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Matthew Vogel, Public Utilities Supervisor
Division of Accounting and Finance
Florida Public Service Commission
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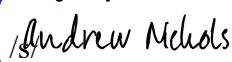
Dear Mr. Vogel:

Attached is the Rate of Return calculation of Peoples Gas System for the period ending **September 2025**.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Respectfully,

Signed by:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andrew Nichols".

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Andrew Nichols

Director of Business Planning

Enclosures

cc: Office of Public Counsel – Charles Rehwinkel

PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM
EARNINGS SURVEILLANCE REPORT SUMMARY
Sep 2025
(In \$ Thousands)

SCHEDULE 1

	(1) Actual Per Books	(2) FPSC Adjustments	(3) FPSC Adjusted	(4) Pro Forma Adjustments	(5) Pro Forma Adjusted
I. AVERAGE RATE OF RETURN (JURISDICTIONAL)					
NET OPERATING INCOME	\$ 166,182	\$ 1,154	\$ 167,337	\$ 0	\$ 167,337
AVERAGE RATE BASE	\$ 2,635,095	\$ (114,181)	\$ 2,520,914	\$ 0	\$ 2,520,914
AVERAGE RATE OF RETURN	6.31 %		6.64 %		6.64 %

II. REQUIRED RATES OF RETURN
AVERAGE CAPITAL STRUCTURE
(FPSC ADJUSTED BASIS)

III. EARNED RETURN ON EQUITY

			FPSC ADJUSTED	PRO FORMA ADJUSTED
LOW	6.63 %			
MIDPOINT	7.11 %	A. INCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES	9.16 %	9.16 %
HIGH	7.59 %	B. EXCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES	8.76 %	8.76 %

I am aware that Section 837.06, Florida Statutes, provides:

Whoever knowingly makes a false statement in writing with the intent to mislead a public servant in the performance of his or her official duty shall be guilty of a misdemeanor of the second degree punishable as provided in s. 775.082 or s. 775.083.

/s/ Andrew Nichols, Director of Business Planning
(Name and Title)

Andrew Nichols
(Signature)

11/6/2025
(Date)

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**PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM
AVERAGE RATE BASE
Sep 2025
(In \$ Thousands)**

SCHEDULE 2

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
	Plant in Service	Plant Acquisition Adjustment	Accumulated Depreciation & Amortization	Customer Advances for Construction	Net Plant in Service	Property Held for Future Use	Construction Work in Progress	Net Utility Plant	Working Capital	Total Rate Base
PER BOOKS	3,473,887	-	990,757	26,161	2,456,970	1,940	141,627	2,600,536	34,559	2,635,095
<u>FPSC ADJUSTMENTS:</u>										
Property for Future Use						(1,940)		(1,940)		(1,940)
Temporary Cash Investment									(2)	(2)
Non-Utility (RNG Alliance)									(14,822)	(14,822)
Accounts Rec./Pay. - Assoc Companies									(7,892)	(7,892)
Other Accounts Receivable									(3,894)	(3,894)
Non-Utility Allocation	(1,173)		(477)		(696)			(696)		(696)
Remove Unamort. Debt Expense									(2,332)	(2,332)
Remove Unrecovered Gas Cost									-	-
Remove Dividends Declared									1,824	1,824
Remove Unrec. Conservation Costs									-	-
Remove Unrec. CIBSR Costs									-	-
Remove Competitive Rate Adjustment									(6,234)	(6,234)
Remove Unamortized Rate Case Expense									(1,613)	(1,613)
Gain on Sale of Property										-
Remove Acquis. Adjustment (WFNG)		-	-		-			-		-
Remove Derivative (FAS 133)									-	-
Cast Iron/Bare Steel Rider (CIBSR)	(15,697)		67		(15,765)		(7,732)	(23,497)		(23,497)
AFUDC - Eligible CWIP							(51,746)	(51,746)		(51,746)
Remove Investment in Subsidiaries									(1,337)	(1,337)
TOTAL FPSC ADJUSTMENTS	(16,871)	-	(410)	-	(16,461)	(1,940)	(59,478)	(77,879)	(36,303)	(114,181)
FPSC ADJUSTED	3,457,017	-	990,347	26,161	2,440,509	-	82,148	2,522,657	(1,743)	2,520,914
<u>FLEX RATE REVENUES</u>										
ADJUSTED FOR										
FLEX RATE REVENUES	3,457,017	-	990,347	26,161	2,440,509	-	82,148	2,522,657	(1,743)	2,520,914
<u>PRO FORMA REVENUE INCREASE AND ANNUALIZATION ADJUSTMENTS:</u>										
										-
TOTAL PRO FORMA ADJUSTMENTS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PRO FORMA ADJUSTED	3,457,017	-	990,347	26,161	2,440,509	-	82,148	2,522,657	(1,743)	2,520,914

PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM
NET OPERATING INCOME
Sep 2025
(In \$ Thousands)

SCHEDULE 3

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
	Operating Revenues	O & M Gas Expense	O & M Other	Depreciation & Amortization	Taxes Other Than Income	Income Taxes Current	Deferred Income Taxes (Net)	Investment Tax Credit (Net)	Gain/Loss on Disposition	Total Operating Expenses	Net Operating Income
PER BOOKS	732,932	179,057	186,272	93,465	70,629	10,045	27,822	-	(541)	566,750	166,182
<u>FPSC ADJUSTMENTS:</u>											
Remove Conservation Charges	(40,770)		(40,770)			(0)				(40,770)	(0)
Non-Utility Allocation				(31)	-	8				(23)	23
Interest Synchronization						556				556	(556)
Parent Debt Adjustment						(3,213)				(3,213)	3,213
Remove Fuel Revenues	(179,718)	(179,057)			(661)	(0)				(179,718)	-
Economic Development Adjustment			(17)			4				(13)	13
Employee Activities			(104)			26				(77)	77
Franchise/Gross Receipts Taxes	(37,625)				(37,449)	(44)				(37,494)	(131)
Maintenance of General Plant			(60)			15				(45)	45
Maint. of Structures and Improvements			(7)			2				(5)	5
Remove Acquisition Adj. Amortiz. (WFNG)				-		-				-	-
Gain on Sale of Property						-				-	-
Lease of PHFFU	(134)					(34)				(34)	(100)
Remove ITC Amortization						-		-		-	-
Cast Iron/Bare Steel Rider (CIBSR)	(1,316)		(924)	(242)	(150)	(0)				(1,316)	(0)
Cast Iron/Bare Steel Rider (CIBSR) - ROI	(1,922)					(487)				(487)	(1,435)
OSS Adjustment	-					-				-	-
TOTAL FPSC ADJUSTMENTS	(261,485)	(179,057)	(41,881)	(273)	(38,261)	(3,168)	-	-	-	(262,640)	1,154
FPSC ADJUSTED	471,447	-	144,391	93,192	32,368	6,878	27,822	-	(541)	304,110	167,337
<u>FLEX RATE REVENUES</u>	(6,493)					(1,646)				(1,646)	(4,848)
ADJUSTED FOR											
FLEX RATE REVENUES	464,953	-	144,391	93,192	32,368	5,232	27,822	-	(541)	302,464	162,489
<u>PRO FORMA REVENUE INCREASE AND</u>											
<u>ANNUALIZATION ADJUSTMENTS:</u>											
Deferred Tax True-up						-				-	-
TOTAL PRO FORMA ADJUSTMENTS	-		-			-			-	-	-
PRO FORMA ADJUSTED	471,447	-	144,391	93,192	32,368	6,878	27,822	-	(541)	304,110	167,337
PER BOOKS											
CURRENT MONTH AMOUNT	71,081	20,423	16,614	7,716	6,425	2,144	1,768	-	-	55,089	15,992

PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM
CAPITAL STRUCTURE
FPSC ADJUSTED BASIS
Sep 2025
(In \$ Thousands)

SCHEDULE 4

AVERAGE	PER BOOKS	ADJUSTMENTS		ADJUSTED	RATIO (%)	LOW POINT		MIDPOINT		HIGH POINT	
		SPECIFIC	PRO RATA			COST RATE	WEIGHTED COST	COST RATE	WEIGHTED COST	COST RATE	WEIGHTED COST
						(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)	(%)
LONG TERM DEBT	925,000	(2,332)	(37,459)	885,209	35.11%	5.68	1.99	5.68	1.99	5.68	1.99
SHORT TERM DEBT	103,231	-	(4,191)	99,040	3.94%	5.39	0.21	5.39	0.21	5.39	0.21
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	30,654		(810)	29,844	1.18%	2.50	0.03	2.50	0.03	2.50	0.03
COMMON EQUITY	1,265,819	(1,973)	(51,311)	1,212,535	48.10%	9.15	4.40	10.15	4.88	11.15	5.36
DEFERRED INCOME TAX	310,392	(8,120)	(7,986)	294,285	11.67%						
TAX CREDITS - ZERO COST	-	-	-	-	0.00%						
TOTAL	2,635,095	(12,425)	(101,757)	2,520,914	100.00%		6.63		7.11		7.59

PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM
EARNED RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY
FPSC ADJUSTED BASIS
Sep 2025
(In \$ Thousands)

SCHEDULE 5

A. FPSC ADJUSTED AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY
INCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES

FPSC ADJUSTED AVERAGE EARNED RATE OF RETURN	6.64 %	(Schedule 1)
LESS: RECONCILED AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL		
WEIGHTED COST RATES FOR:		
LONG TERM DEBT	(1.99) %	
SHORT TERM DEBT	(0.21) %	
PREFERRED STOCK	0.00 %	
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	(0.03) %	
TAX CREDITS-WEIGHTED COST(MIDPOINT)	0.00 %	
SUBTOTAL	<u>(2.23) %</u>	
TOTAL	4.41 %	
DIVIDED BY RECONCILED COMMON EQUITY RATIO	<u>48.10 %</u>	
JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY	<u><u>9.16 %</u></u>	

B. FPSC ADJUSTED AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY
EXCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES

NET OPERATING REVENUE EXCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES	\$ 162,489	(Schedule 3)
RATE BASE EXCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES	\$ <u>2,520,914</u>	(Schedule 2)
FPSC ADJUSTED AVERAGE EARNED RATE OF RETURN	<u>6.45 %</u>	
LESS: RECONCILED AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL		
WEIGHTED COST RATES FOR:		
LONG TERM DEBT	(1.99) %	
SHORT TERM DEBT	(0.21) %	
PREFERRED STOCK	0.00 %	
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	(0.03) %	
TAX CREDITS-WEIGHTED COST(MIDPOINT)	0.00 %	
SUBTOTAL	<u>(2.23) %</u>	
TOTAL	4.22 %	
DIVIDED BY RECONCILED COMMON EQUITY RATIO	<u>48.10 %</u>	
JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY	<u><u>8.76 %</u></u>	

**PEOPLES GAS SYSTEM
EARNED RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY
PRO FORMA ADJUSTED BASIS
Sep 2025**

SCHEDULE 5-2

**A. PRO FORMA ADJUSTED AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY
INCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES**

PRO FORMA ADJUSTED AVERAGE EARNED RATE OF RETURN	6.64 %	(Schedule 1)
LESS: RECONCILED AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL		
WEIGHTED COST RATES FOR:		
LONG TERM DEBT	(1.99) %	
SHORT TERM DEBT	(0.21) %	
PREFERRED STOCK	0.00 %	
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	(0.03) %	
TAX CREDITS-WEIGHTED COST(MIDPOINT)	0.00 %	
SUBTOTAL	<u>(2.23) %</u>	
TOTAL	4.41 %	
DIVIDED BY RECONCILED COMMON EQUITY RATIO	<u>48.10 %</u>	
JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY	<u><u>9.16 %</u></u>	

**B. PRO FORMA AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY
EXCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES**

NET OPERATING REVENUE EXCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES	\$ 162,489	(Schedule 2, p. 2 of 2)
RATE BASE EXCLUDING FLEX RATE REVENUES	\$ <u>2,520,914</u>	(Schedule 2, p. 1 of 2)
FPSC ADJUSTED AVERAGE EARNED RATE OF RETURN	<u>6.45 %</u>	
LESS: RECONCILED AVERAGE JURISDICTIONAL		
WEIGHTED COST RATES FOR:		
LONG TERM DEBT	(1.99) %	
SHORT TERM DEBT	(0.21) %	
PREFERRED STOCK	0.00 %	
CUSTOMER DEPOSITS	(0.03) %	
TAX CREDITS-WEIGHTED COST(MIDPOINT)	0.00 %	
SUBTOTAL	<u>(2.23) %</u>	
TOTAL	4.22 %	
DIVIDED BY RECONCILED COMMON EQUITY RATIO	<u>48.10 %</u>	
JURISDICTIONAL RETURN ON COMMON EQUITY	<u><u>8.76 %</u></u>	