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## **Public Service Commission**

July 21, 2017

VIA EMAIL & US MAIL

Mr. Robert McBride, President FIMC Hideaway, Inc. 3300 N.W. 28nd Place Gainesville, FL 32605 jandrmcbride@cox.net

Re: Docket 20170147-WS-Application for staff-assisted rate case in Levy County by FIMC Hideaway, Inc. - Filing Fee.

Dear Mr. McBride:

Staff has completed its review and has determined that FIMC Hideaway, Inc. (FIMC or Utility) is eligible for a staff-assisted rate case (SARC). The filing fee in this rate case is \$1,500 (\$1,000 for water and \$500 for wastewater). The fee is based on the capacity of the Utility's systems as provided by Section 367.145(2), Florida Statues (F.S.). The filing fees must be received by August 21, 2017, which will be the official filing date for this rate case.

Pursuant to Rule 25-30.455(9), Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), the Commission will deny the application if a utility does not remit the fee within 30 days after official acceptance, as provided by Section 367.145, F.S., and paragraph 25-30.020(2)(f), F.A.C. Please forward a copy of FIMC's application for a SARC to the Chief Executive Officer of Levy County. This is required by Section 367.091(2), F.S., which states; 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 area 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 intervener status to any governing body that files a petition.

Please file an affidavit stating that this requirement has been fulfilled. The affidavit and filing fee should be sent to the address below:

The Office of Commission Clerk 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850 Mr. McBride Page 2 July 21, 2017

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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 proceeding, please contact Matthew Sibley at (850) 413-6516 or Shannon Hudson (850) 413-7021.

Sincerely,

Greg Shafer Director

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cc: Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 20170147-WS)