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June 14, 2011

Utility Corporation of Florida, Inc. Attn: Ms. Lois Schlabach 200 Healthy Way Sebring, Fl 33876-7608

Re: Docket No. 110165-SU - Application for staff-assisted rate case in Highlands County by Utility Corporation of Florida, Inc.

Dear Ms. Schlabach:

We have determined eligibility for staff assistance in the above referenced case filed by Utility Corporation of Florida, Inc. (Utility Corporation or Utility). We find that the Utility is eligible for the staff assisted rate case (SARC) filing.

The staff engineer has determined the filing fee in this rate case is \$1,000. The fee is based on the capacity of the Utility's systems as provided by Section 367.145(2) of the Florida Statutes. The filing fees must be received by July 14, 2011, which is the official filing date for this rate case.

Section 367.091(2), Florida Statutes, provides:

Upon filing an application for new rates, the utility shall mail a copy of the application to the chief executive officer of the governing body of each county within the service areas included in the rate request. The governing body may petition the commission for leave to intervene in the rate change proceeding and the commission shall grant intervenor status to any governing body that files a petition.

Please forward a copy of Utility Corporation's application for a SARC to the Chief Executive Officer of Highlands County as required by law, and copy the Commission as proof that an application was forwarded to them.

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Members of Commission staff will contact you to schedule a convenient time for examination of the Utility's books, records and physical plant. If you have any questions regarding the rate proceeding, please call Shannon Hudson at (850) 413-7021.

Sincerely,

Marshall Willis Marshall Willis

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cc: Division of Economic Regulation (Maurey, Daniel, Fletcher, Hudson, Simpson)

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