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From: Tristan Davis on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Monday, July 13, 2026 8:22 AM
To: Angel SACCO
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Opposition to Proposed Buttonwood Bay Utilities Rate Increase (Docket No. 20250122-WS)

Good Morning,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20250122, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance.

Thank you!

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Florida Public Service Commission

Re: Docket No. 20250122-WS – Proposed Buttonwood Bay Utilities Rate Increase

To the Commissioners:

My name is Angel Huff, and I am a resident of Buttonwood Bay. I am writing to express my strong opposition to the proposed water and wastewater rate increase requested by Buttonwood Bay Utilities.

The proposed increase would place a significant burden on residents, many of whom are retirees living on fixed incomes. A dramatic increase in utility costs is difficult to absorb when household budgets are already stretched by rising insurance, food, medical, and other living expenses. We moved to Buttonwood Bay to downsize our expenses so that we could retire. An increase like this will cause us to re-evaluate and possibly relocate to another, more affordable 55+ community.

I am concerned that customers are being asked to bear substantial additional costs without a clear demonstration of corresponding improvements in service or infrastructure. Before approving increases of this magnitude, I respectfully ask the Commission to closely examine the utility's operating expenses, management decisions, efficiencies, and alternatives that could reduce the impact on customers.

The proposed increase for a typical customer is substantial and would create real hardship for many residents in our community. If the Commission determines that some increase is necessary, I urge you to consider a much smaller increase phased in over time rather than approving the request as proposed.

I respectfully request that the Florida Public Service Commission deny the proposed increase or significantly reduce it to better protect the residents who depend on these essential services.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Angel Huff
Buttonwood Bay Resident