From:

Veronica Washington

Sent:

Friday, September 11, 2020 7:30 AM

To:

Commissioner Correspondence

Subject:

Protect our solar rights!

**Attachments:** 

Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Net-Metering Works for Floridians; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Net-Metering Works for Floridians; Net-Metering Works for Floridians; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000

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**Thanks** 

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From:

Catherine Shea < Catherine. Shea. 359816297@p2a.co>

Sent:

Friday, September 11, 2020 6:22 AM

To:

Office of Commissioner Fay

Subject:

Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

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.

Florida is in the middle of a public health and economic crisis. Undermining the rights of solar customers to receive full compensation for the power they produce will hurt jobs and take money out of people's pockets. Now is not the time to create more uncertainty by changing the fundamental economic landscape of the solar industry.

Before COVID-19, the Sunshine state produced the fourth most electricity from solar panels in the country, led the country in new solar jobs, 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 threaten up to 125,000 of these jobs across the United States. Florida is struggling with an above 10% unemployment rate since May and the economic hardship could get worse if you end retail-rate net metering.

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, Catherine Shea 11500 Gore Ln Captiva, FL 33924

From:

sanussel@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sara Nussel

<sanussel@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 11:51 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Fay

Subject:

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Sincerely, Sara Nussel Williston, FL 32696

From:

spurucker@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susanna Purucker

<spurucker@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 4:21 PM

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Sincerely, Susanna Purucker 910 West Ave Miami Beach, FL 33139-5234

From:

Icheekint@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Leslie Cheek

<ld><lcheekint@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 4:20 PM

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Sincerely, Leslie Cheek 6015 Chardonnay Ln Apt 301 Naples, FL 34119-4730

From:

karaslmc@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Lora Karas

<karaslmc@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Lora Karas 915 N Franklin St Tampa, FL 33602-3815

From:

Leaderence@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Lea Derence

<Leaderence@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Friday, September 11, 2020 12:05 AM

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Sincerely, Lea Derence 3433 Tortuga Way Naples, FL 34105-2771

From: maryfran.hedges@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Hedges

<maryfran.hedges@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Mary Hedges 2505 N Stampede Dr Beverly Hills, FL 34465-4616

From:

franfiddle@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Frances Michaels

<franfiddle@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 11:49 PM

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Sincerely,
Frances Michaels
204 Chipley Ave Pensacola, FL 32503-6423

From:

KBDODSON@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kenneth Dodson

<KBDODSON@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Kenneth Dodson 5359 Taf Ln Milton, FL 32570-8033

From: Ionnieflmany@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Lonnie Solomon

<lonnieflmany@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Lonnie Solomon 8608 San Andros West Palm Beach, FL 33411-5515

From:

chotapeg@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Virginia Hitchcock

<chotapeg@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Friday, September 11, 2020 12:13 AM

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Florida should be the national leader in the use of solar energy - we're the Sunshine State, afterall.

This is critically important.

Thank you for hearing my voice.

Sincerely, Virginia Hitchcock 1639 Peregrine Point Ct Sarasota, FL 34231-3352

From: mrm4fsu@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Marilyn Mansberry

<mrm4fsu@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2020 10:18 PM

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Sincerely, Marilyn Mansberry 968 Bellaire Ln Rockledge, FL 32955-4012

From: phil.zeitler@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of PHILIP ZEITLER

<phil.zeitler@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, PHILIP ZEITLER 3880 N Calumet Ter Hernando, FL 34442-2905

From:

wolf\_knoess@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Wolfgang Knoess

<wolf\_knoess@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 8:16 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Fay

Subject:

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

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

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.

At the start of 2020, Florida was ranked 4th in the nation for solar energy production, employing thousands of people and powering the Sunshine State with clean, affordable, homegrown energy. The economic downturn has already put many of these jobs and future solar development at risk - we don't need sudden regulatory changes in solar policies to create even more uncertainty here in Florida.

Our current net metering rule allows a number of Floridians to grow a segment of the solar market by choosing to power their homes and businesses with Florida's number one natural resource, sunshine. Florida citizens and customers overwhelmingly support the current successful net metering policy allowing compensation for the solar energy they generate and provide to the electricity grid.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

Sincerely,
Wolfgang Knoess
Sarasota, FL 34243
wolf knoess@fullchannel.net

From:

marissa.rafalski@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of marissa rafalski

<marissa.rafalski@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, marissa rafalski 13430 74th Ave Seminole, FL 33776-3930

From: hilkida@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Barbara Ida

<hilkida@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2020 4:16 PM

To: Office of Commissioner Fay

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

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

Why, in the middle of a climate crisis and a pandemic would you be holding secret meetings to stymie the growth of rooftop solar? Please do not think of profits right now. Think of the planet, of wildfires raging, of double hurricanes, of melting arctic ice, of species disappearing and of course, of the pandemic. Anything that helps to mitigate this catastrophe should be encouraged. It is time to think of the public, not the power corporations. Net metering means jobs, too.

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Sincerely, Barbara Ida 1615 Breeze Ln Melbourne, FL 32935-2043

**From:** gillespie\_tyler@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Tyler Gillespie

<gillespie\_tyler@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Tyler Gillespie 9091 Airway Dr Pensacola, FL 32514-3323

From: basenji@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joan Bradley

<basenji@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Joan Bradley Winter Springs, FL 32708

From:

Kiwiheather@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Heather Hutchison

<Kiwiheather@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Heather Hutchison 6023 NW 77th Ter Parkland, FL 33067-1107

From: wazabeljoliecliff@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Isabel Kalfaian

<wazabeljoliecliff@everyactioncustom.com>

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My son, who lives in Montauk, NY runs his home almost year round, using solar, and is able to send what he doesn't need back to the grid. He and the community profit! Florida has the perfect climate for solar, support it!

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Sincerely, Isabel Kalfaian Boca Raton, FL 33432

From: ronnieheller@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ronnie Heller

<ronnieheller@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Ronnie Heller 1859 NW 96th Ave Plantation, FL 33322-5626

From: daddyob@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Don Burke

<daddyob@everyactioncustom.com>

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What problem are you trying to solve with this?

Sincerely,
Don Burke
1779 Markham Glen Cir Longwood, FL 32779-2798

From: najib.nadahalwani@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Najib Halwani

<najib.nadahalwani@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Friday, September 11, 2020 12:10 AM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay

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

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Sincerely, Najib Halwani Pinecrest, FL 33156

From:

balleting@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Beth Berkowitz

<balleting@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 11:45 PM

To:

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Sincerely,
Beth Berkowitz
11665 Derbyshire Ln Boynton Beach, FL 33437-1687

From:

William Dods < William. Dods. 111021022@p2a.co>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 11:37 PM

To:

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Thank you, William Dods 2449 Flicker Pl Melbourne, FL 32904

From:

Bob Moore <Bob.Moore.318497800@p2a.co>

Sent:

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Thank you, Bob Moore 2018 Wild Lime Dr Sanibel, FL 33957

From:

arogach@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alex Rogachevsky

<arogach@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Alex Rogachevsky 627 34th Ave NE Saint Petersburg, FL 33704-2334

From:

jfmdbm@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joan Marshall

<jfmdbm@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Joan Marshall 17623 Island Inlet Ct Fort Myers, FL 33908-6198

From:

boodog301@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ellen Siegel <boodog301

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Sincerely, Ellen Siegel 4046 NW 59th Ave Gainesville, FL 32653-8360

From: angelaschweers1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Angela Schweers

<angelaschweers1@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2020 4:26 PM

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Sincerely, Angela Schweers Orlando, FL 32804

From:

vykisabo46@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of VYKI AND JOHN SABO <vykisabo46

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, VYKI AND JOHN SABO Port Saint Lucie, FL 34984

From: blbfranzel@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Bernita Franzel

<blbfranzel@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Bernita Franzel
5072 White Oak Ct Bradenton, FL 34207-2254

From:

alcurcio007@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Anthony Curcio <alcurcio007

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Anthony Curcio Tarpon Springs, FL 34688

From:

Itmikes1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Michael Simpson < Itmikes1

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 7:57 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely, Michael Simpson 32647 Itmikes1@gmail.com

From:

Kevin Hilt <parabolic3@msn.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 8:21 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** 

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Kevin Hilt

Ms Kevin Hilt parabolic3@msn.com 800 s osprey ave Sarasota, FL 34236

From: michael.h.hall@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Michael Hall

<michael.h.hall@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Michael Hall Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316

From:

el@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Elisa Demary <el@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,
Elisa Demary
1280 Arlington Ave Merritt Island, FL 32952-5402

From:

jarmitage5@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Armitage <jarmitage5

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Robert Armitage
124 W Sandalwood Ct Daytona Beach, FL 32119-1465

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sandyhammersnowe@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sandy Snowe RN

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Sandy Snowe RN
555 Barrett Dr Merritt Island, FL 32952-5806

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vemula2002@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Srikanth Vemula <vemula2002

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From:

moonstruck78@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Maryann DeLorenzo

<moonstruck78@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Maryann DeLorenzo
Sarasota, FL 34233
moonstruck78@verizon.net

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alice.o.mann@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alice Mann

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terrlia@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Theresa Lianzi

<terrlia@everyactioncustom.com>

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hmp2102@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Helen Andersen < hmp2102

@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Helen Andersen Parrish, FL 34219 hmp2102@gmail.com

From: harriettevm@eve

harriettevm@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Harriett Myers

<harriettevm@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 8:11 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Fay

Subject:

Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Harriett Myers 815 Colorado Ave Lynn Haven, FL 32444-1934

From:

wreckdiv@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Richard Paquin

<wreckdiv@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 12:25 PM

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Sincerely,
Richard Paquin
6250 5th Ave S Saint Petersburg, FL 33707-1415

From:

PatrMcGraw@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Patricia McGraw

<PatrMcGraw@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 6:24 PM

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Sincerely, Patricia McGraw Pensacola, FL 32503

From:

piksyqueen@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Amy Dodge

<piksyqueen@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Amy Dodge Panama City, FL 32405

From:

g.weaver50@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of George Weaver < g.weaver50

@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, George Weaver 2448 Cat Cay Ln Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312-4752

From:

noogie69@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Cheryl Jacobs <noogie69

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Cheryl Jacobs 20 Island Ave Apt 707 Miami Beach, FL 33139-1306

From:

jowms@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Helen Jo Williams

<jowms@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Helen Jo Williams 6501 17th Ave W # J-213 Bradenton, FL 34209-7817

From:

amandafurman@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Amanda Furman

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Sincerely, Amanda Furman 1411 Yates St Orlando, FL 32804-5640

From: wlakin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of William Lakin

<wlain@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2020 8:19 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay

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

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Sincerely, William Lakin Sarasota, FL 34236 wlakin@together.net

From:

wynnancy@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nancy Albright

<wynnancy@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,
Nancy Albright
691 Blairshire Cir Winter Park, FL 32792-4767

From:

iweiss4@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Irene Weiss <iweiss4

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Irene Weiss Palm Harbor, FL 34684

From: mamawheeze@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Laura Frenchik

<mamawheeze@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2020 7:22 PM

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Sincerely, Laura Frenchik 284 Howard Blvd Longwood, FL 32750-4612

From:

STEVENLIL@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Lillian Cornell

<STEVENLIL@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Lillian Cornell Bradenton, FL 34207

From: christine\_reilly@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Christine Reilly

<christine\_reilly@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Christine Reilly
3315 Whirl A Way Trl Tallahassee, FL 32309-1925

From:

lwvsc.barbara.williams@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Barbara Williams

<lwvsc.barbara.williams@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Barbara Williams
2606 N Indian River Dr Cocoa, FL 32922-7082

**From:** mayorlerner@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Cindy Lerner

<mayorlerner@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2020 7:51 PM

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Sincerely,
Cindy Lerner
5901 Moss Ranch Rd Pinecrest, FL 33156-5636

From:

c\_larson@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Carol Larson

<c\_larson@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Carol Larson 219 W 2nd Ct Key Largo, FL 33037-2611

From:

anewlon@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nancy Newlon

<anewlon@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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jasccp@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Schillo

<jasccp@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,
James Schillo
11643 Tradewinds Blvd Largo, FL 33773-4419

From:

Helen Andersen <a href="https://www.hmp2102@gmail.com">https://www.hmp2102@gmail.com</a>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 8:10 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** 

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Ms Helen Andersen hmp2102@gmail.com 8136 115th Ave E Parrish, FL 34219

From:

Mark Paul <markvpaul62@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Mark Paul

Dr. Mark Paul markvpaul62@gmail.com 3724 Iroquois Ave Sarasota, FL 34234

From:

Meghan Houston < Meghan. Houston. 17037426@p2a.co>

Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 7:23 PM

To:

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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.

Florida is in the middle of a public health and economic crisis. Undermining the rights of solar customers to receive full compensation for the power they produce will hurt jobs and take money out of people's pockets. Now is not the time to create more uncertainty by changing the fundamental economic landscape of the solar industry.

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Thank you, Meghan Houston 312 Jefferson Ave Lehigh Acres, FL 33936

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Sent:

Thursday, September 10, 2020 7:06 PM

To:

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Subject:

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