hearing will be conducted remotely, and all parties and witnesses shall be prepared to present argument and testimony by communications media technology. The Public Service Commission shall act as the host of the hearing and will use a combination of technologies to ensure full participation. The Commission will employ GoToMeeting as an audio and video platform for the hearing, which will include a telephone number for audio-only participation.

A GoToMeeting invitation shall be provided to counsel for each party. It shall be the responsibility of counsel to provide their clients, client representatives, and witnesses with the invitation, which will allow them to access the hearing. Counsel for each party will also be provided the call-in number for audio participation.

JURISDICTION

This hearing will be governed by Chapter 366 in addition to Chapter 120, Florida Statutes, and Rules 25-22 and 28-106, Florida Administrative Code.

SPECIAL COVID-19 CONSIDERATIONS

As the Governor of the State of Florida has declared a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 Pandemic, the Commission must limit the manner in which the public may participate or view the prehearing conference and hearing. As always, the public may view a live stream of the prehearing conference and hearing online using the link available at <http://www.floridapsc.com/Conferences/AudioVideoEventCoverage>. Upon completion of the hearing, the archived video will also be available. Due to these extraordinary circumstances, however, no member of the public may attend in person.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate at this proceeding should contact the Office of Commission Clerk no later than fivedays prior to the hearing at 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850 or 850-413-6770 (Florida Relay Service, 1-800-955-8770 Voice or 1-800-955-8771 TDD).

EMERGENCY CANCELLATION OF PROCEEDINGS

If a named storm or other disaster requires cancellation of the proceedings, Commission staff will attempt to give timely direct notice to the parties. Notice of cancellation will also be provided on the Commission’s website (http://www.floridapsc.com) under the Hot Topics link found on the home page. Cancellation can also be confirmed by calling the Office of the General Counsel at 850-413-6199.

 By DIRECTION of the Florida Public Service Commission this 31st day of August, 2020.

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|  | /s/ Adam J. Teitzman |
|  | ADAM J. TEITZMANCommission Clerk |

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