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November 12, 2009

Mr. Ray Eubanks
Department of Community Affairs
Division of Resource Planning and Management
2550 Shumard Oak Boulevard
Tallahassee, FL 32399-2100


Re: Docket No. 090459-WS; Application for original certificates for proposed water and wastewater system and request for initial rates and charges in Martin and St. Lucie Counties by Bluefield Utilities, LLC.

Dear Mr. Eubanks:

Enclosed is a copy of the application of Bluefield Utilities, LLC for original water and wastewater certificates in Martin and St. Lucie Counties. Pursuant to the Memorandum of Understanding between the Department of Community Affairs (DCA) and the Public Service Commission (PSC), the DCA has agreed to provide input on need for service and comprehensive plan consistency on applications for certificates filed with the PSC.

The staff requests that a response be received by December 7, 2009. Please note that the response should be addressed to the Office of Commission Clerk, Florida Public Service Commission, 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard, with the docket number highlighted for reference by the Commission. This application has been protested by Martin and St. Lucie Counties, Fort Pierce Utility Authority, and the City of Port St. Lucie. It is not known, yet, whether the matter will be set for hearing.

The staff at the Commission is looking forward to receiving the additional input from the DCA regarding this application. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact Robert Simpson at 413-7001.

Sincerely,

Patti Daniel
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