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Public Service Commission

October 21, 2015

Mr. Troy Rendell
The Woods Utility Company
4939 Cross Bayou Boulevard
New Port Richey, FL 34652

Re: Docket No. 150209-WS- Application for staff-assisted rate case in Sumter County by The Woods Utility Company

Dear Mr. Rendell:

We have determined eligibility for staff assistance in the above referenced case filed by The Woods Utility Company (The Woods or utility). We find that the utility is eligible for the staff-assisted rate case (SARC) filing.

Staff has determined the filing fee in this rate case is \$400. The fee is based on the capacity of the utility's system as provided by Section 367.145(2), Florida Statutes, (F.S.). The Commission received the utility's payment of \$400 on September 21, 2015. Per Rule 25-30.455(6), the official date of filing will be 30 days after the date of the written notification to the applicant of the Commission's official acceptance of the application. Therefore, the official filing date will November 20, 2015.

Section 367.091(2), F.S., provides:

Upon filing an application for new rates, the utility shall mail a copy of the application to the chief executive officer of the governing body of each county within the service areas included in the rate request. The governing body may petition the Commission for leave to intervene in the rate change proceeding and the Commission shall grant intervener status to any governing body that files a petition.

The Commission received confirmation on September 21, 2015 that a copy of The Wood's application for a SARC was sent to the County Manager of Sumter County as required by law.

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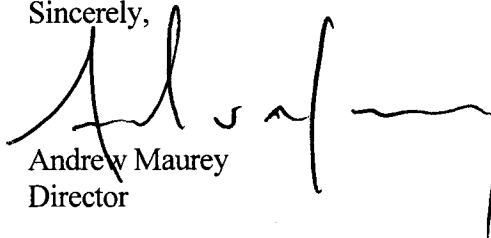
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Members of the Commission staff will contact you to schedule a convenient time for examination of the utility's books, records, and physical plant. If you have any questions regarding the rate proceeding, please call Amber Norris at (850) 413-6984.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew Maurey', written in a cursive style.

Andrew Maurey
Director

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