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Flagler County Utilities sale to Florida Governmental Utility Authority anticipated for the end of the month, special meeting October 19

October 13, 2020 – Flagler County officials will hold a special meeting, as final preparations are underway to close on the sale of Flagler County Utilities to the Florida Governmental Utility Authority, commonly referred to as FGUA.

“We have been working diligently to see this transfer to FGUA through fruition,” said County Administrator Jerry Cameron. “This will be so much better for the customers – our residents – because FGUA has the industry-specific expertise to bring to the operation of these utility systems.”

FGUA has been providing interim utility services since February 1, and has already made substantial improvements to the utilities – such as improving the water color and quality for Plantation Bay customers.

Flagler County Utilities has water and wastewater assets that presently serve the Beverly Beach, Eagle Lakes, and Plantation Bay areas, with almost 2,800 customers.

The meeting will be held at 2 p.m. October 19 in the Commission Chambers of the Government Services Building, 1769 E. Moody Boulevard, Bunnell. Topics for discussion will include: the purchase agreement, an amendment to the Development of Regional Impact (DRI), an amendment to the utility ordinance, governmental assignment, a land exchange, corporate documents, and a financial resolution.

“FGUA is the answer to having a utility that provides reliable, continuous service to the residents,” Cameron said.

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