

Zephyr Shores Property Owners Assoc.
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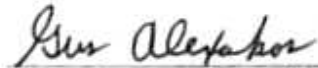
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Florida Public Service Commission,

At the Zephyr Shores Board of Directors Meeting of August 26, 1998, the Board voted in objection to any phone rate increase proposed by GTE. We are a mobile home park consisting of 210 homes owned entirely by senior citizens who are on fixed incomes. Needless to say, any increase in monthly utilities causes a terrible strain on their budgets. What a shame, when these folks are at a point in their lives where a telephone is not a luxury but indeed a necessity.

Please include this letter as part of the testimony

Sincerely,



Gus Alexakos - President

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