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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ann Cole, Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard
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Re: PSC Docket 070109-WS; In re Application for amendment of Certificates 611-W and 527-S to extend water and wastewater service areas to include certain land in Charlotte County

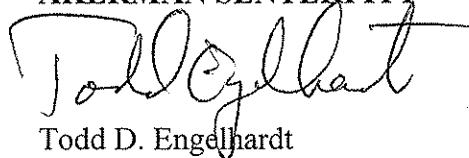
Dear Ms. Cole:

Attached to this letter and electronic filing please find Charlotte County's Request for Oral Argument. The Request relates to the Motion for Summary Final Order or Relinquishment of Jurisdiction which has been filed concurrently this day under separate cover.

Thank you for your assistance with this filing, and please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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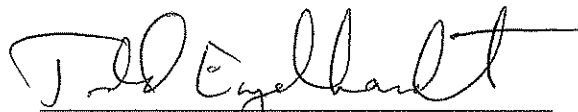
**BEFORE THE
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In re: Application for amendment of Certificates 611-W and 527-S to extend water and wastewater service areas to include certain land in Charlotte County by Sun River Utilities, Inc. (f/k/a MSM Utilities, LLC).		Docket No. 070109-WS Filed: October 9, 2007
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REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Comes Now Charlotte County, by and through its undersigned counsel, to respectfully request that the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") receive oral argument, in accordance with Rule 25-22.0022, Florida Administrative Code, on the accompanying Motion for Summary Final Order or Relinquishment of Jurisdiction. Oral argument would aid the Commission in its determination of this dispositive motion because it would allow the parties to address in more detail the Commission's jurisdiction, and to discuss the Commission's role when a petition is brought which is inconsistent with the DCA-approved local comprehensive plan. The impacts of the Commission's decision are substantial, not only for the parties involved, but for future litigants facing the same or similar situations. Oral argument would promote a full and open discussion of the matter. As such, Charlotte County asks that oral argument be had with regard to its Motion.

Respectfully submitted this 9th day of October, 2007.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of Charlotte County's Motion For Summary Final Order Or Relinquishment Of Jurisdiction has been furnished by U.S. Mail to the following on the 9th day of October 2007:

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