

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

VOTE SHEET

OCTOBER 5, 1999

RE: DOCKET NO. 981779-WS - Application for authority to transfer facilities of J. Swiderski Utilities, Inc. and Certificate Nos. 371-S and 441-W in Lake County to AquaSource Utility, Inc.

Issue 1: Should J. Swiderski Utilities, Inc. be ordered to show cause, in writing within 20 days, why it should not be fined for violation of Section 367.071, Florida Statutes?

Recommendation: No. Show cause proceedings should not be initiated.

APPROVED

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: Full Commission

COMMISSIONERS' SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

S. L. Clark
Susan J. Clark
Joe Furman
J. Terry Dean

REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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Issue 2: Should the transfer of J. Swiderski Utilities, Inc. to AquaSource Utility, Inc be approved?

Recommendation: Yes, the transfer of JSUI to AquaSource Utility, Inc., should be approved.

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Issue 3: What is the rate base of J. Swiderski Utilities, Inc., operating systems in Lake county at the time of transfer?

Recommendation: The rate bases, as of January 31, 1999, which for transfer purposes reflect the net book value are: King's Cove water system \$37,401, wastewater system \$41,455; Summit Chase water system \$30,001, wastewater system \$56,956; Forty-Eight Estates water system \$13,315. The combined rate bases for all three systems are \$80,717 for the water division and \$98,411 for the wastewater division.

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Issue 4: Should an acquisition adjustment be approved?

Recommendation: No. A positive acquisition adjustment should not be included in the calculation of rate base for transfer purposes.

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Issue 5: Should the rates and charges approved for this utility be continued?

Recommendation: Yes, the rates and charges approved for J. Swiderski Utilities, Inc. should be continued. Staff will approve the tariff filing reflecting the change in ownership effective for services rendered or connections made on or after the stamped approval date.

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Issue 6: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: Yes. If no timely protest is received upon expiration of the protest period, the order should become final and effective upon issuance of a consummating order.

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