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cc. United Water Florida, Inc.
1400 Millcoe Rd.
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Jacksonville, FL 32239-8004

To whom it may concern,

It has come to my attention that United Water Florida, Inc. has applied to extend their water/sewer lines through my community. I STRONGLY object to the proposal that affected residences may have to tie into this line, whether we want to or not, at a cost well beyond the reach of most of us. I consider this an infringement of my personal liberty. This is a community of a few very wealthy people, but the vast majority of us are not wealthy at all, and the anticipated costs represent a huge percentage of the values of our properties. It is very unlikely that our property values will increase accordingly, and we are therefore very likely to incur financial loss as well as financial burden.

More than anything, I object to the underhand way in which these plans have been undertaken. They have obviously been in the air for sometime, yet affected residents were not informed. A tiny notice was placed very recently in The Fernandina Beach News Leader, but the language was totally meaningless to most people, and if it had not been for the eagle eye of an attorney living amongst us, would have passed unnoticed. Surely there is a moral, if not legal, responsibility, to inform ALL parties likely to be affected, directly and in a manner they will understand and be able to respond to? One can only deduce that it was not the intention to provide opportunity for response!

APP I have also been informed that the proposed pump system is inefficient, prone to frequent
CAF ~~breakdown~~ and repair, and costly to run. Our present septic systems are efficient and cost
CMP ~~effective~~. Unless financial help and incentives are offered, we are unlikely to be able to afford, or
COM ~~be~~ willing, to replace them with the proposed alternative.
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