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Re: Docket No. 010503-WU

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the original and 15 copies of the Petition for Intervention by Mike Fasano.

Please indicate the time and date of receipt on the enclosed duplicate of this letter.

Sincerely,

Stephen C. Burgess,
Deputy Public Counsel

SCB:bsr

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for increase)
in water rates for Seven Springs)
System in Pasco County by Aloha)
Utilities, Inc.)
_____)

DOCKET NO. 010503-WU
DATE: December 17, 2001

PETITION FOR INTERVENTION BY MIKE FASANO

Mike Fasano (Petitioner), pursuant to Chapter 120 and Chapter 367, Florida Statutes (2001), and Rule 25-22.039, Florida Administrative Code, hereby petitions for leave to intervene in the above-referenced docket. Petitioner submits:

1. The name of the commission is the Florida Public Service Commission. The Commission's docket number is 010503-WU.

2. The Petitioner is Mike Fasano: his address is 8217 Massachusetts Avenue, New Port Richey, Florida 34653; telephone (727) 485-5885; the Petitioner's substantial interests are affected because, he is a customer of Aloha Utilities, Inc. (Aloha), a regulated investor-owned water and wastewater utility under the jurisdiction of the Commission; the exclusive jurisdiction to establish Aloha's rates rests with the Commission; the Commission has exclusive jurisdiction to determine what impact, if any, the quality and value of service provided by Aloha has on the established rates; the Petitioner must pay the rates that are established by the Commission for Aloha; Aloha is the sole utility authorized by the Commission to provide water and wastewater service in the territory that includes the Petitioner's residence; and there are no options available to Petitioner to obtain water service from any utility other than Aloha.

3. The disputed issues of material fact will manifest as the parties pursue discovery and other investigation of the application filed by Aloha Utilities, Inc. At this point, however, the

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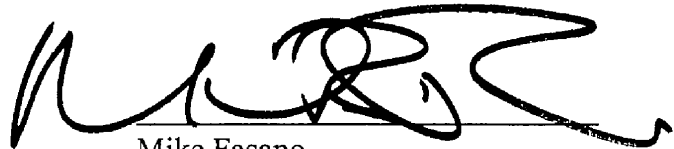
Petitioner says that: Aloha's quality of service is unsatisfactory; Aloha's value of service does not support existing rates; Petitioner is not aware of other specific disputed issues of material fact.

4. The Petitioner will allege the ultimate facts at the proper point in the procedure of this case. The rates authorized by the Commission for Aloha must be just, reasonable, compensatory, and not unfairly discriminatory. The Commission must consider the value and quality of the service and the cost of providing the service when establishing rates for Aloha.

5. The Petitioner demands that the Commission establish rates for Aloha that are commensurate with the quality and value of service.

Wherefore, Petitioner petitions for intervention in this proceeding and demands the relief identified in the body of this petition, and petitions for such other relief as may be appropriate in the premises.

Respectfully submitted,

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Customer of Aloha Utilities, Inc.

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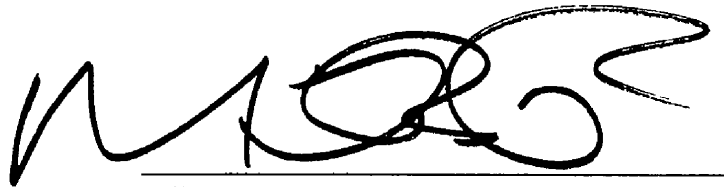
I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and exact copy of the above and foregoing PETITION FOR INTERVENTION BY MIKE FASANO has been furnished by U.S. Mail to the following parties of record this 17 day of December, 2001.

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Mike Fasano