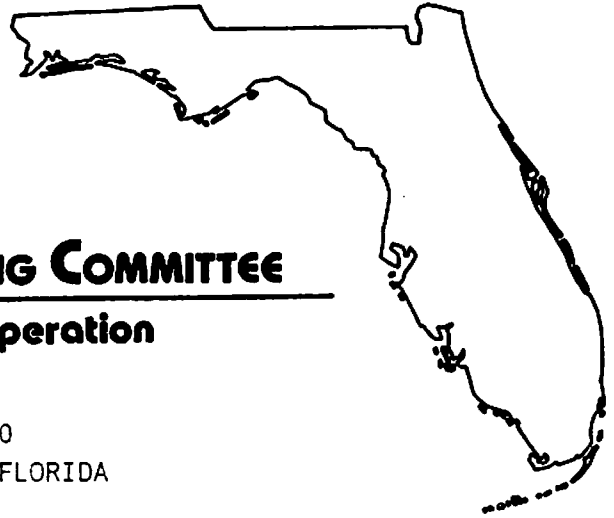


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FLORIDA UTILITIES COORDINATING COMMITTEE

Coordination Through Cooperation

MINUTES
MAY 4, 1990
ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

The summer meeting of the Florida Utilities Coordinating Committee was called to order at 8:35 AM by Chairman Larry Claxon with 95 in attendance.

Jeff Rodger offered the invocation and pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Chairman Larry Claxon asked if there were any corrections to the minutes of the winter meeting in Tampa, Florida, February 2, 1990. Hearing none, he asked that the reading of the minutes be waived. A motion was made and passed.

HISTORIAN'S REPORT - Bill Garrett

Fifty years ago, May 10, 1940, the meeting was held at the San Juan Hotel in Orlando with 17 in attendance. Twenty-five years ago, May 21, 1965, there were 46 attendees at the Landmark Hotel in Orlando.

TREASURER'S REPORT - Tom Duggar

Balance carried forward from February 2, 1990	\$599.92
Interest	8.40
Receipts	580.00
Registration: 116 persons @ \$5.00	
Expenditures	(283.44)
Meeting room rental	159.00
Coffee break (February 2, 1990)	124.44
Balance as of May 4, 1990	\$904.88

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DOT UPDATE - Paul Kaczorowski, State Utility Engineer

NEW UTILITY ACCOMMODATION GUIDE:

Paul said that the appeal time ended on April 9, 1990, for objections to the new UAG. Also, he said that the 23 technical objections have been negotiated and will be implemented into the new Guide. Paul hopes to get these changes readvertised in the Florida Administrative Weekly on June 1, 1990.

JOINT PROJECT AGREEMENT CHARGES:

Paul brought good news that the old 8% lump sum administrative charge has been lowered to 2%. This 2% charge will not be retroactive and will be applied only to projects which have not started work.

At this time, Paul introduced our next speakers from the DOT.

"GIVE 'EM A BRAKE" CAMPAIGN:

Barry Inman, State Public Information Director, and Cathy Palmer, District One Public Information Director, presented an outline for a very important campaign concerning workzone safety on the State's highways. The theme of this campaign is called "GIVE 'EM A BRAKE". The purpose of this program is to make the public aware of slowing down when driving through work areas along the highways. Barry quoted some grim statistics which shows the need for such a campaign: In 1985, there were 1600 accidents with 22 fatalities in work zone areas. In 1988, these had increased to 2100 accidents and 35 fatalities in work zone areas.

Barry said that work is increasing on the highways. Also, travel on the highways is increasing. There is no better time to start this campaign than at the present. A grant of \$70,000 has been allotted to start this campaign in October, 1990. However, in order to make this campaign a success, greater financial support is needed. Barry will be contacting utilities for their support by publishing announcements in their in-house publications on "GIVE 'EM A BRAKE". Also, he will ask that the utilities sponsor Public Service Announcements on TV and Radio.

SAFETY COORDINATOR LIST:

Paul Kaczorowski thanked Barry Inman and Cathy Palmer for sharing with us the plans for "GIVE 'EM A BRAKE". Paul then made some concluding comments about work zone safety and the current courses being offered at junior colleges and universities in the State. He hopes to be able to give a list of these course offerings to the FUCC in the near future. Paul requested that a list of Safety Coordinators in the utilities be compiled by the FUCC so that information concerning safety in the work zones could be distributed to them.

Paul thanked the utilities for cooperating in helping to reduce delay claims that have been filed by DOT contractors in 1989. Paul said that he is looking forward to greater JOINT PROJECT AGREEMENT participation with the utilities. Recently, JPAs have tripled and this is very encouraging. Chairman Larry Claxon thanked Paul for his update and also is looking forward with Paul to the forthcoming Utilities Accommodation Guide in 1990.

At this time, Chairman Claxon introduced our next speaker, Mr. Bill Stockton.

DIG SAFE INC., Bill Stockton, Manager

Bill Stockton, otherwise known as "MR. SUCKEM UP", gave a good overview of his company and their vacuum method of safely locating underground utilities. Also, Bill showed an interesting video called "Digging Dangers". This video stressed safety during underground utility work.

Our next speaker was Scott Sornberger, Distribution Engineering Manager, of Jacksonville Electric Authority. Scott's topic was on his company's role in:

POLE ROADSIDE SAFETY MEASURES:

Scott said his company hired an outside consultant to study safety measures for pole locations that JEA considered to be in hazardous locations. These locations were usually determined by checking with the Sheriff's office for repeated vehicle accidents involving certain pole locations. Scott said the consultant's remedy usually consisted of placing cushions or guardrails around the poles. This solution was not preferred by JEA since it means high maintenance. Also, it calls for constant patrolling the cushions and guardrails to see that they are in service. In most instances, JEA elected to relocate the poles out of hazardous locations in order to promote greater roadside safety.

CONSTRUCTION PROBLEM SOLVERS TEAM (CUPS):

Our final speaker was presented by Walt Childs, District One Utility Engineer. Walt has chaired the Construction Problem Solvers Team (CUPS) during the past year. Walt introduced team member Terry Vogel of Florida Power and Light Company, who explained what the CUPS team is doing. Terry explained that CUPS purpose was to find better procedures to increase coordination and to decrease delay claims from DOT contractors. Terry showed us that the results from the CUPS team analysis gives the DOT and utilities good solutions to solving delay claims. This study appears to be a great step forward for better coordination of DOT road projects. Results of the CUPS team study is attached to these minutes. PLEASE READ THEM!!!

At this time, Chairman Claxon called the Fucc to order for the business portion of the meeting and asked for the reports from the Seven Districts. A brief report on the Districts is as follows:

FDOOT DISTRICT REPORTS:

District I: Terry Vogel

The next meeting will be September 13, 1990, in the Fort Myers area.

District II: Buddy Dees

The next meeting will be May 10, 1990, at the Holiday Inn in Lake City.

District III: Tom Duggar

Their meeting was held on February 8, 1990, in Chipley. A new local group was started in Jackson County. They met in Marianna on April 12, 1990.

District IV: Jim Wright

Their next meeting will be in July in Ft. Lauderdale.

District V: Richard Taylor

Their next meeting will be held in July in Orlando.

District VI: Lee Spitzkopf

A new local group has been formed in Monroe County.

District VII: Bob Perkins

Their meeting was held March 29, 1990, in Weeki Wachee.

After District reports, Chairman Claxon asked for the Sub-Committee reports.

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS:

UTILITY ACCOMMODATION GUIDE SUBCOMMITTEE - Chairman Dennis LaBelle
Dennis agreed with Paul Kaczorowski's view that the UAG has passed all major hurdles and it now is basically in Paul's hands to get it published. Dennis said that his Sub-Committee also has completed the review on sections of the Utility Manual that Paul had asked them to do. This review has been presented to Paul and a copy is attached to these minutes. PLEASE READ THIS REVIEW!!! Your Sub-Committee spent many hours and labored long to complete this task.

Dennis made an announcement for the proposed NATIONAL HIGHWAY/UTILITY CONFERENCE. It is to be held in Denver, Colorado, on February 20, 1991 (see the attached announcement for details).

Chairman Claxon thanked Dennis and the UAG Sub-Committee for a job well done on the UAG and the UTILITY MANUAL.

JOINT USE SUB-COMMITTEE - Chairman Mark Sweet

Mark reported that the FOREIGN ATTACHMENT TAGGING IDENTIFICATION is in the process of being adopted by pole owners. Mark's full report is attached to these minutes for members to read. Mark was delighted to announce that two new members have been added to his Sub-Committee. They are Buddy Dees and Charles Andrews of the Florida Department of Transportation.

FIBER OPTICS SUB-COMMITTEE - Chairman John Farkas

John said that there was nothing to report on at this time.

CITY/COUNTY PARTICIPATION SUB-COMMITTEE - Chairman Tom Kennedy

Tom was unable to attend this meeting and a report was unavailable.

ONE CALL BILL SUB-COMMITTEE - Chairman Jeff Rodger

Jeff reported that the bill appears to be a dead issue at this time.

Chairman Claxon asked for the Interest Groups to report.

INTEREST GROUPS:

POWER GROUP - Glenn Cock

Glen reported that there were 22 in attendance. Among the many subjects discussed was the update on the 1990 National Electrical Safety Code that was given by Carlton Gray of the Florida Public Service Commission.

UNDERGROUND GROUP - Rafael Perdomo

Rafael reported that there were 12 members in attendance. Many subjects were on their agenda. Among these were: Federal guidelines for ONE CALL NOTIFICATIONS, contaminated soils update and ideas to prevent underground utilities damage.

DOT GROUP - Nick Zembillas

Nick reported that this was a good meeting and that the chief subject discussed was the review of the UTILITY MANUAL.

UTILITY NOTIFICATION REPORT - Chuck Sprouse

This report was given by Chuck Sprouse, Area Manager for U.N.C.L.E. Chuck's full report is attached to these minutes.

STEERING COMMITTEE REPORT - Tom Duggar, Vice-Chairman of FUCC

Tom reported that there were 24 in attendance. There was discussion about all the Interest Groups having a joint meeting between the Interest Group meetings and the Steering Committee meeting to discuss common problems. We will try to set this up at the August and November meetings. By doing this, we would reduce the time that the interest groups meet on their own.

The Awards Committee chaired by Ray Afeld will be active in the next quarter selecting recipients for this years awards.

The Steering Committee also will be selecting a nominee for Secretary and Historian for 1990-1991.

The Steering Committee made a recommendation that a new Sub-Committee be formed to look into the problems that are being incurred in the transfer of CSX Railroad right-of-way to the DOT and DNR.

The next meeting will be August 2-3, 1990, Ft. Myers, Fl. - Sheraton Harbor Place with a registration fee of \$5.00. The Committee voted to have the danish served before all future meetings with coffee only at break.

The Committee voted on future meeting locations:

November 1-2, 1990	West Palm Beach
February 7-8, 1991	Orlando
May 2-3, 1991	Pensacola
August 1-2, 1991	Daytona
November 7-8, 1991	Ft. Lauderdale

The Steering Committee made a recommendation to form a Sub-Committee to investigate permitting for the railroad CSX/DOT Right-of-Ways. The full Committee voted to set up the Sub-Committee. Chairman Larry Claxon appointed Tom Duggar - Chairman. Members who volunteered to be on this Sub-Committee are:


Jim Bates, GTE	Rafael Perdomo, Peoples Gas
Dennis Black, Paragon CATV	Don Schofield, Gulf Power
C J Blanton, DOT	Ron Whorley, FPC
Jim Gibbs, FPL	

After no further business, the meeting was adjourned by Chairman Larry Claxon at 11:45 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Carlos Solis
Secretary, FUCC

Submitted for Carlos Solis by:


Larry Claxon
Chairman, FUCC

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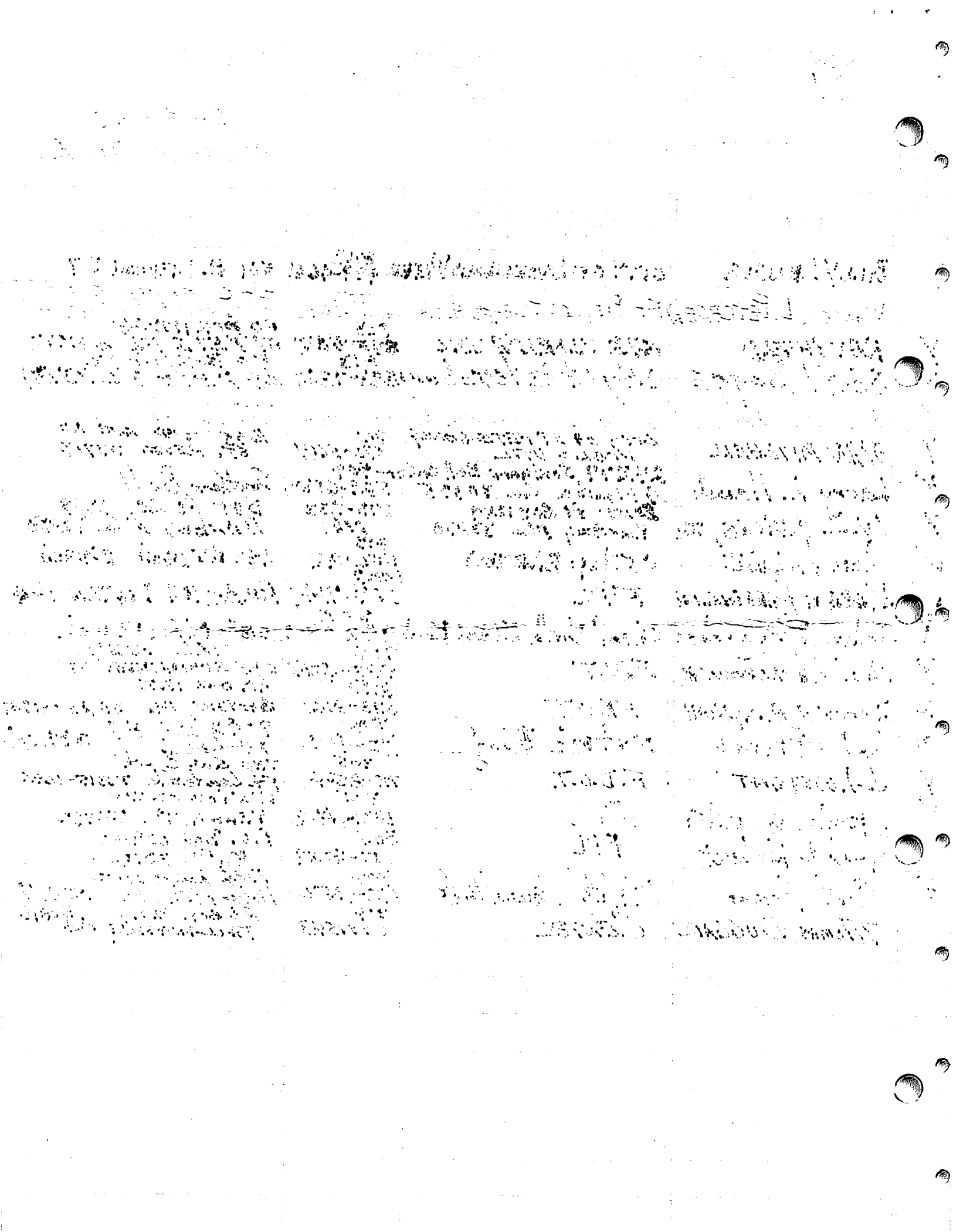
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Y Isabel Hebert	FPL	305 552-4289	P.O. Box 029100 M, FL 33102
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