

BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Joint petition for approval of actual, estimated, and projected relocation costs and approval to establish a recovery surcharge, by Florida City Gas and Florida Public Utilities Company.

DOCKET NO. 20250121-GU
ORDER NO. PSC-2025-0433-PCO-GU
ISSUED: November 24, 2025

The following Commissioners participated in the disposition of this matter:

MIKE LA ROSA, Chairman
ART GRAHAM
GARY F. CLARK
ANDREW GILES FAY
GABRIELLA PASSIDOMO SMITH

ORDER SUSPENDING TARIFFS

BY THE COMMISSION:

Background

On April 4, 2025, we issued a notice of adoption of Rule 25-7.150, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).¹ This rule sets forth the process and requirements for a utility to file a petition for recovery of natural gas facilities relocation costs through the annual Natural Gas Facilities Relocation Cost Recovery Clause (NGFRCRC), as established by Section 366.99, Florida Statutes (F.S.).

On October 1, 2025, Florida City Gas (FCG) and Florida Public Utilities Company (FPUC) filed a joint petition for approval of actual, estimated, and projected relocation costs, and approval to establish a recovery surcharge, effective January 1, 2026. The petition included revisions to FCG's and FPUC's natural gas tariffs reflecting proposed terms and surcharges for each utility.

The recurring docket for the NGFRCRC will be opened in January 2026. Because any new tariffs resulting from that docket will not be in effect until 2027, we find that there will be no conflict between those tariffs and any surcharges approved for 2026 in the instant docket.

We have jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Sections 366.03, 366.04, 366.05, 366.06, and 366.99, F.S.

¹ Order No. PSC-2025-0112-FOF-GU, issued April 4, 2025, in Docket No. 20250020-GU, *In re: Adoption of new Rule 25-7.150, F.A.C., Natural Gas Facilities Relocation Cost Recovery Clause*.

Decision

Pursuant to Section 366.06(3), F.S., we may withhold consent to the operation of all or any portion of a new rate schedule, delivering to the utility requesting such a change a reason or written statement of good cause for doing so within 60 days.

Our staff requires sufficient time to review FCG's and FPUC's joint petition and gather all pertinent information in order to present this Commission with an informed recommendation on the proposed NGFRCRC tariffs. We find that this constitutes good cause consistent with the requirements of Section 366.06(3), F.S. Therefore, FCG's and FPUC's proposed gas tariffs shall be suspended.

Based on the foregoing, it is

ORDERED by the Florida Public Service Commission that Florida City Gas' proposed Natural Gas Facilities Relocation Cost Recovery Clause tariff is hereby suspended. It is further

ORDERED that Florida Public Utilities Company's proposed Natural Gas Facilities Relocation Cost Recovery Clause tariff is hereby suspended. It is further

ORDERED that this docket shall remain open pending final resolution of Florida City Gas' and Florida Public Utilities Company's requests.

By ORDER of the Florida Public Service Commission this 24th day of November, 2025.



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NOTICE OF FURTHER PROCEEDINGS OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

The Florida Public Service Commission (Commission) is required by Section 120.569(1), Florida Statutes, to notify parties of any administrative hearing or judicial review of Commission orders that is available under Sections 120.57 or 120.68, Florida Statutes, as well as the procedures and time limits that apply. This notice should not be construed to mean all requests for an administrative hearing or judicial review will be granted or result in the relief sought.

Mediation may be available on a case-by-case basis. If mediation is conducted, it does not affect a substantially interested person's right to a hearing.

Any party adversely affected by this order, which is preliminary, procedural, or intermediate in nature, may request: (1) reconsideration within 10 days pursuant to Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code; or (2) judicial review by the Florida Supreme Court, in the case of an electric, gas, or telephone utility. A motion for reconsideration shall be filed with the Office of Commission Clerk, in the form prescribed by Rule 25-22.0376, Florida Administrative Code. Judicial review of a preliminary, procedural, or intermediate ruling or order is available if review of the final action will not provide an adequate remedy. Such review may be requested from the appropriate court, as described above, pursuant to Rule 9.100, Florida Rules of Appellate Procedure.