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**From:** Bev DeMello  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 13, 2016 3:36 PM  
**To:** 'johnnychevelle@gmail.com'  
**Cc:** Janet Brunson; Consumer Correspondence  
**Subject:** FW: docket number 160021-E1

Thank you for contacting the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC) about Florida Power & Light Company's (FPL) rate petition. To give Commissioners and staff an opportunity to review your comments, your correspondence is included in the file for Docket No.160021-EI.

As you know, the PSC customer service hearings were held in June in FPL's service territory for Commissioners to hear directly from customers about the utility's rate request and service. All customer comments during the hearings and all correspondence will be reviewed and considered when PSC staff prepares its recommendation to the Commissioners on FPL's proposed rates.

The PSC's evidentiary hearing on FPL's rate case will be in Tallahassee. Witnesses from the utility, intervenors, Commission staff, and the Public Counsel, who represents customers, will present testimony and exhibits and be cross-examined by the Commissioners and other parties. Commissioners will examine FPL's need for a rate increase, its existing and proposed rate structure, and its ability to provide safe and reliable service.

Commissioners are charged with making sure that Florida's utility companies fulfill their service obligation. The PSC will ensure that final customer rates reflect only those costs that are prudent and necessary for FPL to deliver quality electric service to your home or business. Any proposed rate adjustment is requested to begin in January 2017.

If you have additional questions or need further assistance, please call 1-800-342-3552. If you want updated case information, visit the PSC's website, [www.floridapsc.com](http://www.floridapsc.com) and click on the Clerk's Office tab, then hit Dockets and type in case number 160021.

Sincerely,

Bev DeMello  
Assistant Director  
Office of Consumer Assistance & Outreach  
Phone: 850-413-6107

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**From:** Sandra Soto **On Behalf Of** Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 13, 2016 9:42 AM  
**To:** 'Johnny Chevelle'  
**Subject:** RE: docket number 160021-E1

Good morning Mr. Gunn,

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,

Sandra Soto  
Commission Deputy Clerk I  
Florida Public Service Commission  
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**From:** Johnny Chevelle [<mailto:johnnychevelle@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 13, 2016 8:05 AM  
**To:** Records Clerk  
**Subject:** docket number 160021-E1

Dear FP & L,

Your proposal to ask for a hike in electric rates here in Florida is appalling and inconsiderate to say the least. This is, for the most part, an active retirement state where people, like myself, choose to live in and are on fixed incomes. Some cannot even afford the cost of living as it has risen, and now you expect us all to pay more for services without even having a choice to obtain service from other companies. That is what is called a "Monopoly".

I oppose any increase to my electric rates and encourage you to find another way to pay your top executives other than on the backs of senior citizens. We have paid our debt to society, and being seniors is meant to be easier, not harder. I hope you get our message. Thank you.

Sincerely Disgusted,  
John T. Gunn Sr.  
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