State of Florida Hublic Service Commission CAPITAL CIRCLE OFFICE CENTER • 2540 SHUMARD OAK BOULEVARD TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA 32399-0850 -M-E-M-O-R-A-N-D-U-M-11.000 5. 11/11 DATE: October 21, 2010 TO: Ann Cole, Commission Clerk - PSC, Office of Commission Clerk Mark Long, Chief Advisor to Commissioner Graham FROM: Communication Received in Docket No. 100149 - Application for Increase in RE: Water Rates in Lee County by Ni Florida, LLC.

This office has received the attached letter from Ms. Irene Krop regarding the above-noted docket.

The correspondence has not been viewed or considered in any way by Commissioner Graham. Under the terms of the advisory opinion from the Commission on Ethics (issued July 24, 1991 as CEO 91-31-July 19, 1991), the following letter does not constitute an <u>ex parte</u> communication by virtue of the fact that it was not shown to the Commissioner. Because it is not deemed to be an <u>ex parte</u> communication, it does not require dissemination to parties pursuant to the provisions of section 350.042, Florida Statutes. However, in such cases Commissioner Graham has requested that a copy of the correspondence be placed in the record of the above-referenced docket.

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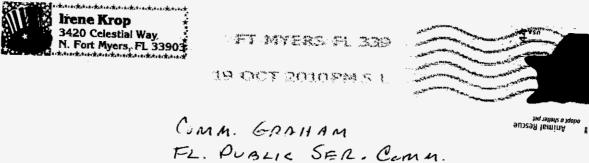
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COMMISSIONER GRAHAM:

- **i AM SURE YOU ARE AWARE THAT**
- 1 TAMIAMI VILLAGE IS A 55 PLUS COMMUNITY AND MOST RESIDENTS RELY ON SOCIAL SECURITY
- 2 FT MYERS WAS POSTED AS ONE OF THE LARGEST GAINS IN POVERTY.
- 3 MANY OF THE FT MYERS RESIDENTS LIVE BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL.
- 4 FT MYERS WAS RANKED AS 46TH IN THE COUNTRY.

IN CONCLUSION WOULDN'T IT BE WONDERFUL IF YOU, ART GRAHAM, HAD THE COURAGE TO STAND UP FOR THE PEOPLE INSTEAD OF BIG BUSINESS OR POLITICS.

> STILL HOPING IRENE KROP 3420 CELESTIAL WAY N FORT MYER, FL., 33903



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ATT: ART GRAHAM