

Antonia Hover

From: Antonia Hover on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Monday, July 19, 2021 8:30 AM
To: 'Val Lopez'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: FPL Docket No. 20210015

Good Morning, Valeriano Lopez.

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

Thank you!

Toni Hover

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From: Val Lopez <kc4yay@verizon.net>
Sent: Saturday, July 17, 2021 2:20 PM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: FPL Docket No. 20210015

I have learned that FPL is asking the Florida Public Service Commission to hand out another \$2 billion out of our pocket over the next four years. If state regulator agree, we could each be paying at least \$216 more a year by 2025; that does not include other increases we know are coming.

It's particularly infuriating that this would allow FPL to earn 11.5% return per year on its investments, rich rewards for business that enjoys state sanctioned monopoly.

The worst news of all may be that this could be just the beginning. FPL may come back to hit our wallet even harder to collect billions for a much-touted storm-hardening protection plan or storm cost recovery fees after tropical weather impacts.

Our concern is that we are retired people living on a shoe string budget, and won't be able to afford to pay for the electric bill, specially during the summer month on the AC.

Sincerely, Valeriano Lopez
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