BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for continuation of gross-up of contributions-in-aid-of-construction in Duval County by SAN PABLO UTILITIES CORPORATION

DOCKET NO. 901019-WS ORDER NO. PSC-92-1290-FOF-WS ISSUED: 11/10/92

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

SUSAN F. CLARK
J. TERRY DEASON
BETTY EASLEY
LUIS J. LAUREDO

ORDER GRANTING ADDITIONAL TIME TO COMPLETE REFUND

BY THE COMMISSION:

By Order No. PSC-92-0117-FOF-WS, issued March 30, 1992, this Commission required Jacksonville Suburban Utilities, Inc. (Jacksonville Suburban or utility) to refund contributions-in-aid-of-construction gross-up monies and interest to contributors on a pro rata basis for the years ended 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990 and 1991. The refund was to have been completed by September 30, 1992.

By letter dated September 30, 1992, Jacksonville Suburban requested thirty one additional days to complete the distribution of the refunds. In the letter, the utility explained that six refund checks have been delivered and another six potential recipients have contacted the utility regarding the required documentation for receiving a refund. The letter further states that the utility is attempting to contact eight remaining recipients whose notices were returned undelivered. The amount of unclaimed refunds relating to the eight potential recipients is approximately \$22,180.

Based on the foregoing, we find it appropriate to grant the utility's request for an additional thirty one days, until October 31, 1992, within which to complete the required refund. Within thirty days from the completion of the refund, the utility shall submit copies of cancelled checks, credits applied to monthly bills, or other evidence which verifies that the refunds have been made. In addition, the utility shall identify the amount of any unclaimed refunds along with evidence of its attempts to locate the parties entitled to the unclaimed refunds. Also, after final

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verification of the refund by the Commission staff, any unclaimed refunds shall be treated as cash contributions-in-aid-of-construction by the utility.

The provisions of Order No. PSC-92-0117-FOF-WS are hereby affirmed in all respects, except for the time within which the utility shall complete the refund.

This docket shall remain open for verification of the completion of the refund. Upon verification of the refund, this docket may be closed administratively.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the request by Jacksonville Suburban Utilities Corporation for an additional thirty one days, until October 31, 1992, within which to complete the refund required by Order No. PSC-92-0117-FOF-WS is hereby granted. It is further

ORDERED that the provisions of Order No. PSC-92-0117-FOF-WS are hereby affirmed in all respects, except as described in the body of this order. It is further

ORDERED that within thirty days from the completion of the refund, Jacksonville Suburban Utilities Corporation shall submit copies of cancelled checks, credits applied to monthly bills, or other evidence which verifies that the refunds have been made. In addition, Jacksonville Suburban Utilities Corporation shall identify the amount of any unclaimed refunds along with evidence of its attempts to locate the parties entitled to the unclaimed refunds. It is further

ORDERED that after final verification of the refund by the Commission staff, any unclaimed refunds shall be treated as cash contributions-in-aid-of-construction by the utility. It is further

ORDERED that upon verification that the refund has been completed, this docket may be closed administratively.