## FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION COMMISSION CONFERENCE AGENDA

**CONFERENCE DATE AND TIME:** Tuesday, August 5, 2025, 9:30 a.m.

**LOCATION:** Betty Easley Conference Center, Joseph P. Cresse Hearing Room 148

DATE ISSUED: July 24, 2025

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ITEM NO.	CASE

1\*\* Consent Agenda

PAA A) Application for Certificate of Authority to Provide Telecommunications Service.

DOCKET NO.	COMPANY NAME	
20250086-TX	Fiber AssetCo LLC	
20250090-TX	Forged Fiber 37, LLC	

**Recommendation:** The Commission should approve the action requested in the dockets referenced above and close these dockets.

ITEM NO. CASE

2\*\*PAA

**Docket No. 20250081-EU** – Petition for declaratory statement, or in the alternative, petition for variance from or waiver of the individual metering requirement of Rule 25-6.049(5) and (6), F.A.C., by 20 North Oceanside Owner, LLC.

Critical Date(s): 08/21/25 (Final Order on Request for Declaratory Statement Must be

Issued by this date pursuant to Section 120.565(3), Florida Statutes, and Request for Variance or Waiver is Deemed Approved if Not Granted or Denied by this date, pursuant to Section 120.542(8),

Florida Statutes)

Commissioners Assigned: All Commissioners

**Prehearing Officer:** Graham

Staff: GCL: Sapoznikoff

ECO: Hampson, Kelley

(Participation is at the Discretion of the Commission as to Issue No. 1 - Interested Persons May Participate as to Issue No. 2)

**Issue 1:** Should the Commission grant 20 North's Petition for Declaratory Statement? **Recommendation:** No. The Commission should deny 20 North's Petition for Declaratory Statement. Under the facts presented by 20 North, Tower 2 does not satisfy either of the applicable exceptions to the individual meter rule found in Rule 25-6.049(5), F.A.C.

<u>Issue 2:</u> Should the Commission grant 20 North's alternative Petition for Variance or Waiver?

**Recommendation:** Yes. 20 North has demonstrated that the purpose of the underlying statutes will be achieved by other means and that application of the rule would create both a substantial hardship and be a violation of the principles of fairness. However, should the Commission grant the waiver or variance, 20 North should be put on notice that the waiver/variance is only effective under the following conditions: (1) 20 North allocates the cost of electricity for Tower 2 to the individual condominium unit owners using an apportionment method consistent with subsection (9) of Rule 25-6.049, F.A.C.; (2) Tower 2 of 20 North continues to operate and is licensed as a transient public lodging facility; and (3) in the event that Tower 2 of 20 North ceases to operate and be licensed as a transient public lodging facility such that a conversion to individual metering is required, 20 North will be solely responsible for the cost of such conversion, pursuant to Rule 25-6.049(7), F.A.C.

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2\*\*PAA

**Docket No. 20250081-EU** – Petition for declaratory statement, or in the alternative, petition for variance from or waiver of the individual metering requirement of Rule 25-6.049(5) and (6), F.A.C., by 20 North Oceanside Owner, LLC.

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**<u>Issue 3:</u>** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** Yes. With regard to the Petition for Declaratory Statement, regardless of whether the Commission votes to grant or deny the Petition, a final order will be issued and the docket should be closed. With regard to the alternative Petition for Variance or Waiver, if no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a consummating order.

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ITEM NO. CASE

3\*\*PAA

**Docket No. 20250058-GU** – Petition for approval of natural gas transportation service agreement between Florida City Gas and Miami-Dade County through Miami-Dade Water and Sewer Department.

Critical Date(s): None

Commissioners Assigned: All Commissioners

**Prehearing Officer:** Graham

Staff: ECO: Kelley

GCL: Sandy

<u>Issue 1:</u> Should the Commission approve the proposed transportation service agreement dated January 1, 2024, between FCG and Miami-Dade County?

**Recommendation:** Yes, The Commission should approve the proposed transportation service agreement dated January 1, 2024, between FCG and Miami-Dade County. The 2025 TSA is based on the LES tariff rate case which provides clear specifications for contractual rates, terms, and conditions such as those negotiated by and Miami-Dade County. Based on staff's review of the petition and responses given by FCG to data requests, staff believes the 2025 TSA complies with the LES tariff.

**Issue 2:** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** If no protest is filed by a person whose substantial interests are affected within 21 days of the issuance of the Order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

ITEM NO. CASE

4 **Docket No. 20250052-WS** – Application for increase in water and wastewater rates in Brevard, Citrus, Duval, Highlands, Marion, and Volusia Counties by CSWR-Florida Utility Operating Company.

Critical Date(s): 60-Day Suspension Date Waived until 9/4/2025

Commissioners Assigned: All Commissioners

**Prehearing Officer:** Clark

Staff: ECO: Bethea, Bruce, Hudson

AFD: McClelland, Norris, Sewards, Vogel

ENG: P. Buys, Ramos, Smith II

GCL: Dose, Augspurger, J. Crawford

(Decision on Suspension of Rates - Participation is at the Discretion of the Commission)

<u>Issue 1:</u> Should the utility's proposed final water and wastewater rates be suspended? **Recommendation:** Yes. The utility's proposed final water and wastewater rates should be suspended.

**Issue 2:** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** The docket should remain open pending the Commission's final action on the Utility's requested rate increase.