From: Sent: To: Subject: Attachments: Jennifer Brownfield Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:34 PM Commissioner Correspondence Docket No. 20200000

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Good afternoon,

Please add the attached emails to Docket No. 20200000.

Best,

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From:	Angelina Petrovic < Angelina.Petrovic.252851520@p2a.co>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 11:38 AM Office of Commissioner Brown
To:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000
Subject:	Protect our solar rights: Docket. 2020-0000

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Thank you, Angelina Petrovic 6300 South Pointe Blvd Fort Myers, FL 33919

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: Sent:	Joanne Burton <joanne.burton.82441416@p2a.co> Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:28 PM</joanne.burton.82441416@p2a.co>
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Thank you, Joanne Burton 5109 SW 103 Dr Gainesville, FL 32608

From:	gdudley4@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Greg Dudley <gdudley4 @everyactioncustom.com></gdudley4
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:22 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Greg Dudley Fort Pierce, FL 34949 gdudley4@cfl.rr.com

From:	fmhiggins@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Fred Higgins <fmhiggins@everyactioncustom.com></fmhiggins@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Fred Higgins 334 Alvah Brazell Rd N Kingsland, GA 31548-7506

From:	gdelgadillo@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gladys Delgadillo
	<gdelgadillo@everyactioncustom.com></gdelgadillo@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:07 PM
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Sincerely, Gladys Delgadillo 1285 5th Ave N Unit B Naples, FL 34102-3473

From:	jfoxgeojoc@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of John Foxen
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Sincerely, John Foxen 811 Crooked Branch Dr Clermont, FL 34711-9616

From:	joefarone@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joe Farone
	<joefarone@everyactioncustom.com></joefarone@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:23 PM
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Sincerely, Joe Farone Fort Lauderdale, FL 33334 joefarone@gmail.com

From:	glennebv@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Glenn Beaver <glennebv@everyactioncustom.com></glennebv@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Glenn Beaver 607 Halverson Ct Jacksonville, FL 32225-7107

From:	bmwcarstuff@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Ringold <bmwcarstuff@everyactioncustom.com></bmwcarstuff@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 10:38 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

Duke is our energy provider. My solar system has recorded the following since installation:

We have experienced forty (40) power failure events for a total of fifteen (15) backup hours. Our solar is more reliable than Duke.

Please keep net metering so solar is affordable. There are more important things than excessive power company profits. The physical health of children as an example.

With sufficient and clean solar no more utility power plants will need to be build. Reducing the garbage burden of our planet. Please thing long term, not about short term profits.

Sincerely, James Ringold Dunedin, FL 34698

From:	ctsnc2012@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Christian Stearns <ctsnc2012 @everyactioncustom.com></ctsnc2012
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Sincerely, Christian Stearns Cape Coral, FL 33990 ctsnc2012@gmail.com

From:	jasperay@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Raymond Drainville <jasperay@everyactioncustom.com></jasperay@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 10:37 AM
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Sincerely, Raymond Drainville Hollywood, FL 33021 jasperay@yahoo.com

From:	fionaiprosser@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Fiona Prosser <fionaiprosser@everyactioncustom.com></fionaiprosser@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Fiona Prosser 1020 Deleon Dr Apt 209 Dunedin, FL 34698-6077

From:	willb7@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Brian Wilson <willb7 @everyactioncustom.com></willb7
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Sincerely, Brian Wilson 441 Anastasia Ave Coral Gables, FL 33134-7169

From:	thaaren@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Tom Haaren <thaaren@everyactioncustom.com></thaaren@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, James Chesson 534 12th Ave N Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250-4795

From:	jvervill@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of John Verville
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Sincerely, John Verville 1184 36th Ave NE St Petersburg, FL 33704-1616

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Sincerely, Sergio Solis 4340 SW 112th Ave Miami, FL 33165-4772

From:	steveb@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Stephen Baker <steveb@everyactioncustom.com></steveb@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Stephen Baker 238 Quay Assisi New Smyrna Beach, FL 32169-5112

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Sincerely, Desiree Middleton Dania, FL 33004 middletond37@yahoo.com

From:	arhevesh@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alissa Hevesh <arhevesh@everyactioncustom.com></arhevesh@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 11:40 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Alissa Hevesh Saint Petersburg, FL 33707 arhevesh@eckerd.edu

From:	pegprimeau@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Margaret Primeau <pegprimeau@everyactioncustom.com></pegprimeau@everyactioncustom.com>
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Don't forget that utilities also benefit from net metering, since they can sell to other customers the excess power that solar owners generate.

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Sincerely, Margaret Primeau 5538 N Bravado Ter Beverly Hills, FL 34465-2103

From:	qearth@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Quilla Miralia <gearth@everyactioncustom.com></gearth@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:25 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

I support net metering. Solar system owners should be able to sell back the power they produce to the grid. We should be doing all we can to encourage individual solar ownership in this state.

Sincerely, Quilla Miralia Tallahassee, FL 32301 qearth@gmail.com

From:	z.adefris@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Zelalem Adefris <z.adefris@everyactioncustom.com></z.adefris@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Zelalem Adefris 1236 Drexel Ave Miami Beach, FL 33139-8222

From:	sgreenbaum@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susan D Greenbaum <sgreenbaum@everyactioncustom.com></sgreenbaum@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Susan D Greenbaum 517 Montrose Ave Temple Terrace, FL 33617-3837

From:	Chang Kang <chang.kang.360948758@p2a.co></chang.kang.360948758@p2a.co>
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Regards, Chang Kang 5409 Burchette Rd Tampa, FL 33647

From:	120	christinahammond33@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Christina Hammond <christinahammond33@everyactioncustom.com></christinahammond33@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Christina Hammond 327 E Coral Trace Cir Delray Beach, FL 33445-3619

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Sincerely, Katherine Morgan Miami, FL 33155 kittymorgan@bellsouth.net

From:	Jane Marquet <jane.marquet.230910898@p2a.co></jane.marquet.230910898@p2a.co>
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Thank you, Jane Marquet 8138 Elijo Ct Englewood, FL 34223

From:	frankthesurfer@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Frank Bodine <frankthesurfer@everyactioncustom.com></frankthesurfer@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Frank Bodine Thonotosassa, FL 33592

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Sincerely, Chad Gaglioti 11238 Hendon Dr Jacksonville, FL 32246-7195

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Sincerely, Daniel De Arazoza Hialeah, FL 33016 arazoza@gmail.com

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Sincerely, Lisa Mazzola Tampa, FL 33612 Imazzola@tampabay.rr.com

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Sincerely, Evan Pfeffer Hollywood, FL 33021

From:	seanjohns@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sean Johnson <seanjohns@everyactioncustom.com></seanjohns@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Sean Johnson 17024 Sunray Rd Tallahassee, FL 32309-1452

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Sincerely, Doug Boehm 18953 SE Fernwood Dr Jupiter, FL 33469-1651

From:	yovannaypineda@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Yovanna Pineda <yovannaypineda@everyactioncustom.com></yovannaypineda@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Yovanna Pineda Oviedo, FL 32765 yovannaypineda@gmail.com

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Sincerely, Ryan Anderson Deland, FL 32720 ryananderson@outlook.com

From:	sommer@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Bettie Sommer <sommer@everyactioncustom.com></sommer@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Bettie Sommer Orlando, FL 32817 sommer@ucf.edu

From:	dhaggerty3@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Donald Haggerty <dhaggerty3 @everyactioncustom.com></dhaggerty3
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Sincerely, Donald Haggerty 424 Barbados Cir Lakeland, FL 33803-4618

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Thank you, Jessie Ferri 3705 Kalewood Pl Valrico, FL 33596

From:	nel.cain@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Stephanie Cain <nel.cain@everyactioncustom.com></nel.cain@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 8:40 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

As a member of the "public," as in "Public Service Commission," and a citizen with residential solar, I urge you to preserve net metering here in Florida.

We need to encourage more citizens and businesses to install solar, rather than padding the pockets of the monopolistic utilities.

Because installing solar is expensive, net metering provides incentive to those considering installation. The utilities will continue to make money hand-over-fist even with net metering in place, so please protect the "public" by protecting net metering!

Sincerely, Stephanie Cain Saint Petersburg, FL 33705

From:	jacquiemdfr@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jacqueline Neetz <jacquiemdfr@everyactioncustom.com></jacquiemdfr@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:28 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Jacqueline Neetz Miami, FL 33166 jacquiemdfr@gmail.com

From:	taughtb4@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Bruining <taughtb4< th=""></taughtb4<>
	@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 4:42 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Robert Bruining Lakeland, FL 33803

From:	cpt_crunch70@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Chris Meadors <cpt_crunch70 @everyactioncustom.com></cpt_crunch70
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:38 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
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Sincerely, Chris Meadors Kissimmee, FL 34744 cpt_crunch70@msn.com

From:	gwcram@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gregory Cram <gwcram@everyactioncustom.com></gwcram@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:13 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

Over 60,000 families and businesses have invested millions of their own dollars in solar energy in Florida. Because of strong solar policies their investment helps everyone save by reducing transmission costs, providing local peak energy resources, bolstering grid resilience and more. Those savings are reflected in everyone's electricity rates.

We won't let our voice be silenced. Be aware, Florida PSC, that we are watching and we want more solar, not less! I am writing the Florida PSC to protect our solar rights!

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Sincerely, Gregory Cram 3612 Casablanca Ave St Pete Beach, FL 33706-3904

From:	jvbird45@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Vera Birdsong <jvbird45 @everyactioncustom.com></jvbird45
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 8:41 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Vera Birdsong Melbourne, FL 32901

From: Sent:	Trish Dobereiner <trish.dobereiner.31739359@p2a.co> Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:47 PM</trish.dobereiner.31739359@p2a.co>
To:	Office of Commissioner Brown Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000
Subject:	Protect our solar rights: Docket. 2020-0000

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Thank you, Trish Dobereiner 1748 Broad Winged Hawk Dr Ruskin, FL 33570

From: Sent: To:	Michae Coiro <mfcoiro@yahoo.com> Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:49 PM Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Delegance Office of Commissioner Four Office of Commissioner Brown</mfcoiro@yahoo.com>
Subject:	Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown {BULK} Net-Metering Works for Floridians
Importance:	Low

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Sincerely,

Michae Coiro

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Mr Michae Coiro mfcoiro@yahoo.com 3215 Washington Rd West Palm Beach, FL 33405

From:	CINDY ROHLWING <cindy.rohlwing.82050753@p2a.co></cindy.rohlwing.82050753@p2a.co>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:50 PM
To:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Thank you, CINDY ROHLWING 2611 NW 37th Terrace Gainesville, FL 32605

From: Sent:	Michael Stella < Michael.Stella.16229497@p2a.co> Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:56 PM
To:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Thank you, Michael Stella 529 Elizabeth St Key West, FL 33040

From:	Kristopher Stavely <kris@stavely.us></kris@stavely.us>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:59 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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Sincerely,

Kristopher Stavely

Mr Kristopher Stavely kris@stavely.us 4745 3rd Ave South, None Saint Petersburg, FL 33711

From: Sent: To: Subject:	Sean Coleman <ucfsean@hotmail.com> Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:06 PM Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown {BULK} Net-Metering Works for Floridians</ucfsean@hotmail.com>
Importance:	Low

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Sincerely,

Sean Coleman

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Ms Sean Coleman ucfsean@hotmail.com 12508 Clydesdale Ct. Tampa, Fl 33626

From:	Rydr Gibson <ryderg@att.net></ryderg@att.net>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:08 PM
To:	Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner
Subject:	Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown Net-Metering Works for Floridians

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Sincerely,

Rydr Gibson

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Mr Rydr Gibson ryderg@att.net 7128 150th Cuort North Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418

From:	pjfigueroa10@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Pedro Figueroa <pjfigueroa10 @everyactioncustom.com></pjfigueroa10
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 12:57 PM
To:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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I have two systems myself and net metering is very important in order for me to get the correct amount for each KW I put into the system.

Sincerely, Pedro Figueroa 7330 Woodbriar Ct Orlando, FL 32835-2707

From:	floridaearthrabbit@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Judith Klar <floridaearthrabbit@everyactioncustom.com></floridaearthrabbit@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:07 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Judith Klar Tampa, FL 33603 floridaearthrabbit@yahoo.com

From:	4brettearl@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of William Earl <4brettearl@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 9:01 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, William Earl 22083 Soliel Cir W Boca Raton, FL 33433-5346

From:	mpritchett@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mark Pritchett <mpritchett@everyactioncustom.com></mpritchett@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 9:05 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

There is a growing grassroots movement to go solar throughout Florida. As a CEO of one of the largest community foundations in Florida, we are funding organizations that will help neighborhoods transition to solar. This is one of the most popular projects we have supported in the last six years.

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Sincerely, Mark Pritchett 601 Tamiami Trl S Venice, FL 34285-3237

From:	holger.sprute@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jan Holger Sprute <holger.sprute@everyactioncustom.com></holger.sprute@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 9:09 AM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Jan Holger Sprute 16 Rollins Dr Palm Coast, FL 32137-2426

From:	nittanylion001@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joseph Mingione <nittanylion001 @everyactioncustom.com></nittanylion001
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:09 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Joseph Mingione 508 12th Ave S Saint Petersburg, FL 33701-5203

From:	steve@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Steve Realmuto <steve@everyactioncustom.com></steve@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:10 PM
To:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	I SUPPORT Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

I strongly support keeping net metering as it is with no changes. Without net metering, many homeowners would not install solar. Solar helps reduce a utilities cost by providing power during peak usage times. Without this solar generation, utilities would be forced to either buy more power at high rates on the spot market or invest more to build more plants to meet peak usage demands

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Sincerely, Steve Realmuto Lake Wales, FL 33859 steve@realmuto.net

From:	shaunmarie171@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Shaun Levin <shaunmarie171 @everyactioncustom.com></shaunmarie171
Sent:	Wednesday, September 16, 2020 1:11 PM
To:	Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject:	Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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

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

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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, Victor Francis North Port, FL 34287 victorfran@gmail.com

From:	metzger007@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Anne Anderson <metzger007 @everyactioncustom.com></metzger007
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Our home just had Solar installed this week. It is the right thing to do for our family, the environment and our kids' future. Please support consumer solar including Net Metering.

Sincerely, Anne Anderson 1465 49th Ave NE St Petersburg, FL 33703-4121

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Thank you, jeanne brown 1701 Pinehurst Rd Dunedin, FL 34698

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