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October 7, 2020

Adam J. Teitzman, Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 20200004-EG

Conservation Cost Recovery for period ending December 31, 2021

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Attached for electronic filing in the above referenced docket is St Joe Natural Gas Company's Prehearing Statement.

Sincerely,

Debbie Stitt

**Energy Conservation Analyst** 

#### BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Conservation Cost	)	Docket No. 20200004-GU
Recovery Clause	)	Submitted for Filing
	)	October 7, 2020

# ST. JOE NATURAL GAS COMPANY'S PREHEARING STATEMENT

St. Joe Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("SJNG") by and through its undersigned officer, hereby submits its Prehearing Statements for the hearing scheduled to commence in the proceeding November 3, 2020.

## A. Witness that may be called:

None, Debbie Stitt has substituted prepared testimony which should be inserted into the record as if read.

#### B. Additional Exhibits:

Exhibit#DKS-1 – Schedules CT-1, CT-2, CT-3, CT-4, and CT-5 Exhibit#DKS-2 - Schedules C1, C2, C3, and C4.

### C. Statement of Basic Position:

The Commission should approve the final adjusted net true-up amount for the twelve- month period ending December 31, 2020 including interest, the projected conservation program expenses for the twelve-month period ending Dec 31, 2021 and the Conservation Cost Recovery Factors to be applied to customer bills rendered for the twelve-month period ending December 31, 2021 as filed by SJNG.

#### D. SJNG's position on each issue:

**ISSUE 1.** What are the final conservation cost recovery adjustment true-up amounts for the period January **2019** through December **2019**?

SJNG: An over-recovery of \$12,036.

**ISSUE 2.** What are the appropriate conservation adjustment actual/estimated trueup amounts for the period January through December **2020**?

**SJNG:** Conservation adjustment actual/estimated true-up is \$118,560 under-recovery.

**ISSUE 3.** What are the appropriate total conservation adjustment true-up amounts to be collected/refunded from January through December **2021**?

**SJNG:** The total conservation adjustment true-up amount to be collected is \$106,524 under-recovery.

**ISSUE 4.** What is the total conservation cost recovery adjustment true-up amounts to be collected during the January through December **2021** period.

**SJNG:** The true-up amount to be collected is \$254,349 under-recovery.

**ISSUE 5.** What are the conservation cost recovery factors for the period January **2021** through December **2021**?

**SJNG:** The appropriate factors are:

RATE CLASS	RATE/\$PER THERM
RS-1	\$0.90626
RS-2	\$0.57353
RS-3	\$0.47108
GS-1	\$0.40182
GS-2	\$0.15167
GS-4/TS-4	\$0.12696

**ISSUE 6.** Should the Commission approve revised tariffs reflecting the natural gas conservation cost recovery amounts and establishing natural gas conservation cost recovery factors determined to be appropriate in this proceeding?

**SJNG:** Yes. The Commission should approve revised tariffs reflecting the new Conservation Cost Recovery charges determined to be appropriate in the proceeding.

**ISSUE 7.** What should be the effective date of the new conservation cost recovery factors for billing purposes?

**SJNG:** The effective date should be January 1, **2021**.

**ISSUE 8:** Should this docket be closed?

SJNG: Yes please

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#### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Prehearing Statement has been furnished by Electronic Mail to the following parties of record this 7<sup>th</sup> day of **October 2020**.

## Respectfully submitted, Andy Shoaf, V-President

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