Collin Roehner

From: Sent: To: Subject: Collin Roehner on behalf of Records Clerk Wednesday, July 13, 2016 9:46 AM 'Robin Pelletier' RE: FPL Rate Increases

Good morning,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 160021-EI and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

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-----Original Message-----From: Robin Pelletier [mailto:robinpelletier14@yahoo.com] Sent: Wednesday, July 13, 2016 9:10 AM To: Records Clerk Subject: FPL Rate Increases

I object!

FPL rate increases will put the people of Florida in a corner. We are already held captive by the only power server in the state of Florida. We have no other choices. We can't change servers when we are dissatisfied with the only provider available. This is a monopoly and should be illegal.

Families with low incomes and seniors count every penny. Most people across the state watch their spending because they have to in order to raise children, pay for health insurance, bills, medications and food. Raising FPL rates for the benefit of shareholders is stealing the food from the mouths of babes and reducing the already small incomes of those seniors who rely only on social security payments to live. Social Security does not increase payments by 23%. No business gives a 23% raise to their employees. People are lucky to get a 1-3% raise if any raise at all.

If FPL increases their rates, what do the people of Florida get? How about another choice in a power supplier? Many people would drop FPL if given the choice of a more reasonably priced power supplier if this rate increase was to go through.

Please consider the general population before allowing this rate raise to go into effect. Unless you are a shareholder, this will affect you, too, negatively.

Robin Pelletier Palm Coast, Fl