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From: Hannah Barker
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To: Commissioner Correspondence
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Good morning,

Please place the attached emails in Docket No. 20200000.

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From: Daniel Rivera <Daniel.Rivera.362918605@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 7:44 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect net metering

Dear Commissioner Gary Clark,

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Regards,
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From: Mark Malowitz <Mark.Malowitz.362916643@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 7:33 PM
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Regards,
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From: Larry Mitchell <Larry.Mitchell.362878376@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 5:49 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
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Regards,
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From: Robert McLean <Robert.McLean.362873641@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 5:37 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
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Regards,
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From: Jacqueline Odei <Jackqueline.Odei.362868322@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 5:27 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect net metering

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Regards,
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From: Bill Stokes <Bill.Stokes.13369035@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 5:14 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Gary F. Clark,

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,
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From: Brent Richter <Brent.Richter.362853715@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 4:51 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect net metering

Dear Commissioner Gary Clark,

Please leave residential net metering intact.

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From: Richard Sommerville <Richard.Sommerville.362809183@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 2:58 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
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Thank you,
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From: Deborah Keyes <Deborah.Keyes.362748046@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 21, 2020 11:44 AM
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