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## VIA E-PORTAL

Mr. Adam Teitzman Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Re: Docket No. 20250004-GU - Natural Gas Conservation Cost Recovery

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Enclosed for electronic filing, please find Sebring Gas System, Inc.'s Petition for Approval of Conservation Cost Recovery Factors for 2026.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing. As always, please don't hesitate to let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

Beth Keating

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## BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Natural Gas Conservation Cost	)	Docket No. 20250004-GU
Recovery Clause	)	Filed: August 1, 2025
	)	

## PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF SEBRING GAS SYSTEM, INC.'S CONSERVATION COST RECOVERY FACTORS

Sebring Gas System, Inc. ("the Company"), through undersigned counsel and pursuant to the requirements of this docket, hereby petitions the Commission to accept this Petition as if timely filed and to approve its conservation cost recovery factors and amounts as identified herein for the period January 2026 through December 2026. In support hereof, the Company states:

1) The Company is a natural gas utility company within the jurisdiction of this Commission. Its exact name and principal business address are:

Sebring Gas System, Inc. 3515 U.S. Highway 27 South Sebring, FL 33870

2) The name and address of the person authorized to receive notices and communications with respect to this Petition are:

Beth Keating Gunster, Yoakley & Stewart, P.A. 215 South Monroe St., Suite 601 Tallahassee, FL 32301 Jerry H. Melendy Sebring Gas System, Inc. 3515 U.S. Highway 27 South Sebring, FL 33870

3) Pursuant to the requirements of this Docket, the Company is pre-filing the testimony of Jerry Melendy and the conservation cost recovery forms (Exhibit JHM-2) supplied by the Commission Staff in a manner consistent with the Commission Staff's instructions. The Company is also providing a revised Exhibit JHM-1.

- 4) As indicated in the pre-filed forms, the recoverable conservation costs for the period January 2026 through December 2026 are projected to be \$45,695. The estimated conservation costs recovery true-up amount for the period January 2025 through December 2025 is an underrecovery of \$2,500.
- 5) The resulting net total projected conservation costs to be recovered for the period January 2026 through December 2026 are \$48,195, which represents projected costs of \$45,695 plus the estimated prior period under-recovery. Based upon projected sales, the appropriate conservation cost recovery factors to be applied on a per therm basis for the period January 2026 through December 2026 are as follows:

TS-1	\$0.15845
TS-2	\$0.07183
TS-3	\$0.04550
TS-4	\$0.04041

WHEREFORE, Sebring Gas System, Inc. respectfully requests that this Commission approve the foregoing conservation cost recovery factors to be applied to customer bills for the period January 2026 through December 2026 and to billings thereafter until other conservation costs recovery factors are approved by the Commission.

DATED this 1st day of August 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petition have been furnished by Electronic Mail to the following parties of record this 1st day of August, 2025:

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