

BEFORE THE
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

DOCKET NO. 20170123-EI

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF
ARRANGEMENT TO MITIGATE
UNFAVORABLE IMPACT OF ST.
JOHNS RIVER POWER PARK, BY
FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY.

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PROCEEDINGS: PREHEARING CONFERENCE

COMMISSIONER
PARTICIPATING: CHAIRMAN JULIE I. BROWN
PREHEARING OFFICER

DATE: Wednesday, September 6, 2017

TIME: Commenced at 1:30 p.m.
Concluded at 1:51 p.m.

PLACE: Betty Easley Conference Center
Room 148
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P R O C E E D I N G S

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2 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Good afternoon.

3 (Chorus of greetings.)

4 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Are the parties ready?

5 All right. Today is September 6th. This is
6 Docket No. 20170123-EI. I'd like to convene this
7 prehearing at this time.

8 Staff, can you please read the notice?

9 **MS. JANJIC:** By notice issued August 28th,
10 2017, this time and place was set for a prehearing
11 conference in Docket No. 20170123-EI. The purpose of
12 the prehearing is set out more fully in the notice.

13 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you. We'll take
14 appearances, starting with FPL. Mr. Butler, it's nice
15 to see you here.

16 **MR. BUTLER:** Thank you. It's a pleasure to be
17 here. Not so much a pleasure getting here but a
18 pleasure being here.

19 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** I can understand.

20 **MR. BUTLER:** John Butler appearing for FPL.

21 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you.

22 **MS. MORSE:** Stephanie Morse with the Office of
23 Public Counsel, and with me is Charles Rehwinkel.

24 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you.

25 Staff.

1 **MS. JANJIC:** For Commission staff, Danijela
2 Janjic, Margo Duval, and Kyesha Mapp.

3 **MS. HELTON:** Mary Anne Helton here as your
4 advisor. I'd also like to make an appearance for your
5 General Counsel, Keith Hetrick.

6 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you. And we will get
7 into this prehearing. I'd like to have this go pretty
8 swiftly so that folks can get out of here and take care
9 of their affairs.

10 So with that note, we do have a preliminary
11 matter. Because of Hurricane Irma and its pending
12 movement, and the Governor declaring a state of
13 emergency, we are going to have to postpone this hearing
14 for two weeks to September 27th.

15 **MR. BUTLER:** A day that just happened to
16 become available.

17 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** The date just happened to be
18 open. So we're going to move the hearing to
19 September 27th at 1:30. That's going to shift some
20 dates around, and we'll get into that, including the
21 post-hearing briefs. But I just want to make sure if
22 there are any objections. FPL, any objections?

23 **MR. BUTLER:** I think that would work fine, and
24 I think it would be good from our perspective. One of
25 our principal witnesses has a big accounting role for

1 the storm, cost recovery accounting, so that would be
2 helpful.

3 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Great.

4 **MR. BUTLER:** Thank you.

5 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you.

6 OPC.

7 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Madam Chairman, I was just
8 informed that our witness has made travel arrangements
9 to be in Montana the day before that. So we would not
10 be able to put her on the stand on the 27th.

11 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** When would she be available?

12 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Okay.

13 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Monday, the 25th?

14 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Yes.

15 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Yeah?

16 **MR. REHWINKEL:** She said the Monday before,
17 which is the 25th, and then she will be back on
18 October 3rd.

19 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. I would prefer to do
20 it the 25th. FPL, do you have an objection to moving
21 the hearing to September 25th at 1:30?

22 **MR. BUTLER:** I think on that -- let me check
23 and see. If I -- before the end of the prehearing
24 conference I should be able to have an answer for you,
25 but let me just double-check, please.

1 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Sounds good.

2 Thank you.

3 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Thank you.

4 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** All right. Are there any
5 other preliminary matters that we need to address at
6 this time? Staff, are you aware of any other
7 preliminary matters that we need to address?

8 **MS. JANJIC:** Staff is aware of none at this
9 time.

10 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Let's get into the
11 Draft Prehearing Order. All right? And we're going to
12 go through the sections, and I want the parties to
13 please let me know if there are any corrections or
14 changes that we need to make.

15 We're going to start with the case background,
16 Section I. Any changes?

17 Seeing none, we'll move to Section II, which
18 is the conduct of proceedings. Any changes or
19 corrections?

20 Seeing none, we'll move to Section III, which
21 is the jurisdiction. Any changes?

22 Seeing none, Section IV, which is the
23 procedure for handling confidential information. Staff.

24 **MS. JANJIC:** Staff will note that when
25 confidential information is used in the hearing, parties

1 must have copies for the Commissioners, necessary staff,
2 and the court reporter in red envelopes clearly marked
3 with the nature of the contents. Any party wishing to
4 examine the confidential material that is not subject to
5 an order granting confidentiality shall, shall be
6 provided a copy in the same fashion as provided to the
7 Commissioners subject to the execution of any
8 appropriate protective agreement with the owner of the
9 material.

10 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** All right. Any questions on
11 Section IV?

12 Seeing none, we'll move to Section V, which is
13 the prefiled testimony and exhibits and witnesses.
14 Staff.

15 **MS. JANJIC:** If witnesses are presented, staff
16 will suggest that the witness summary testimony be no
17 longer than three minutes.

18 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you. Any questions or
19 objections or -- moving on to Section VI, the order of
20 witnesses.

21 **MR. BUTLER:** Excuse me.

22 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Yes, Mr. Butler.

23 **MR. BUTLER:** Madam Chair, just to be clear, we
24 have a witness on rebuttal. And Mr. Ferguson would get
25 an additional three minutes to summarize his rebuttal

1 testimony; is that correct?

2 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** That's correct.

3 **MR. BUTLER:** Okay. Thank you. That would be
4 fine.

5 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Section VI, the order of
6 witnesses. Are there any witnesses that can be
7 stipulated, parties? Pretty please.

8 **MR. BUTLER:** I don't think so at this time.
9 We had a discussion of that yesterday, but we're still
10 working on getting resolution. But at this point I
11 don't think we can. I would ask that Mr. Forrest, who
12 is our overview witness, be moved to the beginning of
13 the order instead of our third witness. That would just
14 be a more logical presentation.

15 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** I don't have a problem with
16 that.

17 OPC? Okay. Seeing none, we'll go ahead and
18 do that.

19 All right. Any other matters to be taken up
20 under order of witnesses?

21 Seeing none, we'll get to the basic positions,
22 Section VII. Do the parties have any changes to their
23 basic positions? FPL? OPC?

24 **MR. BUTLER:** No.

25 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** No.

1 Staff?

2 **MS. JANJIC:** Only if there are changes
3 announced. We will recommend that any changes to basic
4 positions be submitted in writing by no later than noon,
5 Tuesday, September 12th.

6 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Thank you.

7 Moving to the issues and the positions on
8 Section VIII. Do the parties have any changes to the
9 positions?

10 **MR. BUTLER:** If you will indulge me for a
11 moment, I have what's, I guess, more of a comment on the
12 OPC position regarding Issue 1 here.

13 First of all, we understand, and I think OPC
14 agrees with this, that this is a legal issue. And the
15 significance of that in terms of our responding to their
16 position is that unlike something where you've got the
17 opportunity in cross-examination to find out where
18 parties stand on something, you know, legal issues
19 typically you just brief and you just brief them
20 simultaneously.

21 OPC's position is that, you know, our proposed
22 approach to deferring the amortization of a couple of
23 the regulatory assets violates our settlement agreement.
24 They haven't said in their position and the issue
25 doesn't identify what provisions of the settlement

1 agreement they feel would be violated, and we feel like
2 we're at a real disadvantage here.

3 I mean, first of all, whether Ms. Merchant's
4 view of the amortization or our view of it is chosen by
5 the Commission isn't going to affect the base rates we
6 charge. So our starting point is not really seeing
7 where their concern goes, but obviously that's their
8 argument to make. But our concern is that without
9 provisions being identified that they say are being
10 violated, we kind of don't know what to respond to in
11 our brief. You know, I fear that we'll see their view
12 on this for the first time in their brief without a
13 chance to respond to it.

14 And, you know, if there are particular
15 provisions, paragraphs of the settlement agreement they
16 think are violated, I think it would be appropriate for
17 them to point them out. If there aren't, if they're
18 just saying that sort of the totality of the agreement
19 would be -- you know, the spirit of it would be
20 violated, whatever, then that would be fine.

21 But we're going to have a hard time sort of
22 appropriately responding to their contention the way
23 that their position on this issue is worded.

24 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you for highlighting
25 that.

1 OPC.

2 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Madam Chairman, Charles
3 Rehwinkel with the Public Counsel's office. This would
4 be unprecedented for the Commission to allow another
5 party to dictate a party's position on any issue.

6 FPL and the Public Counsel were coequal
7 signatories to the 2016 agreement. The 2016 agreement
8 is a comprehensive agreement that has multiple
9 provisions that all interrelate and was adopted as being
10 in the public interest in totality. And we have
11 suggested that it is violative of the agreement and the
12 base rate freeze anti-circumvention provision, and we
13 have a position on that that we will make in our legal
14 brief. And the company can argue why they believe that
15 it is, it is consistent with the agreement, but it is
16 not our duty to point out the failures of the company
17 with regard to processes that they are undertaking to
18 undermine the intent and the letter of the agreement.

19 And if, if they want to assert that without
20 providing any justification, that's, that's fine, and
21 that's their burden. I mean, that's the way they would
22 meet their burden.

23 But in order to maintain an issue, one does
24 not have to present a winning legal argument in order to
25 raise a legal issue, nor does one have to show its cards

1 and write its brief before the brief is due. So we feel
2 very strongly about this. We will argue about the
3 settlement agreement in its totality.

4 But no one provision by itself is dispositive
5 of this issue. It is the agreement in multiple places,
6 and we will bring that to the Commission's attention in
7 light of all the facts and circumstances and the law, as
8 well as the language of the agreement. So, I mean, we
9 would reject any notion that we have to make our
10 position suit FP&L's wishes.

11 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Just a question,
12 Mr. Rehwinkel. You said that, that you believe -- it is
13 your belief that FPL is violating the base rate freeze
14 and the anti -- you said anti --

15 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Circumvention, yeah.

16 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** So it's your position that
17 it's -- that they're in violation of the settlement
18 agreement in its totality and not any specific
19 provision?

20 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Not any specific provision by
21 itself.

22 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** By itself.

23 **MR. REHWINKEL:** That's correct.

24 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Mr. Butler, would you like to
25 add anything?

1 **MR. BUTLER:** That provides some measure of
2 clarity. I still think this is unusual, if not
3 unprecedented, to say that something violates an
4 agreement and not say what it is, what it is you think
5 that it's violating.

6 I mean, I'll point out that the base rate
7 freeze anti-circumvention provision, there's no
8 provision in the agreement by that name. If they think
9 one of them, you know, one of the paragraphs is --
10 constitutes that, or two or three paragraphs, let us
11 know, and that will certainly help.

12 I will throw out an idea that might very well
13 get rejected, but I'm going to ask anyway. Would it be
14 possible for there to be a brief round of responsive
15 briefs? I guess it would be appropriate for OPC to have
16 one as well, strictly on the legal issue, so that we
17 have the opportunity to protect ourselves if they've got
18 an argument that just hasn't even occurred to us and
19 that we have some need to be able to respond it.

20 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** So you want to brief just
21 this issue apart from the other issues that are
22 remaining.

23 **MR. BUTLER:** Actually what I was suggesting is
24 that we would brief this one along with the other issues
25 initially, but then have five days later or something

1 like that with some small page limit, but just an
2 opportunity. And we would extend the opportunity to OPC
3 as well that, you know, we would be able to respond to
4 whatever was said in their position on the legal issue.

5 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Mr. Rehwinkel.

6 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Madam Chairman, I believe
7 that's not an unreasonable approach to this issue.
8 Recognizing that we believe the burden is always with
9 the company, we're more than happy to put our argument
10 out there and let them respond to that under these
11 circumstances. That would be fine with us.

12 And it would not need to be a lot of pages of
13 response, and I think a week of response time would be,
14 would be adequate.

15 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** After the post-hearing
16 briefs.

17 **MR. REHWINKEL:** That's correct, yes.

18 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Staff, are you clear?
19 I think the parties have -- agree on this proposal, and
20 I'm okay with it as well.

21 **MS. JANJIC:** Yes, we're clear.

22 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** So an additional five days,
23 would that suffice, seven?

24 **MR. BUTLER:** About five business days.
25 That'll be seven or whatever it turns out to be. You

1 know, a week of business days is fine.

2 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** All right. There -- I've
3 asked staff right now if they can come up with that
4 date. So --

5 **MS. JANJIC:** It's hard not knowing when the
6 hearing is. I guess when we come to an agreement when
7 the hearing is, then we can look at the briefs and then,
8 I guess --

9 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay.

10 **MR. BUTLER:** And I'm still waiting for the --
11 I just, I wanted to check with our witnesses to be sure
12 we didn't have a problem similarly and --

13 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Absolutely. We'll -- you
14 know what? We'll deal with the briefs and the
15 additional time period at the end of the prehearing
16 conference. Okay? Thank you, parties, for working
17 together on that.

18 Okay. Are there any other changes that need
19 to be made on issues or positions?

20 **MS. JANJIC:** Based on discussion with the
21 parties during the notice meeting yesterday, staff would
22 just note that there are proposed Type 2 stipulations on
23 Issues 3, 7, 8, and 10.

24 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Wonderful. I appreciate the
25 parties coming to an agreement on these stipulations.

1 And since we're buying an additional two weeks here for
2 the parties, I'd encourage both of you all to work
3 together in your efforts to find a mutually beneficial
4 resolution for all.

5 **MR. BUTLER:** Am I just missing it, or is that
6 not yet appearing in the Draft Prehearing Order?

7 **MS. JANJIC:** It has not been updated, but it
8 will be after this.

9 **MR. BUTLER:** Okay.

10 **MS. JANJIC:** It will be.

11 **MR. BUTLER:** It will be?

12 **MS. JANJIC:** Uh-huh.

13 **MR. BUTLER:** Okay. Thank you.

14 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Again, encourage the parties
15 to use the next two weeks' time to come to a mutually
16 beneficial solution on additional issues you can
17 stipulate.

18 Mr. Rehwinkel, you look confused.

19 **MR. REHWINKEL:** I wasn't, I wasn't clear. I
20 was speaking with co-counsel about -- what was the
21 question about what is or isn't in the --

22 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** The Type 2 stipulations.

23 **MS. JANJIC:** The Type 2 stipulations listed.

24 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Oh, okay, I see.

25 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Staff, any other

1 issues under Section VIII?

2 **MS. JANJIC:** No. Since they've resolved the
3 issue on Issue 1, there's nothing further that we need
4 to discuss.

5 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Parties, any
6 additional issues under Section VIII?

7 Seeing none, we'll go ahead and move to
8 Section IX, which is the exhibit list.

9 **MS. JANJIC:** Staff prepared a Comprehensive
10 Exhibit List which lists all prefiled exhibits and those
11 exhibits staff wishes to include in the record. The
12 draft list was circulated to the parties to see if they
13 had any changes, any objections to the Comprehensive
14 Exhibit List or any of the staff's exhibits being
15 entered into the record. We have not heard back from
16 the parties on the Comprehensive Exhibit List.

17 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Parties, any comments
18 on the exhibit list?

19 Seeing none, moving to Section X, which is --

20 **MR. BUTLER:** Sorry.

21 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** I'm sorry.

22 **MR. BUTLER:** Just to be clear, I have no
23 comments on the exhibit list section and the prehearing
24 order draft. I haven't had a chance yet to look at the
25 Comprehensive Exhibit List, but hopefully we'll do so

1 this afternoon.

2 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay.

3 **MR. BUTLER:** And I'd also just take this
4 opportunity to say we've checked, and all of our
5 witnesses are okay with the September 25 date.

6 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** That's great. Thank you.

7 **MR. BUTLER:** Certainly.

8 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. So your comments are
9 noted on Section IX.

10 We're moving to Section X, which is the
11 proposed stipulations, which we just discussed. But for
12 clarity of the record, if you want to --

13 **MS. JANJIC:** As noted previously, the proposed
14 Type 2 stipulations are on Issues 3, 7, 8, and 10.

15 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Thank you.

16 Section XI, pending motions.

17 **MS. JANJIC:** Staff would note that there are
18 no pending motions.

19 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you.

20 Section XII, pending confidentiality motions.

21 **MS. JANJIC:** There are no pending
22 confidentiality motions.

23 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Excellent work. Thank you.

24 All right. And the last section, post-hearing
25 procedures.

1 **MS. JANJIC:** If the parties wish to file a
2 post-hearing brief, staff recommends briefs are no
3 longer than 30 pages.

4 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Any objections? Are all
5 parties in agreement with that? 30 pages it is.

6 **MR. BUTLER:** That sounds fine. And then is
7 this the place where we would add the language about the
8 responsive briefs on Issue 1?

9 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Yes, this is the exact -- do
10 you propose an additional limit?

11 **MR. BUTLER:** I think -- I'm sorry.

12 **MS. JANJIC:** Oh, go ahead.

13 **MR. BUTLER:** I would say for pages that ten
14 pages should be plenty.

15 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Totally, yeah.

16 **MR. BUTLER:** Yeah.

17 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** I think that's fair. So
18 we'll do ten pages for the response brief.

19 All right. And now we're going to get to the
20 dates. Actually, staff, will you go over some of the
21 other matters under that?

22 **MS. JANJIC:** Okay. Let's see. Staff will
23 recommend that a summary of each position set off with
24 asterisks should be included in that statement.

25 So looking at a hearing date of the 25th, that

1 would mean that the original briefs -- or the regular
2 briefs would be due on the 9th, October 9th.

3 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. Any objection? Do you
4 guys have your calendars out? Okay. That's two weeks.

5 All right. And then the response brief?

6 **MS. JANJIC:** That would be on the 16th.

7 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** October 16th. Close of
8 business on both of those days.

9 **MR. BUTLER:** Right.

10 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Okay. All right. So it
11 looks like then staff will have enough time for it to
12 appear before the agenda or will work very diligent so
13 that this will be presented to the Commission --
14 Commissioners on the 7th, November 7th agenda.

15 **MS. JANJIC:** November 7th agenda, yes.

16 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** All right. That works.

17 Any objections? No?

18 **MR. REHWINKEL:** No.

19 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Thank you.

20 **MR. REHWINKEL:** While we're talking about
21 dates, if I could ask, I think the staff indicated that
22 if there were revisions to the basic position, they
23 could be made as late as the 12th. Was that the date?

24 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Next Tuesday?

25 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Yes.

1 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Yes.

2 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Would, would that date also
3 apply to any revisions to the staff issue list? Would
4 we be able to use the same date for -- I mean, the staff
5 exhibit list.

6 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Staff?

7 **MS. JANJIC:** We would like that finalized
8 sooner than later.

9 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Okay. What would be a good --

10 **MS. JANJIC:** But if we -- the 12th would be
11 the absolute latest.

12 Kandis, is that okay?

13 **MS. MAY:** (Indicating affirmatively.)

14 **MS. JANJIC:** Yeah, the 12th would be the
15 latest.

16 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Okay. Thank you. So that
17 would be the deadline for revisions to basic position or
18 the staff exhibit list.

19 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** That's right.

20 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Thank you.

21 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** And, again, that's close of
22 business on the 12th. And if there are any --

23 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Yes. I think she said noon.

24 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Oh, no, I would suggest close
25 of business.

1 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Okay.

2 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Close of business. Sorry.

3 Given the hurricane, and if there are
4 complications, if any of the parties are having
5 complications with communications, please try to get in
6 touch with us, and we'll be willing to be flexible.

7 **MR. REHWINKEL:** Thank you.

8 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** All right. Let's see. Any
9 other matters?

10 Section XIV, rulings.

11 **MS. JANJIC:** Staff recommends that the
12 Prehearing Officer make a ruling that opening
13 statements, if any, should not exceed seven minutes per
14 party, unless any party chooses to waive its opening
15 statement.

16 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Given the limited amount of
17 issues here, I think that is very generous. I mean, I
18 would suggest five, but I would encourage the parties to
19 use their time judiciously.

20 Other matters.

21 **MS. JANJIC:** Staff is aware of none.

22 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** Are the parties -- do the
23 parties have any other matters?

24 Seeing none, you guys get out of here.

25 **MR. BUTLER:** All right.

1 **CHAIRMAN BROWN:** This Prehearing Conference is
2 adjourned. Safe travels.

3 (Prehearing conference adjourned at 1:51 p.m.)
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