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**Florida Public Service Commission**  
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**Re: Request for Public Town Hall Meeting – Docket No. 20260031-WS**

Dear Commissioners:

I am writing to respectfully request the Florida Public Service Commission's assistance in encouraging or facilitating a public town hall meeting in connection with Sunshine Water Services Company's petition filed on February 27, 2026, under Docket No. 20260031-WS.

This petition, which seeks to establish the rate base value for the acquisition of Placid Lakes Utility, Inc., may have a direct impact on the utility rates paid by residents of the Placid Lakes community. As such, it is important that customers are provided with a meaningful opportunity to receive information, ask questions, and engage in dialogue regarding the filing and its potential implications.

We respectfully request that a public town hall meeting be held locally at the Placid Lakes Community Center to ensure accessibility for affected residents. Such a meeting would greatly enhance transparency and public participation in this process.

We appreciate the Commission's role in protecting the public interest and ensuring fair and reasonable utility practices, and we thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

  
David B. Shuman

Treasurer, Placid Lakes Home and Property Owners Association

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**Sunshine Water Services Company**  
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**Re: Request for Public Town Hall Meeting – Docket No. 20260031-WS**

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am writing on behalf of residents of the Placid Lakes community to respectfully request that Sunshine Water Services Company conduct a public town hall meeting regarding its petition filed on February 27, 2026, with the Florida Public Service Commission, identified as Docket No. 20260031-WS. This petition seeks to establish the rate base value associated with the acquisition of Placid Lakes Utility, Inc.

Given the potential impact that this proceeding may have on current and future water and wastewater rates, it is important that affected customers are provided with clear, transparent, and accessible information. A public town hall meeting would allow residents the opportunity to better understand the petition, including the methodology used in determining rate base, as well as any anticipated effects on customer billing and service.

Accordingly, we respectfully request that Sunshine Water Services Company schedule a town hall meeting to be held at the Placid Lakes Community Center, which offers a convenient and appropriate venue for community participation. We also request that adequate public notice be

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