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From: Ereecy McNeal on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2019 9:02 AM
To: 'samuelk32@embarqmail.com'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Don't let monopoly utilities make it harder for customers to control our energy use;
Docket Nos. 20190015 to 20190021

Good Morning, Samuel Kendall

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket Numbers 20190015 to 20190021, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Have a great day,

Public Service Commission

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From: samuelk32@everyactioncustom.com [<mailto:samuelk32@everyactioncustom.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, August 14, 2019 9:32 PM
To: Records Clerk
Subject: Don't let monopoly utilities make it harder for customers to control our energy use; Docket Nos. 20190015 to 20190021

Dear Florida Public Service Commission,

A recent UN report says that buildings are a major reason why greenhouse gases have increased. Buildings are listed after Electric generation, transportation and agriculture as significantly contributing to these heat trapping gases. Some cities are now requiring building owners to upgrade energy efficiency in order to reduce their impact on the climate.

Florida already has a rule that utilities must establish energy efficiency goals in order to reduce electricity use in buildings. Although Florida does not have a renewable energy goal as do other states, it does have this rule. However, in the past five years little action has been taken by utilities to comply with the rule.

The changing climate is already having severe impacts on natural and man made systems in the state. Scientists say the impacts are expected to get worse. Application now of rigorous energy efficiency goals in buildings could play an important role in defending against future climate disruption.

Please support goals that are in line with the energy savings captured by leading states, and that will spur investments in energy efficiency to as many customers as possible. Let's not leave savings on the table.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sincerely,

Mr. Samuel Kendall

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