

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Application for transfer
of Certificates Nos. 361-W and
316-S in Citrus County from J &
J Water and Sewer Corporation to
Meadows Utility Company, Inc.

DOCKET NO. 951026-WS
ORDER NO. PSC-97-1305-PCO-WS
ISSUED: October 22, 1997

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO FILE POST-HEARING BRIEF

On October 16, 1997, Dennis and Brandi Jones filed a written request for an extension of time for the filing of their post-hearing brief. Although their written request did not specify a time period for the extension, Mr. and Mrs. Jones contacted staff counsel by phone and orally requested one week. Post-hearing briefs are due to be filed on October 24, 1997.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones state in their written request that they require this extension in order to obtain a copy of the hearing transcript for preparation of their brief. Mr. and Mrs. Jones further state that they would have obtained the transcript earlier, but were unaware that they were required to request the copy themselves. Finally, Mr. and Mrs. Jones state that they have contacted counsel for Meadows Utility Company, Inc., and that counsel does not object to the requested time extension.

Having reviewed the pleading, and recognizing that Mr. and Mrs. Jones are not represented by counsel, the request for extension of time to file post-hearing brief is hereby granted. All parties to this proceeding shall file post-hearing briefs no later than October 31, 1997.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by Commissioner Susan F. Clark, as Prehearing Officer, that the request for extension of time to file post-hearing brief filed by Dennis and Brandi Jones is granted. It is further

ORDERED that all parties to this proceeding shall file post-hearing briefs no later than October 31, 1997.

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By ORDER of Commissioner Susan F. Clark, as Prehearing Officer, this 22nd day of October, 1997.



SUSAN F. CLARK
Commissioner and Prehearing Officer

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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 this order, which is preliminary, procedural or intermediate in nature, may request: 1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.038(2), 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.