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Protection of forest ecosystems is a critical concern related to the development of a biomass fueled power plant to serve the Gainesville Community. The Regional Utilities Committee (RUC), working with staff, an advisory group of professionals involved in the forest industry, consultants, and concerned citizens have developed a plan to help assure protection of forest ecosystems. The key elements of this plan are minimum standards that assure that industry best management practices are followed for any fuel acquired for the proposed power plant, and a financial incentive plan to reward growers that invest in superior forest management practices as certified by selected independent certification programs.

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**Attachments:** 1. RUC Forestry Presentation October 9 2007.pdf, 2. Backup for Forest Stewardship Item #070181 Oct 9.pdf, 3. Memo to RUC re Backup for Item #070181 Feb 12 2008.pdf, 4. Forest Product Procurement Standards Item #070181 Attachment Feb 12 2008.pdf, 5. Backup for 070181 Draft Forest Certification Standards May 13 08.pdf, 6. Backup for Aug 13 2008 RUC Meeting Item #070181.pdf, 7. Backup for item #070181 Markup Incentive Plan Oct 20 08.pdf, 8. Backup for item #070181 Final Stewardship Incentive Plan Oct 20.pdf, 9. 070181\_referral\_20090402.pdf, 10. 070181\_MOD\_ERRATA SHEET\_20090416.PDF

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4/16/2009	11	City Commission	Approved as Modified	Pass
4/8/2009	9	Regional Utilities Committee	Discussed	
4/2/2009	9	City Commission	Withdrawn	
12/10/2008	8	Regional Utilities Committee	Approved, as shown above - See Motion(s)	Pass
10/20/2008	7	Regional Utilities Committee	Discussed	
8/13/2008	6	Regional Utilities Committee	Approved as Modified	Pass
7/9/2008	5	Regional Utilities Committee	Discussed	
5/13/2008	4	Regional Utilities Committee	Discussed	
2/12/2008	3	Regional Utilities Committee	Approved as Recommended, as Amended	Pass
1/30/2008	2	Regional Utilities Committee	Discussed	
10/9/2007	1	Regional Utilities Committee	Discussed	
6/18/2007	0	City Commission	Referred	Pass