

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 7

VOTE SHEET

January 5, 2021

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Docket No. 20200176-EI – Petition for a limited proceeding to approve clean energy connection program and tariff and stipulation, by Duke Energy Florida, LLC.

On July 1, 2020, Duke Energy Florida, LLC (Duke or Company) filed a petition for approval of a Stipulation entered into by several parties regarding the Clean Energy Connection (CEC) Program and associated tariffs. Duke’s CEC Program is a voluntary community solar program that allows participating customers to pay a subscription fee in exchange for receiving bill credits related to the solar generation produced by the CEC Program solar facilities. The Company plans to build 10 projects totaling 750 MW of solar generation as part of the CEC Program, which will be placed in-service between 2022 and 2024. Duke has allocated the capacity of the CEC Program solar facilities among commercial, residential and local government customer groups with approximately 27.7% of the residential allocation carved out for low-income customers.

The Stipulation and proposed tariffs contain a series of compromises from signatories regarding the structure, funding, construction, and operation of the CEC Program and is Attachment A of staff’s memorandum dated December 22, 2020. The signatories to the Stipulation are Duke, Vote Solar, Southern Alliance for Clean Energy (SACE) and Walmart Inc. (Walmart). The League of United Latin American Citizens of Florida, (LULAC) objects to the Stipulation, The Office of Public Counsel (OPC) does not actively object to the Stipulation, and Florida Industrial Power Users Group (FIPUG) takes no position regarding the Stipulation.

The Commission voted to approve the Stipulation filed on July 1, 2020.

COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

COMMISSIONERS’ SIGNATURES

MAJORITY

DISSENTING

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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The Commission should vote on whether or not to approve the Stipulation filed July 1, 2020, requesting approval of Duke's Clean Energy Connection Program and Tariff.