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**From:** Cristina Slaton  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 10, 2020 9:57 AM  
**To:** Commissioner Correspondence  
**Subject:** Docket Correspondence  
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Good morning,

Please place the attached emails in CORRESPONDENCE-Consumers & Representatives in docket 20200000-OT

Thank you,

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**From:** Michael Travis <Michael.Travis.50367810@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 8:05 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Thank you,  
Michael Travis  
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**From:** Alexandra Gordon <Alexandra.Gordon.222226130@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 8:01 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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Thank you,  
Alexandra Gordon  
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**From:** Kathryn Coutcher <Kathryn.Coutcher.173051175@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 7:57 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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Thank you,  
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**From:** Susan DeWitt <Susan.DeWitt.15732075@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 7:46 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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**From:** Valerie Judkins <Valerie.Judkins.30436527@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 7:39 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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**From:** Susan Hayes <Susan.Hayes.76926181@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 7:32 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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**From:** patricia ramos <patricia.ramos.74601273@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 7:33 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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Thank you,  
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**From:** BENNIE WOODARD <BENNIE.WOODARD.229897238@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 7:28 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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BENNIE WOODARD  
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**From:** Jen H <Jen.H.231092247@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 7:06 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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Jen H  
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**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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**From:** Diana Cowans <Diana.Cowans.17091255@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 6:44 PM  
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This should be common sense. Please defend solar workers, business owners, homeowners, and our environment from additional uncertainty by preserving retail compensation for net metering here in Florida.

Thank you,  
Diana Cowans  
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Bradenton, FL 34209

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**From:** Kevin Hurley <Kevin.Hurley.230373444@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 6:40 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
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**From:** Lee Patrizzi <Lee.Patrizzi.74521416@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Lynda Leibowitz <Lynda.Leibowitz.16664368@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 6:15 PM  
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**From:** Dobi Dobroslawa <Dobi.Dobroslawa.71511168@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 6:10 PM  
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**From:** Marcia Hoodwin <Marcia.Hoodwin.15586834@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Tara Hottenstein <Tara.Hottenstein.16954780@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Michael Violante <Michael.Violante.230509858@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Sharon Russick <Sharon.Russick.74536942@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Amy Anderson <Amy.Anderson.14610918@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 5:24 PM  
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**From:** John Malloy <John.Malloy.82797016@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Hazel Edlinger <Hazel.Edlinger.74549281@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Denis Hanlon <Denis.Hanlon.309729848@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 5:03 PM  
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**From:** Lauren Johnson <Lauren.Johnson.95685052@p2a.co>  
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**From:** Joy Volz <Joy.Volz.83629417@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 4:55 PM  
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People and businesses across the state rely on commonsense solar policies to take control of their own energy. Solar benefits Floridians' safety too. Solar panels and batteries contribute to the resilience of the electric grid. As we progress through hurricane season, Floridians need more tools – not less – in order to weather all the storms that are coming our way.

Please defend solar workers, business owners, homeowners, and our environment from additional uncertainty by preserving retail compensation for net metering here in Florida.

Thank you,  
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**From:** Cheryl Gaiefsky <Cheryl.Gaiefsky.95679374@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 4:29 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Donald Polmann,

Time and time again, Florida's voters have made their support for policies meant to encourage the spread of rooftop solar clear. In 2016 voters rejected the utility-driven "Amendment 1", which would have prohibited the subsidization of solar energy, and approved 'Amendment 4', which provided tax exemptions for rooftop solar customers.

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Thank you,  
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**From:** Gene Warrick <gwmachine01@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 4:26 PM  
**To:** Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown  
**Subject:** Net-Metering Works for Floridians

Dear Commissioners,

The middle of a public health and economic crisis is not the time to create more uncertainty by making changes to solar rights that will hurt jobs and take money out of people's pockets.

Before COVID-19, the Sunshine state produced the 4th most electricity from solar panels in the country, and employed over 12,000 people. Before this crisis began, "solar installer" was the fastest growing job in the country, and our industry employed 250,000 people. The COVID-19 crisis could put half, 125,000, of these jobs at risk in communities across the United States. Florida has already lost 22% of its workforce due to economic uncertainty, and this could get worse.

People and businesses across the state rely on common sense solar policies to take control of their own energy, and choose how they power their lives.

Solar panels and batteries contribute to the resilience of the electric grid. As we enter hurricane season, Floridians need more tools – not less – in order to weather all the storms that are coming our way.

Please defend solar workers, business owners, and homeowners from additional uncertainty by preserving net metering here in Florida.

Sincerely,

Gene Warrick

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**From:** Melinda Richards <Melinda.Richards.74346231@p2a.co>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 9, 2020 4:21 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Polmann  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Thank you,  
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