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STAFF RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS, ISSUES, AND RECOMMENDATIONS MADE IN NOVEMBER 2004

Presentation to the Gainesville City Commission December 13, 2004



WE RESPONDED TO:

- Alachua County Department of Environmental Protection Technical Report (Nov 15)
- 2. Alachua County Environmental Protection Advisory Committee Recommendation (Nov 15)
- 3. R.W. Beck's Report (Nov 15)

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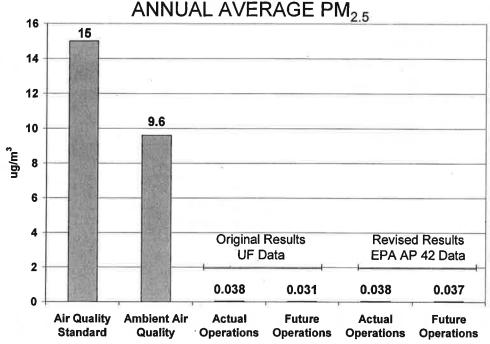
- 4. Alachua County Board of County Commissioners (Nov 23)
- 5. Additional Issues
 - Biomass Estimates
 - Forestry Practices
 - Emissions From Open Wood Burning
 - New Emission Control Technology
 - Cost Comparisons

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ADDITIONAL ANALYSES PERFORMED IN RESPONSE TO COMMENTS

- Additional PM_{2.5} Air Quality Modeling
- 2. Emissions From Open Burning
- An Alternative Low Case Natural Gas Price Forecast
- 4. Sensitivity of Project to \$200/ton Carbon Tax (\$55/ton CO₂)

RESULTS FROM USING RECOMMENDED* DATA WERE SLIGHT



* As recommended by the Alachua County Environmental Protection Department and Environmental Protection Advisory Committee

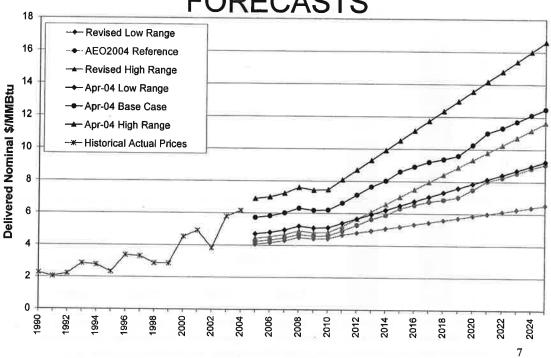
ONE BENEFIT IS REDUCED PARTICULATE EMISSIONS FROM OPEN BURNING OF WASTE WOOD

Particulate Reduction
From Use Biomass
Increased Particulates
From Solid Fuel Power Plant
Net Particulate Decrease
From Proposed Plan
-766 tons/year
65 tons/year
-701 tons/year

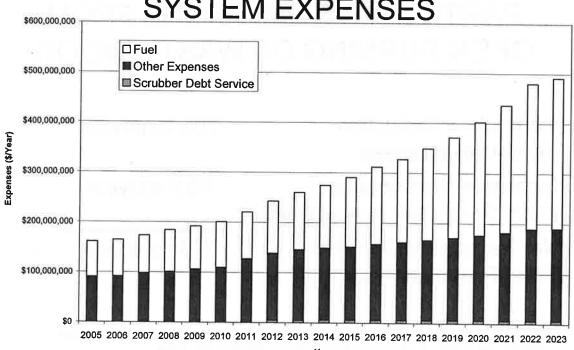
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^{*} Estimate based on amount of wood required to sustain 30 MW of baseload capacity. Assumes 50% would have been burned in the field.

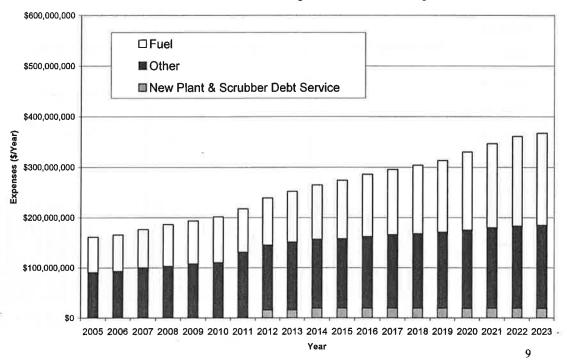
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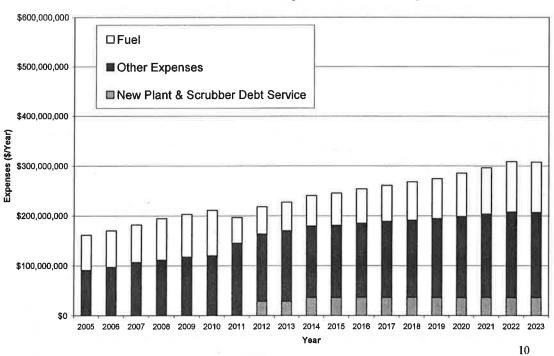
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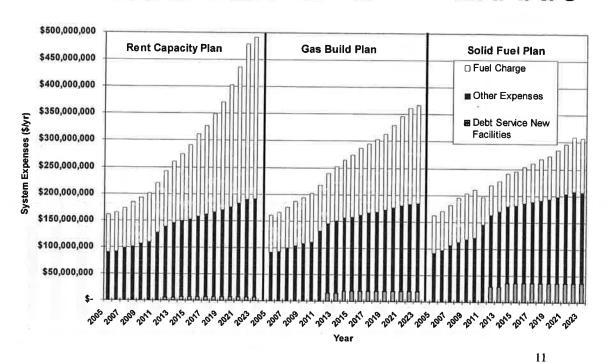
"Gas Build" Plan System Expenses



"Solid Fuel" Plan System Expenses



SYSTEM EXPENSES BY SCENARIO



RESIDENTIAL ELECTRIC BILL

(1000 kWh Consumption) Solid Fuel, Gas and Rented Capacity Plans \$180 \$160 Total Residential Bill (\$/Month) \$140 \$120 \$100 \$80 \$60 **SOLID FUEL** -- GAS \$40 RENTED CAPACITY \$20 \$-Year

ADDITIONS TO THE PROPOSAL PLAN*

- Additional Ambient Air Particulate Monitoring
- 2. A Greenhouse Gas Fund For Local Projects
- 3. A Conservation And Renewable Energy Goal

*In conjunction with affirmative decision to proceed with the development of the proposed plan.

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PROPOSED FUNDING MECHANISM:

1.5% of Capital Cost

| Fiscal Year | Projected Spending Plan | Principal Draw | Greenhouse Gas Fund |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| 2005 | 2.0% | \$8,388,696 | \$125,830 |
| 2006 | 3.0% | \$12,960,536 | \$194,408 |
| 2007 | 2.0% | \$8,899,568 | \$133,494 |
| 2008 | 14.0% | \$64,165,885 | \$962,488 |
| 2009 | 41.0% | \$193,551,810 | \$2,903,277 |
| 2010 | 33.0% | \$160,459,171 | \$2,406,888 |
| 2011 | 5.0% | \$25,041,356 | \$375,620 |
| | | Nominal Total | \$7,102,005 |
| Present Value Total | | | \$4,921,728 |

PROPOSED RENEWABLE ENERGY AND CONSERVATION GOAL

The following goal is attainable by Gainesville Regional Utilities if the proposed long term electric supply plan is implemented.

"Meet an additional 10% of our customers' electrical needs through renewable energy and conservation by 2012".

This goal is higher than that of any other electric utility in Florida.

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Thank You