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From: Jacob Veaughn on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Monday, November 23, 2020 7:49 PM
To: 'Todd G'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Comments for Docket 20200139-WS

Good Morning, Tobb Gable

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200176 and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

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From: Todd G <todd@gablefamily.us>
Sent: Wednesday, November 18, 2020 7:47 AM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Comments for Docket 20200139-WS

Good morning,

The fax line appears to be popular these days, and I wanted to be sure these comments got attached to Docket 20200139-WS.

If there are any questions or concerns please let me know.

Todd Gable

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"And those who were seen dancing were thought to be insane by those who could not hear the music." - Friedrich Nietzsche

Application for increase in water and wastewater rates in Charlotte, Highlands, Lake, Lee, Marion, Orange, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, and Seminole Counties by

Utilities, Inc. of Florida

DOCKET NO. 20200139 -WS

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CUSTOMER COMMENTS

Under Sanlando Utilities, the utility was making a profit with considerably lower rates. Since Utilities Inc. purchased the utility, rates have increased 430%. Seminole County customers are subsidizing less profitable South Florida customers, and Utilities Inc. wants to increase that ~~again~~ again?

Last year Utilities Inc. had a profit of \$8,911,541 which is a 24% profit margin. Per FL statute companies have to have a profit less than 13% to justify a rate increase. Given their 430% rate increase and 24% profitability, how can they legally justify further increases in Seminole County?

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