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Florida Public Service Commission
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Attn: Director
Division of Records and Reporting

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Dear Sir:

In reference to the request by Florida Water for a doubling of their service area near Chuluota.

The supply from which Florida Water draws its water is the Floridan Aquifer. Studies performed for Seminole County and by the St. Johns River Water Management District have all shown an alarming intrusion of non-potable water westward from the St. Johns river. This intrusion has resulted from increased mining of the Aquifer to support growth in the Oviedo area.

While granting the request of Florida Water will not authorize increased housing density, it would make developer requests more likely to be favorably treated. The majority of the requested expansion is into areas designated by Seminole County as one dwelling per acre, or per five acres.

Homes built on one or five acres do not need central utility service-it probably would not be economical for the homeowner or the utility. This proposed expansion serves no need for additional water and sewer service. If granted, it would only increase the pressure of the Aquifer which supplies all of our homes.

I hope that you will deny this request.

Sincerely,
T C Chitty
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cc: Chairman Randy Harris
Commissioner Grant Maloy
Florida Water

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