From: Betty Leland

Sent: Thursday, September 3, 2020 7:00 AM

To: Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: Protect Our Solar Rights

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Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000

Good Morning:

Please place this email in Docket # 20200000.

Thanks.

Betty Leland, Executive Assistant to Commissioner Art Graham Florida Public Service Commission bleland@psc.state.fl.us (850) 413-6024

From: mary.simmons@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Deborah Simmons

<mary.simmons@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 11:40 PM

To: Office of Commissioner Graham

Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Deborah Simmons
128 Spring Valley Loop Altamonte Springs, FL 32714-6515

From: jah3wp@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Hanson

<jah3wp@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, James Hanson 1271 Via Capri Winter Park, FL 32789-2635

From:

beastybren@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Brenda James

<beastybren@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Brenda James 1915 19th Ave Vero Beach, FL 32960-3539

From: smroland12@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sarah Roland <smroland12

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 3, 2020 1:23 AM

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Sincerely, Sarah Roland 1780 Setting Sun Loop Casselberry, FL 32707-5896

From: princetwo@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Roy Johnson

<princetwo@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 9:35 PM

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Sincerely, Roy Johnson 2372 Warwick Rd Melbourne, FL 32935-2976

From: gparker4500@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gale Parker < gparker4500

@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Gale Parker
4500 Hedgewood Dr Tallahassee, FL 32309-8951

From: alfredo.narain@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alfredo Narain

<alfredo.narain@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Alfredo Narain 4940 SW 165th Ave Miramar, FL 33027-4902

From:

lorenlw46@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Loren Wieland <lorenlw46

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Loren Wieland 8401 W Cypress Dr Pembroke Pines, FL 33025-4540

From:

annied@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ann Vanek-Dasovich

<annied@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 3, 2020 1:09 AM

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Sincerely, Ann Vanek-Dasovich 489 W Davis Blvd Tampa, FL 33606-3817

From:

torabonnier@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Tora Bueno

<torabonnier@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 3, 2020 1:20 AM

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Sincerely, Tora Bueno 6100 Moss Ranch Rd Pinecrest, FL 33156-5641

From:

xke999@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mike Vaupel <xke999

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Mike Vaupel 8410 NW 18th St Pembroke Pines, FL 33024-3407

From:

cblice@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Carolyn Blice

<cblice@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Carolyn Blice 1120 Banbury Trl Maitland, FL 32751-4802

From:

solareducator@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jeff Hanna

<solareducator@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Jeff Hanna 1608 Maple St Nokomis, FL 34275-2429

From: chanelok@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Charles Black

<chanelok@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Charles Black 1016 Dolphin Dr Cape Coral, FL 33904-5924

From: jdavis8@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jamesp Davis <jdavis8

@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Jamesp Davis Bradenton, FL 34212

From:

Ifair01@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susan Fairchild < Ifair01

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Susan Fairchild Riverview, FL 33579

From:

Eclectic1947@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of William McKinney < Eclectic1947

@everyactioncustom.com>

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From:

erinman@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of E Renee Inman

<erinman@everyactioncustom.com>

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From: kevingale@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kevin Gale

<kevingale@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Kevin Gale 916 NW 30th Ct Wilton Manors, FL 33311-2224

From:

pat.ross.rose@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Patricia Rose

<pat.ross.rose@everyactioncustom.com>

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Patricia Rose
563 Gershwin Dr Largo, FL 33771-1508

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bwoodard44@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of BENNIE WOODARD < bwoodard44

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BENNIE WOODARD
3645 7th Ave N Saint Petersburg, FL 33713-9022

From: alessa.zaias@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alessa Zaias-Rush

<alessa.zaias@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Alessa Zaias-Rush 660 S Shore Dr Miami Beach, FL 33141-2406

From: kwilliams 121190@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kristin Williams

< kwilliams121190@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 10:08 PM

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Sincerely, Kristin Williams 12040 NE 16th Ave Miami, FL 33161-6559

From:

whatmore.g@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gillian Whatmore

<whatmore.g@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, September 2, 2020 10:04 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Graham

Subject:

I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Chairman Art Graham,

We installed solar 8 yrs ago and have to pay annual liability insurance costing \$500 a year - in order for FPL t allow us to use it. We also struggled to get the paperwork completed correctly - in other words FLP played hard ball in letting us start.

now, as we struggle with a global pandemic, an economic crisis, and an active hurricane season, it is not the time to create more uncertainty by signaling a change in solar policies that are helping to make our state a leader in clean solar power and providing good paying local jobs.

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Sincerely, Gillian Whatmore Sarasota, FL 34232 whatmore.g@verizon.net

From: robsturk+solar@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Sturk

<robsturk+solar@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 6:36 PM

To: Office of Commissioner Graham

Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Art Graham,

I am hopeful that someone actually reads this versus just tallying it as another form letter sent without any real consideration. I've been through this before (although previously as more of a spectator than a concerned actor). I'm gonna' leave in a lot of the jargon below as some of it is pertinent although you very well should already be aware of it.

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I'm going to personalize this a bit. I am fully in support of net metering and a quid pro quo exchange regarding electricity up to the full annual consumption by a private source. That said, I'd need to see more information to go beyond that. I don't think that private solarization should be seen as a way to earn income but rather to provide diversity to the collection of energy by the system as a whole I saw this mess when I lived in Nevada. Fairness to me is a one for one exchange of KWh with the excess being reimbursed at the wholesale rate.

Where this gets tricky is that states/systems are prone to directly promising or strongly implying that there will be a retail recompense for overage. If that's the case, then you've painted yourselves into a bit of a corner in terms of fairness and equity. At the very least, if that is the case, you should consider a process of change over time to allow the people who are already into the system based on past promises to be treated fairly. You could set a change of policy date and grandfather in those already acting according to the current presumption. That's just a thought. Good luck.

Sincerely, Robert Sturk 2450 Hively St Sarasota, FL 34231-6825

From: mvhaddad@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Michael Haddad

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Sincerely, Michael Haddad 4402 Carolwood St Orlando, FL 32812-7905

From:

echiles@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Edward Chiles

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Sent:

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Sincerely, Edward Chiles 806 Gladiolus St Anna Maria, FL 34216

From: scottehuffaker@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Scott huffaker

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Sincerely, Scott huffaker 201 S Stillman St Pensacola, FL 32505-8067

From:

jjcrjc01@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jamrs Craig <jjcrjc01

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Sent:

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Sincerely, Jamrs Craig Bradenton Beach, FL 34217 jjcrjc01@gmail.com

From: jochapman1944@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jo Chapman < jochapman1944

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Sent: Wednesday, September 2, 2020 10:20 PM

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Sincerely, Jo Chapman 3650 Latimar St Mims, FL 32754-3005