

Lisa Smith

From: Hannah Barker
Sent: Monday, January 24, 2022 9:31 AM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Docket Correspondence
Attachments: Docket #20200226-SU; Support for Docket #20200226-SU; Fwd Failure Notice

Good morning,

Please place the attached emails in Docket No. 20200226.

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From: MICHELLE ZAKRAJSHEK <ROGERANDMICHELLE7@msn.com>
Sent: Monday, January 24, 2022 9:24 AM
To: Records Clerk; Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Passidomo;
Office of Commissioner Clark
Subject: Docket #20200226-SU

Hello we are Roger and Michelle Zakrajshek property owners at 430 Kettle Harbor Drive Placida Fl on Don Pedro Island.

I am emailing you to object to EU's proposal for central sewer on Don Pedro Island and request you deny the application for wastewater.

There is no need for new service. What we have on the island is working and there have been no studies done stating that the current septic systems are harming the environment. Most people on the island do not want more development which would come with more people and more pollution problems as well. Existing habitat will be destroyed which as well brings up a huge environmental concerns on an island with already fragile ecosystems.

We do not believe the applicant has the financial ability to perform the work. Nor do they have the technical ability to perform the work.

Also the rates that were proposed were not fair and equitable. Also there are hidden costs that have not been discussed.

Thanks,

Roger and Michelle Zakrajshek
430 Kettle Harbor Drive
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From: Linda Soderquist <linist@hotmail.com>
Sent: Monday, January 24, 2022 9:14 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Clark
Subject: Support for Docket #20200226-SU

I want to express my support for the proposed central sewer system for the barrier islands (Palm Island and Little Gasparilla Island) of Charlotte County. Many of the current septic systems are woefully inadequate and leach effluent into the bay and gulf every extreme high tide and major wind or rain storm. I can think of no other project that would be of more benefit to the islands' fragile environment, its plants and animals, and the surrounding waters.

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From: fzody85044@aol.com
Sent: Monday, January 24, 2022 9:11 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Clark
Subject: Fwd: Failure Notice

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From: MAILER-DAEMON@aol.com
To: fzody85044@aol.com
Sent: Mon, Jan 24, 2022 9:08 am
Subject: Failure Notice

Sorry, we were unable to deliver your message to the following address.

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Please consider my opinion as a homeowner and taxpayer on Palm Island (the Knight Island portion) since 1984.

I do recognize that the island needs access to sewers and I do request that Charlotte County provide such service as soon as possible. But I am absolutely opposed to turning what should be a public utility into a for-profit operation.

The property taxes I have paid on my home since 1984 have helped provide utilities for the rest of Charlotte County; now you are saying that the rest of the County will not have part of their property taxes used to provide me with those same services. I am, therefore, being denied equal treatment under the law. I and all the other property owners on Palm Island subsidize the rest of the County; we're left on our own to pay for the same services.

And it cannot be questioned that we will pay higher prices for sewer service than the rest of the County because we will have to pay the cost of that service plus an extra premium to provide the owners with their profit. Again, we are being denied equal treatment under the law.

Please deny the application for a for-profit sewer utility on Palm Island and follow that by starting the process to provide government service as soon as possible. I should not have to pay a share of the costs to non-island taxpayers and 100% of the costs of a for-profit utility on the island.

Sincerely,

Brenda Wheeler Zody, 140 N. Gulf Blvd., Cape Haze/Placida 33946