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## **Antonia Hover**

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Attachments: Angie Calhoun Monday, March 15, 2021 4:56 PM Consumer Correspondence Diane Hood FW: To CLK Docket 20210015 Proposed FPL Rate Increase; FL rate increase

Consumer correspondence for docket 20210015.

Angela Calhoun

From: Diane Hood <DHOOD@PSC.STATE.FL.US> Sent: Monday, March 15, 2021 4:54 PM To: Angie Calhoun <ACalhoun@PSC.STATE.FL.US> Subject: To CLK Docket 20210015

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From: Sent: To: Subject: Mark I. Roth <mir@us-roths.com> Sunday, March 14, 2021 2:29 PM Consumer Contact Proposed FPL Rate Increase

Rate increases to improve the efficiency of the generating system (e.g. Solar Power, Wind Power) must be totally denied. Development of solar generating capacity and other renewable resource generation methods, are one-time, capital costs that once completed will reduce the cost of generating electricity. Raising retail rates which is a recurring revenue source to accommodate a one-time capital need need is not appropriate and would necessitate a rate reduction once the capital need was satisfied. We all know that once rates are raised they will not be lowered. Capital improvements that will result in cost savings must be funded through reinvestment of corporate profits, corporate borrowing, or both and should not be passed on to ratepayers. Interest rates are at extraordinarily low rates and there is no cost associated with reinvestment of profits. FPL already generates a reasonable profit margin and renewable resource generation projects should not be used to increase that margin at ratepayer expense.

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Best regards,

Mark

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## **Antonia Hover**

From: Sent: To: Subject: vdc89@aol.com Saturday, March 13, 2021 7:30 PM Consumer Contact FL rate increase

Dear Sirs,

As our state recovers from the economic struggles as a result of COVID in addition to being a state with so many senior citizen residents that live on fixed incomes, it would be less than prudent to increase electric rates. The average Florida resident can not absorb higher rates as so many other staples such as food and fuel increase exponentially. Search your conscience. How much income is enough for the VIP's at the expense of your customers? Thank you.

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Valerie Bay John 3:16