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Director
Division of Records and Reporting
Florida Public Service Commission
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Tallahassee, Florida, 32399-0870.

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Dear Commissioners:

I am a landowner in Marion County, Florida. Recently I was informed that Florida Water Services Inc. (WS) has submitted an application to amend its Marion Oaks water and wastewater service area that includes my land.

I have not been contacted by representatives of FWS nor I have I requested service from the utility and yet they are attempting to certificate my land. Futhermore, the Marion Oaks system has much higher user rates than other utilities in the County.

My reasons for not wanting to be included in this proposed certification include:

1. Present usage is approx 23,000 gal. per month and
2. Monthly bill is already barely affordable.
3. Any increase would cause financial hardship.
4. _____

ACK _____
 AFA _____
 APP _____ For these reasons I object to the proposed certification amendment to increase the
 CAF _____ Marion Oaks water and wastewater service area.

CMU _____ Very Truly Yours, MARTIN A. PINTO

CTR _____ *Martin A. Pinto*

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