

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re: Request of Lighthouse) DOCKET NO. 970186-WU
Utilities Company, Inc. to) ORDER NO. PSC-97-0515-FOF-WU
Correct Description of Territory) ISSUED: May 5, 1997
in Gulf County Granted by Order)
No. PSC-93-1612-FOF-WU.)
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The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

JULIA L. JOHNSON, Chairman
SUSAN F. CLARK
J. TERRY DEASON
JOE GARCIA
DIANE K. KIESLING

ORDER CORRECTING TERRITORY DESCRIPTION
AND CLOSING DOCKET

BY THE COMMISSION:

On July 19, 1993, this Commission issued Order No. PSC-93-1612-FOF-WU in Docket No. 930711-WU, amending Certificate No. 491-W held by Lighthouse Utilities Company, Inc. (Lighthouse) to include additional territory in Gulf County, Florida. Lighthouse has been providing service to the area since the issuance of that Order.

By letter dated February 6, 1997, Lighthouse advised this Commission that the territory description provided with its application in Docket No. 930711-WU and attached to Order No. PSC-93-1612-FOF-WU contained an error. The territory description indicated that Lighthouse was requesting to serve "Township 8 South, Range 11 West, Sections 19, 30 & 31 Entire Sections" instead of Township 8 South, Range 10 West, Sections 19, 30 & 31 Entire Sections." Unaware of the error, Lighthouse has been serving the correct territory since the amendment was granted in 1993. In its letter of February 6, 1997, Lighthouse requested that the description of the territory granted by Order No. PSC-93-1612-FOF-WU be corrected to reflect the territory Lighthouse is now serving.

As stated previously, Lighthouse has been serving the correct territory since 1993. The Commission has not received any complaints from the customers of the utility or other utilities, cities, or counties in the territory surrounding the area in question. Therefore, from our review of the original application

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in 930711-WU, and the information in Lighthouse's letter, we find that it is in the public interest to grant Lighthouse's request to correct the description of the territory granted by Order No. PSC-93-1612-FOF-WU. The territory description is, therefore, amended to reflect the territory shown on Attachment A of this Order, which by reference is incorporated herein.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that the request of Lighthouse Utilities Company, Inc., Post Office Box 428, Port St. Joe, Florida 32457, to correct the description of the territory granted by Order No. PSC-93-1612-FOF-WU is hereby granted. The territory description is hereby corrected to read as set forth on Attachment A of this Order. It is further

ORDERED that this Docket is hereby closed.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission, this 5th day of May, 1997.

BLANCA S. BAYÓ, Director
Division of Records and Reporting

by: Kay Jean
Chief, Bureau of Records

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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

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.

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, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850, within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of 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 Appeal in the case of a water and/or wastewater 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.

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ATTACHMENT A

LIGHTHOUSE UTILITIES COMPANY, INC.

TERRITORY DESCRIPTION - GULF COUNTY

(Order No. PSC-93-1612-FOF-WU - Corrected)

Township 8 South, Range 10 West

Sections 19, 30 & 31 Entire Sections

Township 8 South, Range 11 West

Section 25 Entire Section

Sections 35 & 36 Entire Sections

Township 9 South, Range 10 West

Section 14 Entire Section

Section 15 Entire Section less Indian Lagoon

Section 16 Entire Section

Section 17 Entire Section

Section 20 Entire Section less Indian Lagoon and the Gulf of Mexico

Section 21 Entire Section less Indian Lagoon and the Gulf of Mexico

Section 22 Entire Section less Indian Lagoon and the Gulf of Mexico

Township 9 South, Range 11 West

Section 1 Entire Section

Section 2 Entire Section less St. Joseph Bay