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Antonia Hover

From:

Office of Commissioner Brown

Sent:

Monday, February 15, 2021 2:56 PM

To:

Commissioner Correspondence

Subject:

Docket No. 20210000

Attachments:

Re I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar

rights! Docket 2020-0000

Please place the attached in Docket No. 20210000.

Thank you.

Antonia Hover

From:

Harald Brandner

bmcar1@aol.com>

Sent:

Saturday, February 13, 2021 12:08 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Brown

Subject:

Re: I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Jennifer

I am using a solar electric storage system for 3 years now. Therefore I gained knowledge

which would be valuable for future regulations.

Is there anybody in my neighborhood Zip 32168 New Smyrna Beach I could have a meeting with?

Greetings, Harold

On Wed, Nov 25, 2020 at 4:58 PM Harald Brandner < bmcarl@aol.com > wrote:

I have a question:

If I add more solar storage batteries to my solar system - cost would be \$ 3600.-

does this purchase qualify for the 26% tax credit ??

Greetings, Harold

On Mon, Sep 21, 2020 at 1:01 PM Office of Commissioner Brown < <u>Commissioner.Brown@psc.state.fl.us</u>> wrote:

Mr. Brandner,

Thank you for your email, dated September 19, 2020, which Commissioner Brown has received and read. The Commission Clerk has placed a copy of your email correspondence in Docket No. 20200000. Thank you for providing the Commission with your comments.

Sincerely,

Jennifer Brownfield Executive Assistant to Commissioner Julie I. Brown Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, FL 32399

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----Original Message----

From: bmcarl@everyactioncustom.com [mailto:bmcarl@everyactioncustom.com]

Sent: Saturday, September 19, 2020 8:22 AM

To: Office of Commissioner Brown

Subject: I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

I am a Net Metering Customer. Have invested \$ 25000.-

My solar system is sending power to the grid - the more sunshine - the more FPL gets when they needed it most.

Then evenings, I get Power from the grid, just a bit since evenings are not so energy demanding. No sun and cooler temperatures.

I thing this makes sense, letting customers footing the bill so that the utilities do not have to expand their power productions, and the customers are having peace of mind that they do their part to help with the environment.

I only pay \$ 10 - \$ 20 a month and this is to maintain my small part of the power line, which never needed anything.

I am willing to speak about that.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

Greetings, Harold Brandner

Sincerely, Harold Brandner Edgewater, FL 32132 bmcarl@aol.com

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From: wander3314@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of William Anderson <wander3314

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Saturday, February 13, 2021 12:00 PM

To: Office of Commissioner Brown

Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Julie Imanuel Brown,

Amid a public health and economic crisis, it's clear that Florida's electric utilities should be doing a whole lot more to promote rooftop solar - a known job creator that keeps money in families' pockets.

Before COVID-19, "solar installer" was the fastest growing job in the country, and the solar industry employed 250,000 people. The COVID-19 crisis could put half, 125,000, of these jobs at risk in communities across the United States. In the Sunshine state, before this crisis began, the solar industry employed over 12,000 Floridians. Now, over 1 million Floridians are unemployed, and Florida has already lost 22% of its workforce.

People and businesses across the state rely on common sense solar policies to take control of their own energy, save money, and choose how they power their lives.

Not only does solar create jobs and save us money, but when paired with batteries, solar panels can contribute to the resilience of the electric grid and provide back-up power in emergencies. As we face another intense hurricane season, Floridians need more tools – not fewer – in order to weather all the storms that are coming our way.

Thank you for defending solar workers, business owners, and residents by protecting our bedrock solar policies here in Florida.

Sincerely, William Anderson Venice, FL 34293