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Good Morning:

Please place this email in Docket #20200000.

Thanks.

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Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner
Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown
Net-Metering Works for Floridians

Dear Commissioners,

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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.

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Sincerely,

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Thank you, Bryan Harris 2081 Big Buck Dr St. Cloud, FL 34772

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Thank you, Stephan Filsinger 10826 Country Haven Dr Lakeland, FL 33809

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Thank you, Sam Hay 4779 SE Quail Trail Stuart, FL 34997

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Thank you, Kathryn Williams 10630 Essex Square Blvd Fort Myers, FL 33913

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Thank you, George Suca 711 Emerald Harbor Dr Longboat Key, FL 34228

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