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March 6, 2008

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Ann Cole, Commission Clerk Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399

RE: Docket No. 080024-WS; Continental Utility, Inc.'s Application for Limited Proceeding

Wastewater Rate Increase in Sumter County, Florida

Our File No. 42060.01

Dear Ms. Cole:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket is the original and twelve (12) copies of the Notice of Filing the Affidavit of Publication which evidences the Notice of Application was published in a newspaper of general circulation in Sumter County, Florida.

Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to give me

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application of CONTINENTAL UTILITY, INC., for a limited proceeding to increase wastewater rates in Sumter County, Florida

DOCKET NO. 080024-WS

NOTICE OF FILING

Applicant, CONTINENTAL UTILITY, INC., by and through its undersigned attorneys, hereby gives notice of filing in the above-referenced docket the Affidavit of Publication, evidencing that the Notice of Application was published in a newspaper of general.

Respectfully submitted this $\frac{1}{2}$ day of March, 2008, by:

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SUMTER COUNTY TIMES

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Before the undersigned authority personally appeared

Mary Ann Naczi

Of the Sumter County Times, a newspaper published weekly at Bushnell, in Sumter County, Florida, that the attached copy of advertisement being a public notice in the matter of the

657-0228 SCT Notice of Application PSC #080024-WS PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF APPLICATION Continental Utility, Inc. PSC Docket No. 080024-WS Date Issued: February 28, 2008 Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Rule 25-22.0407, Florida Administrative Code, that

Court, was published in said newspaper in the issues of February 28th, 2008,

Affiant further says that the Sumter County Times is a Newspaper published at Bushnell in said Sumter County, Florida, and that the said newspaper has heretofore been continuously published in Sumter County, Florida, each week and has been entered as second class mail matter at the post office in Bushnell in said Sumter County, Florida, for a period of one year next preceding the first publication of the attached copy of advertisement; and affiant further says that he/she has neither paid nor promised any person, firm or corporation my discount, rebate, commission or refund for the purpose of securing this advertisement for publication in the said newspaper.

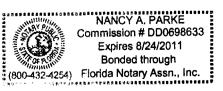
The forgoing instrument was acknowledged before me

This 2.84h day of Lebruary 2008

By: Mary Ann Naczi

who is personally known to me and who did take an oath.

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Notice of Application PSC #080024-WS
PUBLIC NOTICE
NOTICE OF APPLICATION
Continental Utility, Inc.
PSC Docket No. 080024-WS

Date Issued: February 28, 2008

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Rule 25-22.0407, Florida Administrative Code, that Continental Utility, inc. has filed a petition for a wastewater rate increase with the Florida Public Service Commission and the official date of filing for that Petition has now been established as January 7, 2008. The general reason for the requested increase is to allow the Utility to be given an apportunity to recover the cost of its upgrades and improvements to the wastewater system lift stations.

Coples of the petition, and minimum filing requirements are available for inspection during normal office

Continental Utility, Inc. 50 Continental Boulevard Wildwood, FL 34785

Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The initial tentative schedule established for the case is as follows:

Schedule Item
Customer Meeting
Staff Recommendation
Agenda Conférence
Proposed Agency Action
Order Issued
Order Issued
May
Totest Period Expires
June

<u>Due Dates</u>
March 13, 2008
April 24, 2008
May 6, 2008
May 27, 2008
June 17, 2008

Listed below are the Utility's present and proposed wastewater rates. There is no proposed change in water rates.

SCHEDULE OF PRESENT Class/Meter Size	T AND PROPOSED Present Rates	RATES Proposed Rates
Residential Base facility Charge Gallonage Charge	\$8.06	\$9.76
(per 1,000 gallons) (Maximum 6,000 gallons)	\$2.44	\$2.95
General Service and Mutti- Base Facility Charges: 5/8" x 3/4" 1" 1-1/2" 2" 3" 4" 6" Gallonage Charge	S8.06 \$20.15 \$40.30 \$64.48 \$128.95 \$201.50 \$403.00	\$9.76 \$24.40 \$48.80 \$78.07 \$156.13 \$243.98 \$487.95
(per 1,000 gallons)	\$2.92	\$3.54

Any person who wishes to comment or provide information to Commission staff may do so at the meetings, either orally or in writing. Other written comments regarding the Utility and the proposed rates, or requests to be placed on the mailing list for this case, may be directed to this address:

Florida Public Service Commission Office of the Commission Clerk 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0870

A courtesy copy of written comments and complaints may be mailed to the following:

Martin S. Friedman, Esquire Rose, Sundstrom & Bentley, LLP Sanlando Center 2180 W. State Road 434, Suite 2118 Longwood, Florida 32779

All correspondence should refer to "Docket No. 080024-WS, Continental Utility, Inc.". Your letter will placed in the correspondence file of this docket. You may also submit comments through the Florida Public Service Commission's toll-free facsimile line at 1-800-511-0809, or the Commission's website avoillable http://floridapsc.com/consumers/complaint/index.cfm.

If you wish to contact the Florida Public Service Commission regarding complaints about service, you, may call the Commission's Division-of Regulatory Compleance and Consumer Assistance at the following toll-free number 1-800-342-3552.

This notice was prepared by the Utility and approved by Commission staff for distribution by the Utility to its customers.

Published one (1) time in the Sumter County Times on February 28, 2008.