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Public Service Commission

June 14, 2019

Mr. Gary Deremer, President
Merritt Island Utility Company, Inc.
4939 Cross Bayou Blvd.
New Port Richey, Florida 34652

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Re: Docket No. 20190116-SU – Application for staff-assisted rate case in Brevard County and request for interim rate increase by Merritt Island Utility Company.

Dear Mr. Deremer:

Staff has completed its review and has determined that Merritt Island Utility Company, Inc. (Merritt Island or Utility) is eligible for the staff-assisted rate case (SARC) filing. Engineering staff has determined the filing fee in this rate case is \$1,000. The fee is based on the capacity of the Utility's system as provided by Section 367.145(2), Florida Statutes (F.S.). The Commission received the Utility's payment of \$1,000 on May 16, 2019. The official filing date for this rate case is July 15, 2019.

Please forward a copy of Merritt Island's application for a SARC to the Chief Executive Officer of Brevard County as 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 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 intervener status to any governing body that files a petition.

Please file an affidavit stating that this requirement has been fulfilled. The affidavit should be sent to the address below. Please include the docket number (20190116-SU) on all filings with the Commission Clerk.

Office of Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
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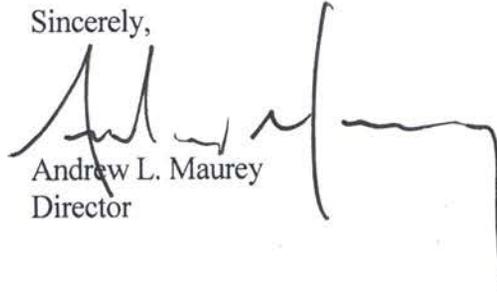
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Members of the Commission staff will contact you to schedule a convenient time for examination of the Utility's books, records and physical plant. If you have any questions regarding the rate proceeding, please call Martha Golden at (850) 413-7015 or Kordell Wilson at (850) 413-6447.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew L. Maurey', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Andrew L. Maurey
Director

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cc: Mr. Troy Rendell, Vice President – Investor Owned Utilities, U.S. Water
Office of the Commission Clerk (Docket No. 20190116-SU)