

**BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

In re: Petition for Rate Increase by Florida  
Power & Light Company

Docket No. 20250011-EI

Filed: August 8, 2025

**FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY'S NOTICE  
OF SETTLEMENT IN PRINCIPLE AND JOINT MOTION  
TO SUSPEND SCHEDULE AND AMEND PROCEDURAL ORDER**

Florida Power & Light Company ("FPL") hereby provides notice to the Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") that FPL and multiple intervenors have reached a settlement in principle that will resolve all of the issues in this proceeding. These parties now need time to appropriately memorialize the terms to which they have agreed. Accordingly, pursuant to Section 120.57(4), Fla. Stat. (2024) and Rule 28-106.204, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), and Order No. PSC-2025-0075-PCO-EI (Order Establishing Procedure or "OEP"), FPL requests that the Florida Public Service Commission suspend the procedural schedule in this docket and issue a supplemental order that allows for prompt and full review of the forthcoming settlement. The Florida Industrial Power Users Group, Florida Retail Federation, Florida Energy for Innovation Association, Inc., Walmart Inc., EVgo Services LLC, Americans for Affordable Clean Energy, Inc., Circle K Stores, Inc., RaceTrac, Inc., Wawa, Inc., Electrify America LLC, Federal Executive Agencies, Armstrong World Industries, Inc. and Southern Alliance for Clean Energy support suspending the schedule and join in this motion (collectively, these parties are referred to herein in at "the Joint Movants").

1. On February 28, 2025, FPL filed its Petition for Rate Increase, along with the testimony of 17 witnesses and minimum filing requirements ("MFR") schedules for Projected Test Years 2026 and 2027. Thirty-one intervenor witnesses filed prepared testimony, and 16 FPL witnesses filed prepared rebuttal testimony. Throughout the discovery process, FPL responded to more than a thousand interrogatories and requests for production of documents and its witnesses

collectively sat for more than 30 depositions. Discovery has now concluded, and a hearing is scheduled to commence August 11, 2025.

2. On the heels of the extensive litigation that has ensued, FPL and multiple intervenors have reached a settlement in principle that would resolve all pending issues. The Commission's OEP recognizes that settlement agreements are a viable way to resolve disputes among parties under both Florida statutes and Commission precedent. The OEP further notes that settlements should be filed as soon as practicable to allow time for discovery, a hearing on the settlement, and a post-hearing decision; and that parties should factor in the statutory time frames under Section 366.06(3), F.S.

3. To effectuate the OEP's support for settlements and best ensure adequate timing for review while observing statutory time frames, the Joint Movants request that the dates designated for the technical hearing under the OEP – commencing August 11 – be suspended to allow the settling parties to promptly memorialize the terms of the settlement. With the ability to focus on preparing the agreement, FPL and signatory parties will be positioned to submit the settlement for review by the Commission's Staff and any non-settling parties by August 20, 2025. Suspending the schedule may also provide the time necessary to allow additional intervenors to join in the development of beneficial settlement terms.

4. The Joint Movants further request that the Commission issue an amended or supplemental OEP that would provide the Commission, Staff and all parties approximately six weeks after August 20, 2025 to examine the proposed settlement. The Joint Movants anticipate that the process for evaluating any proposed settlement would include, among other things the submission of prepared testimony by FPL and expedited discovery. Dates for a settlement hearing and post-hearing procedures should also be reset.

5. The Joint Movants will be prepared to argue the merits of this Motion on August 11, 2025 before the Commission, should it be inclined to hear additional argument.

6. The Joint Movants – FPL, FIPUG, FRF, FEIA, Walmart Inc., EVgo Services LLC, Americans for Affordable Clean Energy, Inc., Circle K Stores, Inc., RaceTrac, Inc., Wawa, Inc., Electrify America LLC, FEA, Armstrong World Industries, Inc. and SACE – have conferred with all parties of record. OPC, Florida Rising, Environmental Confederation of Southwest Florida, League of United Latin American Citizens of Florida, and Floridians Against Increased Rates, Inc. oppose the Motion. Commission Staff takes no position.

WHEREFORE, the Joint Movants respectfully request that the Commission grant this Joint Motion To Suspend Schedule and Amend Procedural Order.

Respectfully submitted this 8th day of August 2025,

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