From:	Betty Leland
Sent:	Monday, September 14, 2020 7:21 AM
То:	Commissioner Correspondence
Subject:	Protect Our Solar Rights
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Good Afternoon:

Please place this email in Docket #202000000.

Thanks.

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

From:	Douglas Morrison <douglas.morrison.74663626@p2a.co></douglas.morrison.74663626@p2a.co>
Sent:	Thursday, September 10, 2020 3:05 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Thank you, Douglas Morrison 17 Florida Dr Key Largo, FL 33037

From:	Patricia Cooney <patricia.cooney.71628790@p2a.co></patricia.cooney.71628790@p2a.co>
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Thank you, Patricia Cooney 5911 3rd St S St. Petersburg, FL 33705

From:	Vincent Lopez <vincent.lopez.51016764@p2a.co></vincent.lopez.51016764@p2a.co>
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Sent:	Thursday, September 10, 2020 2:20 PM
То:	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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Austin Miller

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Mr Austin Miller pesaustinm@gmail.com 36241 Bristol Cir. Grand Island , Florida 32735

From:	Bradley Saylor <bradley.saylor.359571460@p2a.co></bradley.saylor.359571460@p2a.co>
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Thank you, Bradley Saylor 2781 Jewel Ave Deltona, FL 32738

From:	Kathryn Williamson <kathryn.williamson.57156772@p2a.co></kathryn.williamson.57156772@p2a.co>
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Thank you, Kathryn Williamson 25626 Laurel Valley Rd Leesburg, FL 34748

From:	jlenart1695@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joseph Lenart <jlenart1695< th=""></jlenart1695<>
	@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Saturday, September 12, 2020 2:46 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject:	I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Joseph Lenart Winter Springs, FL 32708 jlenart1695@yahoo.com

From:	gt@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Giuseppe Totino <gt@everyactioncustom.com></gt@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Saturday, September 12, 2020 9:47 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Graham
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Sincerely, Giuseppe Totino 2255 Nairn Dr Winter Park, FL 32792-4128

From:	jsamo@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of John Samorajczyk
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Sincerely, John Samorajczyk 5414 Leilani Dr St Pete Beach, FL 33706-2325

From:	webakers@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Richard Baker <webakers@everyactioncustom.com></webakers@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Saturday, September 12, 2020 10:42 AM
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Sincerely, Richard Baker 1501 Wekewa Nene Tallahassee, FL 32301-6726

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Sincerely, Michael Gonzalez Miami, FL 33176

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Sincerely, enita berkheiser 2231 Desoto Way S Saint Petersburg, FL 33712-4141

From:	ralphelefante@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ralph Elefante <ralphelefante@everyactioncustom.com></ralphelefante@everyactioncustom.com>
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From:	sgt8107@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Daniel H Martin <sgt8107< th=""></sgt8107<>
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Sincerely, Emily Janninck Ocoee, FL 34761

From:	maryflyn@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Flynn <maryflyn@everyactioncustom.com></maryflyn@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Saturday, September 12, 2020 10:30 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Graham
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Sincerely, Mary Flynn Captiva, FL 33924 maryflyn@hotmail.com

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I am looking forward to being a Florida homeowner someday soon. Currently, I rent. But I know when I have that home, I want to power it with solar and do my part to help the planet. Please don't take away my right to make my own energy choices!

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Sincerely, Debby Baker 585 Scrubjay Ln Jupiter, FL 33458-8374

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