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**From:** Janet Brunson  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 10, 2016 11:13 AM  
**To:** Consumer Correspondence  
**Cc:** Bev DeMello  
**Subject:** FW: FPL Rate Increase - Docket No. 160021-EI

Reponse to my e-mail.

**From:** Bobby Weiser [<mailto:bobbyweiser1@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 10, 2016 11:10 AM  
**To:** Janet Brunson  
**Subject:** Re: FPL Rate Increase - Docket No. 160021-EI

Dear Ms. Bronson,

First of all allow me to thank you for your response. It is my understanding, if that is what you can call it, that the pure profit for FPL is over one plus billion dollars. I will be the first to admit that I do not know what the profit for a monopoly should be, however that does seem to be excessive.

If my wife and I were not on fixed income with no possibility working and handicapped, we would be much more proactive in this matter and possibly even make the trip up there in August. However, we are handicapped and can not do any of the former, therefore we will have to rely upon you to represent us, and people like us.

Sincerely,  
Robert Weiser

On Aug 10, 2016 10:50 AM, "Janet Brunson" <[JBrunson@psc.state.fl.us](mailto:JBrunson@psc.state.fl.us)> wrote:

Dear Mr. Weiser:

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 August 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](tel: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

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**From:** Sandra Soto **On Behalf Of** Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Monday, August 08, 2016 9:44 AM  
**To:** 'Bobby Weiser'  
**Subject:** RE: FPL RATE HIKE

Dear Mr. Weiser,

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:** Bobby Weiser [<mailto:bobbyweiser1@gmail.com>]

**Sent:** Monday, August 08, 2016 8:10 AM

**To:** Records Clerk

**Subject:** FPL RATE HIKE

Dear Ms. Stauffer,

Many of us are on a fixed income and can not afford the proposed rate hike. I personally had a stroke and am on disability and am lucky to be alive. Please understand that this hike is very difficult for those of us retirees/disabled to pay for. Every penny is already budgeted.

I appreciate your time in reading this email and sincerely hope you will fight for those of us who are the most vulnerable.

Sincerely,  
Robert Weiser