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The May Meeting was called to order by Chairman Ray Colby at 9:00 AM.

Chairman Colby made some brief welcoming remarks and self-introductions were made. Attached hereto (Attachment #1) is a list of the persons who signed the attendance sheet. Minutes of the February 3, 1978 Meeting were read and approved.

Chairman explained about Mr. Mike Plummer's resignation due to a job promotion, and stated that Mr. Cris Andersen would be Temporary Chairman of the Corps of Engineers Subcommittee.

Chairman reported, due to the absence of Mr. Paul Mundy, Secretary of Fla. Utilities Coordinating Committee, who was attending meetings for his company, Mr. Andersen would take the minutes of this meeting.

Reference was made to the next Fla. Utilities Coordinating Committee Meeting which is to be held in St. Augustine, August 10th. - More on this later.

Chairman then called for announcements. There being none, Committee Reports were then in order.

### Ed Williams - Chairman - "Traffic Control" Subcommittee

Actually no action taken between meetings; consequently, there was no additional information. A definite date has not been set up for a public hearing for the Traffic Control Device Manual the State wants to publish. Chairman Colby understands that there are a number of cities that have already approved the existing Manual. Ken Brown stated that the Manual is a State Law, and that the Department of Transportation (D.O.T.) is planning to make changes in the present document. Ken indicated that he thought D.O.T. had ignored our Subcommittee, and intends to have Public Hearing without holding additional work sessions.

Motion was made by Ken Brown, seconded by Bill Bagley, that a formal written request to the D.O.T. that prior to a Public Hearing on the Traffic Control Device Manual that the Florida Utilities Coordinating Committee be notified of the proposed changes as well as time and place for such hearing. Motion passed. Subcommittee Chairman Ed Williams will send the letter.

### Ed Williams - Chairman - Standing Committee

Only one item was brought before the Standing Committee prior to the May meeting which was an informal request from Ray Afeld ("call Candy") on color-coding information. A brief resumé was given by Ray Afeld

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on the advantages of using standard field marking color-codes and descriptive material was circulated.

Assignment of colors are as follows:

Red	- Electric
Yellow	- Gas, Chemicals, etc.
Orange	- Telephone, etc.
Green	- Sewer System
Blue	- Water
Brown	- Treated Waste Water (St. Petersburg only)

After some lengthy discussion, Ray Afeld commented he had touched base with a number of utilities throughout the State, and they had indicated they would not object to the proposed color-coding as presented as long as all others are complying. However, one problem was identifying that because of the area served in by both Florida Power and Florida Power and Light, the only way they could accept the proposed color-code would be if it were a standard throughout the State. That is the purpose of bringing this to your Committee for adoption. Those areas that have approved the proposed color-code are: Dade County Public Works, St. Petersburg Public Works, Ft. Lauderdale (one call system - five county area), District One of State Liaison Committee.

After some additional discussion, motion was made by Ken Brown, seconded by Stan Pounds, for the Fla. Utilities Coordinating Committee to adopt the color-code as presented by Ray Afeld (see Attachment #2) and rescind the color-code adopted in 1969. Motion carried.

#### Ken Brown - Chairman - "Joint Use" Subcommittee

The Committee's proposed Joint-Use Agreement had been approved and returned by Mr. E. Salley of D.O.T. (See Attachment #3). Mr. Brown recommended that each utility should have their legal review the agreement and determine if anything is to be added or deleted. Perhaps at the next Fla. Utilities Coordinating Committee Meeting a motion can be made to adopt the Agreement. Mr. Brown said that the Insurance Clause was the main source of debate, but this agreement covers the subject much better than the previous agreements. Mr. Brown summarized the various problems encountered with the Insurance Clause.

#### Ken Brown - Chairman - "Accommodation Guide" Subcommittee

Copies of the minutes of meeting in Tallahassee, Florida of April 19, between D.O.T. and Subcommittee on "Accommodation Guide" were handed out (see Attachment #4). After a brief discussion on the minutes of the Subcommittees, Mr. Brown indicated that there would be another Subcommittee Meeting within the next two weeks, and that the members would be notified of the time and place.

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This work session would be to make recommendations for changes to the entire Guide. Mr. Colby suggested that if anyone has a problem with the "Accommodation Guide" to write up what those problems are along with recommendations or suggestions, and improvements and submit them to the Subcommittee or its chairman, Ken Brown. (Mr. Colby also commented that the D.O.T. representatives who attend these meetings are also invited to make comments and recommendations.)

Walter Anderson - Chairman - "Jacking and Boring" Subcommittee

As a result of the mailing to the membership of the latest revision of the Jacking and Boring Guide, there were only two responses received; one from a gas company which was comprehensive, and the other from a power company with minor remarks. Because this revision of the Guide was the first to include the use of plastic conduit by the jacking and boring method, and the comments received from the gas and power company, your Subcommittee felt that additional time was needed before final draft could be presented to the full Committee for approval. Mr. Anderson requested if any of the utilities had any concerns with the proposed Guide as submitted with the minutes of the February Meeting, please communicate them to him or any Committee member as soon as possible, so they could be incorporated in the final draft.

Chuck Hanle - Chairman - "Pedestrian Guard" Subcommittee

Meeting was held in Ft. Lauderdale, March 22nd, during which recommendation was made for an addition to the drawing. Copy of the drawing (Attachment #5) and photographs were displayed. From a structural and safety standpoint approval was stamped by consulting engineer. Chuck Hanle made a motion, seconded by Ken Brown, to take this design to the Public Service Commission, Tallahassee, to be adopted as a standard for the State. Motion carried. Mr. Hanle was commended by the membership for a "job well done."

David Lapham - Chairman - "Chapter 17-153" Subcommittee

This bill is to be acted upon by both the Senate and House. House Bill #HB1609 is attached (Attachment #6). A similar Bill #SB901 has been filed in the Senate. Mr. Lapham explained the progression of the proposed amendment through the committees and Legislature. He added that if there are any questions at this stage, it would be difficult to make changes prior to passing. If there are any comments to be made, please get in touch with David Lapham or Chairman Ray Colby for possible revisions for next year's Legislative Session.

House Judicial Committee of Florida Members are: Chairman Billy Joe Rish, Vice Chairman Ron Richmond, Gwen S. Cherry, Helen G. Davis, Earl Dixon, Pat Frank, Lawrence R. Kirkwood, Richard H. Langley, Charles C. Papy, Barry Richard, and James H. Thompson. If any member knows these representatives, please contact them in an effort to have the proposed #HB1609 passed this Session.

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Cris Andersen - Temporary Chairman - "Corps of Engineers" Subcommittee

No report to be made at this meeting, but plans are being prepared for the Joint Educational Workshop on Permits and Procedures. Tom Jones of Southern Bell was appointed to serve on this Committee, to which he acquiesced. A report will be forthcoming at the next meeting.

Our guest speaker, Mr. Keller from the Accounting Department of D.O.T. was unable to make connections, and hopefully will be able to give his program at some future date.

NEW BUSINESS

It was reported that the next Florida Utilities Coordinating Committee Meeting will be held in St. Augustine, Thursday, August 10th at 9:00 A.M. This will be a joint meeting with the American Right-of-Way, Chapter 26, at the Ponce de Leon Motor Inn, U.S. 1, North. A block of rooms has been set aside for our membership. Brochures and reservation cards are attached. Phone reservations may be made to (904) 824-2821. Be sure to identify yourself as a member of the Florida Utilities Coordinating Committee for the special room rates - \$22.00 Single and \$26.00 Double. Sponsor has not been obtained at this time for this meeting.

Membership expresses its appreciation to the Gulf Power Company who hosted this Meeting.

The next meeting will be held August 10, 1978 in St. Augustine, Florida.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

  
Cris D. Andersen  
Temporary Secretary

Meeting

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✓ Gene Gohring	Fla Gas TRANSMISSION	Wintae Park
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