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To:

'Candyce Cohen' Consumer Contact

Cc: Subject:

RE: Docket #20200226-SU and Commenters outside the Criteria in Florida

Administrative Code R 25-30.033(1)(k)(2)

Good Afternoon, Candyce Cohen.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200226, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you!

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Subject: Docket #20200226-SU and Commenters outside the Criteria in Florida Administrative Code R 25-30.033(1)(k)(2)

SUBJECT: Docket #20200226-SU

March 16, 2022

Dear Commissioners Clark, LaRosa and Passidomo,

I have written previously to state my concerns about the Environmental Utilities LLC application and to request you DENY the application. In monitoring sentiment in docket number 20200226-SU to assess support and opposition, I wanted to share one more concern. The utility has a requirement to demonstrate a need for service by providing a copy of all requests for service from property owners or developers in areas not currently served. I would think non-residents and non-property owners are not impacted by the outrageous fees should be excluded as ineligible to comment either way as they do not meet the criteria defined in the Florida Administrative Code R 25-30.033(1)(k)(2).

Of 11 who corresponded in support of the EU application through March 15th:

5 are not residents in the affected area (living in other areas of Charlotte County or in Palm Island Resort serviced by Knight Island Utilities),

2 are not property-owners in the affected area and

7 originated from the same email address, <u>EU7770FFICES@GMAIL.COM</u> raising the question of authenticity of the communications as this is an email address operated by the applicant.

- Terri and William Woodworth are residents of Palm Island Resort and NOT A RESIDENT IN THE SERVICE AREA and even state "we are residents in the resort. Yes, we have a sewer system. Yes, it needs repair."
- Chuck Soderquist gives a POBox and phone number, but is NOT A RESIDENT IN THE SERVICE AREA. In fact, no Soderquist's are listed as currently owning property in the proposed service areas.
- Tammy ORourke states she is a resident of Charlotte County, but NOT A RESIDENT IN THE SERVICE AREA.
- Randy Levy gives a phone number and email but the island address provided is listed in the name of Petrina Iverson, who did
  not send in a letter to the PSC. He is NOT A PROPERTY OWNER at least at the island address provided.
- Stewart and Sharon Saad who do not provide an address nor phone nor an email address and whose email came from EU7770FFICES@GMAIL.COM (leaving it open for alteration by applicant)
- Brian Callahan who provides no address nor phone although there may be a valid email address in the body of the email which also came from <u>EU777OFFICES@GMAIL.COM</u> (leaving it open for alteration by applicant)
- Leslie Durrance who provides no address nor phone nor email address (no Durrance's are listed as owning property in the
  proposed service areas) and whose email also came from <a href="mailto:EU7770FFICES@GMAIL.COM"><u>EU7770FFICES@GMAIL.COM</u></a> (leaving it open for alteration by
  applicant)
- A later submission by Chad Durrance lists an island addresses and a phone number but his email also came from <u>EU7770FFICES@GMAIL.COM</u> (leaving it open for alteration by applicant)
- Courtney DeFilipis, Courtney Boyer DeFilipis, John and Diane Boyer's daughter, would be a beneficiary of EU LLC via
  inheritance, is a realtor who gives no address, is NOT A RESIDENT IN THE SERVICE AREA and whose email also came
  from <u>EU7770FFICES@GMAIL.COM</u> (leaving it open for alteration by applicant)
- Jonathan Wright the arborist is NOT A RESIDENT IN THE SERVICE AREA and whose email also came from EU7770FFICES@GMAIL.COM (leaving it open for alteration by applicant)
- Nick no last name given who lists an address of a home owned by the two EU LLC principals, John and Diane Boyer. He is
   NOT A PROPERTY OWNER in the service area and his email also came from <u>EU777OFFICES@GMAIL.COM</u> (leaving it open for alteration by applicant)

Please add some extra scrutiny to the public correspondence on the docket as electronic communications make these type of testimonials easy to thwart. This is one reason why there is no single "form letter" in opposition - as we all feel it important that the commission hear from the heart of the matter for our residents.

Thank you again for your time, attention and service to Floridians and please take the preponderance of evidence into consideration and DENY this application.

Very kind regards,

Candyce Cohen

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