

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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

DOCKET NO. 991643-SU
ORDER NO. PSC-00-1609-PCO-SU
ISSUED: September 8, 2000

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
MOTION TO EXTEND TIME FOR FILING PREHEARING STATEMENT

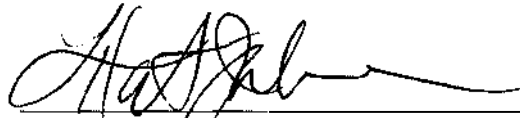
By Order No. PSC-00-1370-PCO-SU, issued July 31, 2000, prehearing statements were due to be filed on September 5, 2000. On September 7, 2000, Aloha Utilities, Inc. (Aloha or utility) filed its Stipulated Motion to Extend Time for Filing Prehearing Statements (Motion). Aloha states that the Motion is labeled as a stipulated motion because the only two parties in the case, the utility and the Office of Public Counsel (OPC), have stipulated to this request. In its Motion, Aloha states that OPC does not object to the extension of time for the filing of Aloha's Prehearing Statement until and including Friday, September 8, 2000, at noon, and that staff counsel reserved his position at this time.

Upon consideration, it appears that the parties have stipulated that Aloha's Prehearing Statement can be filed by no later than noon on September 8, 2000. Therefore, Aloha's Stipulated Motion to Extend Time for Filing Prehearing Statements is granted.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Commissioner Lila A. Jaber, as Prehearing Officer, that the Stipulated Motion to Extend Time for Filing Prehearing Statements filed by Aloha Utilities, Inc. is hereby granted.

By ORDER of Commissioner Lila A. Jaber as Prehearing Officer, this 8th day of September, 2000.



LILA A. JABER
Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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The Florida Public Service Commission is required by Section 120.569(1), 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.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by a Prehearing Officer; (2) reconsideration within 15 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code, if issued by the Commission; or (3) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas or telephone utility, or the First District Court of Appeal, in the case of a water or wastewater utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Director, Division of Records and Reporting, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.060, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.