BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Request for acknowledgement) DOCKET NO. 881566-WS of sale of Meadowbrook Utility Systems,)
Inc. to Palm Beach County and) ORDER NO. 23876 cancellation of Certificates Nos. 21-W) and 18-S. | ISSUED: 12-13-90

ORDER ACKNOWLEDGING SALE, CANCELLING CERTIFICATES AND CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

On December 8, 1988, Meadowbrook Utility Systems, Inc. (Meadowbrook or Utility) filed an application with this Commission for acknowledgment of the sale of Meadowbrook to Palm Beach County on December 9, 1988. All existing customer deposits were transferred to the County on the closing date.

There are no dockets pending involving this system. However, Meadowbrook has requested a refund of regulatory assessments fees because of refunds ordered by the Commission in Docket No. 850062-WS. Order No. 17304, issued March 19, 1987, reduced Meadowbrook's rates and ordered it to refund excessive water revenues collected. Meadowbrook paid regulatory assessment fees on the higher revenues. Order No. 23396, issued on August 23, 1990, indicated that all refunds have been made and closed Docket No. 850062-WS. Therefore, Meadowbrook is due a refund of regulatory assessment fees in the amount of \$5,924.52. The refund is being processed at this time.

The provisions of Section 367.071, Florida Statutes, require an application for approval of sales of water and/or sewer utilities to governmental agencies, although such sales are approved as a matter of right. Subsection 367.022(2), Florida Statutes, exempts from regulation by the Commission systems owned, operated, managed or controlled by governmental agencies.

On the basis of the foregoing, we have determined that the sale of Meadowbrook to Palm Beach County should be acknowledged and Certificates Nos. 21-W and 18-S should be cancelled. It is, therefore,

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the sale of Meadowbrook Utility Systems, Inc., 4360 Northlake Boulevard, Suite 205, Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, to Palm Beach County,

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Courthouse, Post Office Box 16097, West Palm Beach, Florida 33406, is hereby acknowledged. It is further

ORDERED that Certificates Nos. 21-W and 18-S are hereby cancelled. The Utility is directed to return the Certificates to this Commission for cancellation within 20 days of the date of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that Docket No. 881566-WS is hereby closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 13th day of _____DECEMBER_______, ___1990_____.

STEVE TRIBBLE, Director Division of Records and Reporting

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.59(4), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Any party adversely affected by the Commission's final action in this matter may request: 1) reconsideration of the decision by filing a motion for reconsideration with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of

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this Order in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code; or 2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility or the First District Court of Appeals in the case of a water or sewer utility by filing a notice of appeal with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting and filing a copy of the notice of appeal and the filing fee with the appropriate court. This filing must be completed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of this Order, pursuant to Rule 9.110, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure. The notice of appeal must be in the form specified in Rule 9.900(a), Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.