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Sent: Monday, June 9, 2025 4:56 PM
To: 'brian@rethinkenergyflorida.org'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: FW: Docket #20250011
Attachments: say-no-to-rate-hikes_signatures_202506090438.pdf

Good Afternoon

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20250011, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you,
Nick Holmes
Commission Deputy Clerk II
Office of Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
850-413-6770

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From: Brian Lee <brian@rethinkenergyflorida.org>
Sent: Monday, June 9, 2025 4:36 PM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Docket #20250011

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Please accept the attached petition, signed by 138 Floridians, as Public Comment for Docket #20250011.

Thanks much,
Brian Lee

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Brian Lee
they/him
Campaigns Director
ReThink Energy Florida
(850) 766-7309

Florida's Public Service Commission,

138 people have signed a petition on Action Network telling you to Say NO to Rate Hikes!.

Here is the petition they signed:

We, the undersigned, strongly oppose this largest rate increase in U.S. History. This excessive hike would place an unfair burden on customers, especially low-income customers or older adults on fixed incomes who simply cannot afford to pay more.

With costs for housing, healthcare, and everyday essentials already high, the last thing I need is a higher electric utility bill. FPL is already a highly profitable company—asking customers to pay more just to boost corporate profits is completely unacceptable.

We urge you to reject FPL's request for a higher return on equity and increase to the monthly base rate. The PSC must prioritize customers over corporate greed and ensure utility rates remain fair and affordable.

Please stand up for Floridians and say NO to this massive rate hike.

You can view each petition signer and the comments they left you below.

Thank you,

ReThink Energy Florida

1. **Brian Lee** (*ZIP code: 32308*)

2. **Kim Ross** (*ZIP code: 32308*)

3. **stella nunes** (*ZIP code: 33067*)

4. **Terry LaPlante** (*ZIP code: 33935*)

5. **William Johnson** (*ZIP code: 32904*)

6. **Darlene Hillers** (*ZIP code: 32953*)
NO to raising rates

7. **Julie Turner** (*ZIP code: 32935*)
No hikes to my current energy bills!!
Sorry Average residents need this money more than FPL!!

8. **Any Johnson** (*ZIP code: 32904*)

9. Jessica Schultz (ZIP code: 32935)

We pay enough

10. Michelle Lee (ZIP code: 32934)

11. Kathryn Vroman (ZIP code: 329931)

12. JudyAnn Davis (ZIP code: 32958)

13. Theresa Wexler (ZIP code: 32940)

14. Judith Kuhman (ZIP code: 32907)

15. Barbara Loya (ZIP code: 32937)

16. John Konchel (ZIP code: 32940)

17. DONNA PERRY (ZIP code: 32920)

18. Thomas Pelliccia (ZIP code: 32960)

19. Pam Pelliccia (ZIP code: 32960)

20. Michael Reeves (ZIP code: 32904)

21. Felecia Denham-Davis (ZIP code: 32940)

Getting rate hikes every year is ridiculous. It's not sustainable for most people.

22. Kaylea Rotkewicz (ZIP code: 32953)

23. Pat Selby (ZIP code: 32909)

24. Karen Cooper (ZIP code: 32940)

25. Linda Brosius (ZIP code: 32940)

26. Susan Jackson (ZIP code: 32935)

27. William Baker (ZIP code: 32976)

28. Jennifer Powell (ZIP code: 32935)

29. Amy Boller (ZIP code: 32909)

NO to FPL rate hikes, first the government and now the utility company? NO NO NO!

30. Jennifer Batchelor (ZIP code: 32935)

31. Nancy Forrest (ZIP code: 32935)

32. Faith Naftal (ZIP code: 32951)

33. Barbara Bingnear (ZIP code: 32935)

34. Joanne Dalrymple (ZIP code: 32935)

No more \$. Your getting greedy

35. Frances Cupeta (ZIP code: 32937)

Enough people!

36. General Carter (ZIP code: 32953)

No rate hikes, with the price of food, gasoline, and the tariffs in affect, the price of everything that a family needs is sure to rise even more please no rate hikes with families living on social security checks are barely making ends meet I SAY NO TO THE RATE HIKES, family needs should come first

37. Lisa Seers (ZIP code: 32303)

Please so no to FPL rate hikes, I can barely afford my bill now__??

38. Michael hunkins (ZIP code: 32304)

This is why the are called "Florida Pollute and Loot.

39. Lucinda Phillips (ZIP code: 32909)

NO to rate hikes

40. Doreen Zaback (ZIP code: 33442)

Time to cut back on executive salaries and excess profits.

41. Lucy Funkhouser (ZIP code: 32901)

No to FPL increase in rates!

42. Sheridan Lorraine (ZIP code: 32953)

43. Ed Oaksford (ZIP code: 32308)

44. Jennifer Scott (ZIP code: 33966-1530)

45. Ron Saff (ZIP code: 32308)

FPL has been gouging people for years. Stick up for the people not big corporations, please.

46. Berbeth Foster (ZIP code: 33323)

47. Ella Stewart (ZIP code: 33410)

48. Barbara Myers (ZIP code: 32311)

49. Rochelle Alexander (ZIP code: 32312)

FPL increase is a classic case of companies gouging average citizens to further enrich themselves.

50. Pam McVety (ZIP code: 32312)

51. Dr. Lynn Ringenberg (ZIP code: 33629)

NO TO THIS RATE HIKE...IT WILL HARM MANY FLORIDIANS WORKING HARD TO PROVIDE FOR THIS FAMILIES DURING THESE CHALLENGING TIMES!
THANK YOU!!

52. Richard Siegel (ZIP code: 33334-3505)

Fire the PSC!

53. RICHARD EMORY (ZIP code: 33437)

54. John Boyer (ZIP code: 32621-1194)

55. Martin Osborne (ZIP code: 33066)

56. William Phelan (ZIP code: 32309)

57. Patricia Spencer (ZIP code: 34116)

Please, with so much uncertainty in the news now, do not raise our FPL bills.
Everything is SO expensive, our family is already stressed with today's prices.

58. Ronda Wheeler (ZIP code: 34482)

No more power rate hikes....Please!

59. Nicole Ramirez (ZIP code: 34957)

60. Lisa Walker (ZIP code: 32940)

No rate hike!

61. Donald Axelrad (ZIP code: 32311)

62. Ken Thornton (ZIP code: 32955)

Already too high.

63. Gail Webb (ZIP code: 32934)

NO.....do not raise our power bills!

64. Brandy Lester (ZIP code: 32780)

65. Frances Lennane (ZIP code: 33498)

We have had increased after increase .

FPL cannot continue to burden it's customers with this if rate increase doubling the bill .

66. dazerae Lansdowne (ZIP code: 32909)

67. Lucille Serody (ZIP code: 32901)

68. Ty Shlackman (ZIP code: 33176)

No to increased rates.

69. Bill DeBusk (ZIP code: 32904)

70. Maureen Rupe (ZIP code: 32927-8009)

71. Robert Rupe (ZIP code: 32927)

FPL rates are too high now

72. Joy DeBusk (ZIP code: 32904)

73. Janice Wagoner (ZIP code: 32754)

74. Kimberly Simpkins (ZIP code: 32333)

FPL needs to "squeeze" its wallet like the rest of us actual consumers are doing thanks to greedy, overpaid corporate executives, this shitshow of a "President" and his administration and lackeys! Why don't YOU cut back instead of the people depending on your services and paying your salaries, having to choose electricity to keep their loved ones cool in one of the hottest Springs and likely to be a miserable if not record-breaking summer?! WTF is wrong with corporations like you??!!

75. Trish Brown (ZIP code: 32310)

76. Victoria Martinez (ZIP code: 32304)

77. Sankar Krishnan (ZIP code: 33480)

78. Tammy Lettieri (ZIP code: 33066)

No more rate hikes. If anything, rates should be cut

79. William Young JR (*ZIP code: 32796*)

NO, to rate hike and NO, to increase profits.

80. Tonya Andreacchio (*ZIP code: 34984*)

81. Leah Weisburd (*ZIP code: 33319*)

To: Florida's Public Service Commission

From: Leah Weisburd

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82. Barbara Backus (*ZIP code: 34684*)

You are pricing electricity out of the reach of many people. Our seniors may have to choose between medications or electricity. I don't think that Florida Power needs more money.

Barbara Backus

83. Emily Jaffee (*ZIP code: 33143*)

Please do not give FPL another raise. They hold a monopoly on power here. No need gouge us.

84. Stephany Mason (*ZIP code: 33486*)

85. Christine Ternenyi (*ZIP code: 33458*)

Please do not agree to pass rate hikes for FPL. Their executives and employees make enough in bonuses yearly.

86. Rich Siegel (*ZIP code: 33334*)

Enough is enough, time to fire the PSC or rename them to the Corporate Service Commission.

87. Matthew Kopka (*ZIP code: 32301*)

Our family is struggling to pay our bills. No to more rate hikes!

88. Cristina Garcia (*ZIP code: 33145*)

89. DeeVon Quirolo (ZIP code: 34601)

A profit of 11.9% on a PUBLIC utility is just wrong and will hurt people who can't afford high electric bills during the hot summer months.

90. Mary Braunagel (ZIP code: 32308)

Devote more money to renewable energy and stop relying on working families to absorb price hikes. Getting power from solar wind and nuclear will keep prices down in the long run!

91. Martin Osborne (ZIP code: 33066)

92. Linda Conner (ZIP code: 33176)

Unrelenting rate hikes are unacceptable when there is no alternative for the consumer.

93. Osmarie Fortich (ZIP code: 33014)

94. Kingsley Esezobor (ZIP code: 32304)

95. Marney Richards (ZIP code: 32301)

Many can't afford higher utility rates. The company makes a good profit and executives are highly paid. These increases are not justified.

96. Martina Brawer (ZIP code: 32312)

Please do not increase our rates. It's hotter earlier and it was colder this winter. Groceries are more expensive and we're faced with increased prices due to tariffs. We're not buying new thing and cutting corners where we can, so please do your part.

97. Owen McMeekin (ZIP code: 32640)

98. Sharon Fairbanks (ZIP code: 32309)

With the costs of everything increasing in price, this is a hardship on many citizens right now. Please do not increase your profits right now.

99. Sara Howze (ZIP code: 32934)

100. Melissa Saldana (ZIP code: 33125)

Enough is enough!

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102. Madelyn Ocasio (ZIP code: 33134)

103. Ciel Jones (ZIP code: 32935)

104. Jack Pavicic (ZIP code: 32935)

Don't be greedy, bro.

105. Courtney Jones (*ZIP code: 32935*)

106. Omar De armas (*ZIP code: 33134*)

Stop wating money in advertising

107. Mark Fodor (*ZIP code: 32817*)

108. Carole Stephan (*ZIP code: 33060*)

Those like myself, whose only income is SS, can barely pay the FPL bills now! A raise in rates would be devastating to many!

109. Liz Erpelding-Garratt (*ZIP code: 32086*)

110. Holly Rothkopf (*ZIP code: 33437*)

We just got our bill. It's the highest it's ever been. My mom's Social Security can't keep up with inflation and these price hikes. They should slash their advertising budget first! Why does a monopoly need to advertise so heavily.

Executive salaries should be cut before rates are increased. No public company CEO's or Chairman's should be earning over \$10,000,000/yr. They didn't invent electricity!!

111. Kimberly Malajati (*ZIP code: 32209*)

No more riches for corporations. Pay the people!

112. beth finkelstein (*ZIP code: 33437*)

113. Giovanna Santo (*ZIP code: 33027*)

Rate hikes but no improvement in renewable energy? Ridiculous.

114. Christen Corl (*ZIP code: 32976*)

Are you kidding me? I can barely make my current bills.

115. rukevwe diohwo (*ZIP code: 45440*)

116. Thy Pham (*ZIP code: 33029*)

117. Domonique Simmons (*ZIP code: 33034*)

Nooo energy spike.

118. Aiyana Rosario (*ZIP code: 33029*)

119. agnes rothkopf (*ZIP code: 33437*)

120. Nicholas Ribeiro (*ZIP code: 33331*)

121. Angi Le (*ZIP code: 33029*)

No to the Fpl!

122. German Mata (*ZIP code: 33016*)

No to FPL

123. Jada Lee (*ZIP code: 33936*)

124. Alyssa Allen (*ZIP code: 33025*)

125. Sally Carmany (*ZIP code: 32935-4856*)

Pleeese keep my utilities affordable.