

Brian Schultz

From: Brian Schultz on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Tuesday, June 22, 2021 8:13 AM
To: 'Madelaine Gray'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Stop Rubber Stamping FPL Requests!

Good Morning,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20210015-EI and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

Brian Schultz

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From: madelainegray=earthlink.net@mg.gospringboard.io <madelainegray=earthlink.net@mg.gospringboard.io> **On Behalf Of** Madelaine Gray
Sent: Tuesday, June 22, 2021 6:52 AM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Stop Rubber Stamping FPL Requests!

Dear Commissioner

Florida Power & Light is asking for the largest single rate hike in Florida history at a time when consumers are facing an increased cost of goods and services as we recover from the economic downturn caused by COVID-19. Increasing the cost of electricity is something you, the Public Service Commission, can control.

I am an elderly (80 years old) woman.....prices on everything have gone up.....last year my house insurance doubled. Now this proposed increase about my electricity. I conserve my electric use....only run the AC at 78 or not at all. I dry my clothes outside in a rack rather than use the dryer. I rarely use my oven
I turn off lights when I'm not in a room.

I can't afford anything solar.

What more can I do?

If these rates must be raised, please set up a discount program for elderly people living on a fixed income.

Thank you.

Madelaine Gray
Sarasota

It is unconscionable to think that we should have to pay more for our electric service at a time like this. Rubber stamping an all-time high return on equity of 11.5 percent goes against helping struggling Floridians. Putting people over profits should come first.

Now is not the time to give FPL what it wants; let's keep the public in Public Service Commission!

Thank you,

Madelaine Gray
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