## **VOTE SHEET**

## **December 10, 2012**

**Docket No. 120157-WS** – Request by Aqua Utilities Florida, Inc. to establish residential wastewater only rates.

**Issue 1:** Should AUF's request for RWO rates applicable to all systems within each of the two residential wastewater rate bands be approved, and, if so, should AUF's proposed tariff sheets reflecting the requested RWO rates be approved?

Recommendation: Yes, AUF's request for RWO rates applicable to all systems within each residential wastewater rate band should be approved. However, AUF's proposed tariff sheets should not be approved as filed. The appropriate RWO rate is \$44.40 for rate band one, and \$61.84 for rate band 2. The Utility should be required to file revised tariff sheets reflecting the Commission's approved rates. Provided the affected customers have received proper notice, the approved rates should be effective for service rendered on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff sheets, pursuant to Rule 25-30.475(1), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). The Utility should provide proof to staff of the date notice was given within 10 days after the date of the notice.

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**COMMISSIONERS** 

All Commissioners

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**Issue 2:** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** Yes. If Issue 1 is approved, the tariffs should become effective on or after the stamped approval date on the tariff sheets, in accordance with Rule 25-30.475, F.A.C. If a protest is filed within 21 days of the issuance of the Order, the tariff should remain in effect, with all residential wastewater only charges held subject to refund pending resolution of the protest. If no timely protest is filed, this docket should be closed.

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