Cristina Slaton From: Thursday, May 27, 2021 4:09 PM Sent: **Commissioner Correspondence** To: Docket Correspondence - 20210015 Subject: We Can't Afford Higher Rates; We Can't Afford Higher Rates; We Can't Afford Higher Attachments: Rates; We Can't Afford Higher Rates

Good afternoon,

Please place the attached emails in CORRESPONDENCE-Consumers & Representatives in docket 20210015.

Thank you,

Cristina Slaton

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From:	sdesousa0712@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susan DeSousa <sdesousa0712 @everyactioncustom.com&gt;</sdesousa0712 
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 3:57 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject:	We Can't Afford Higher Rates

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Sincerely, Ms. Susan DeSousa 1540 Glen Oaks Dr E Unit 228 Sarasota, FL 34232-1100 sdesousa0712@gmail.com

From:	yesenia@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Yesenia Berrios <yesenia@everyactioncustom.com></yesenia@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 3:38 PM
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Sincerely, Mx. Yesenia Berrios 9380 W Flagler St Miami, FL 33174-3436 yesenia@myxxfly.com

From:	albertikress08@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Salena K <albertikress08 @everyactioncustom.com&gt;</albertikress08 
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 3:03 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner La Rosa
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Sincerely, Mx. Salena K 1519 30th St Sarasota, FL 34234-4707 albertikress08@yahoo.com

From:	Jencosme102@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jennifer Cosme <jencosme102 @everyactioncustom.com&gt;</jencosme102 
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 2:56 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner La Rosa
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Sincerely, Ms. Jennifer Cosme 811 Upper Cape Rd Orange City, FL 32763-8247 Jencosme102@gmail.com

From:	gennbrice14@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Genesis Briceno <gennbrice14 @everyactioncustom.com&gt;</gennbrice14 
Sent: To: Subject:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 2:14 PM Office of Commissioner La Rosa We Can't Afford Higher Rates
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Sincerely, Miss Genesis Briceno 16450 Miami Dr North Miami Beach, FL 33162-4054 gennbrice14@icloud.com

From:	a.adey.babinski@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Annik Babinski <a.adey.babinski@everyactioncustom.com></a.adey.babinski@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: To:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 1:45 PM Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject:	We Can't Afford Higher Rates

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Sincerely, Ms. Annik Babinski 222 Zamora Ave Coral Gables, FL 33134-3972 a.adey.babinski@gmail.com

From:	robert@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Rob Woods <robert@everyactioncustom.com></robert@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 12:58 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner La Rosa
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Sincerely, Mr Rob Woods 8420 N Lois Ave Tampa, FL 33614-1920 robert@organizeflorida.org

From:	ajohart@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Adam Hartnett <ajohart@everyactioncustom.com></ajohart@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 12:32 PM
То:	Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject:	We Can't Afford Higher Rates

Dear Commissioner Mike La Rosa,

I recently heard the news that FPL plans to charge more for power across the state of Florida. This matter is incredibly concerning. As a Florida resident I am not only concerned for myself and my own ability to take on an even greater cost burden for the necessity of electricity, but even more so for my neighbors and fellow Floridians who, in the midst of an economic depression, will likely become even more vulnerable than before. I urge you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills.

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Sincerely, Mx. Adam Hartnett 341 E Maple St Winter Garden, FL 34787-3668 ajohart@gmail.com

From:	Kudratool1943@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kudratool Mohamed <kudratool1943@everyactioncustom.com></kudratool1943@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 12:25 PM
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Sincerely, Mrs. Kudratool Mohamed 3241 Holiday Springs Blvd Apt 210 Margate, FL 33063-5434 Kudratool1943@att.net

From:	maecord@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Ann Cordray <maecord@everyactioncustom.com></maecord@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 11:45 AM
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Sincerely, Ms. Mary Ann Cordray 2052 Crown Dr Saint Augustine, FL 32092-3605 maecord@optonline.net

From:	margaretrmia1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Margaret Reid <margaretrmia1 @everyactioncustom.com&gt;</margaretrmia1 
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 11:25 AM
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Sincerely, Ms. Margaret Reid 14621 N Spur Dr Miami, FL 33161-2036 margaretrmia1@aol.com

From:	meagan.a.scott@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Meagan Scott <meagan.a.scott@everyactioncustom.com></meagan.a.scott@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: To:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 11:06 AM Office of Commissioner La Rosa
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Sincerely, Ms. Meagan Scott 1116 Lasalle St Jacksonville, FL 32207-2914 meagan.a.scott@gmail.com

From:	heavonliisoul@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Fregina Byrd <heavonliisoul@everyactioncustom.com></heavonliisoul@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 10:55 AM
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Sincerely, Ms. Fregina Byrd 10021 Cypress Meadows Ln Orlando, FL 32825-8759 heavonliisoul@gmail.com

From:	Jua24na@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Holga Alexis <jua24na@everyactioncustom.com></jua24na@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Mrs Holga Alexis 749 SW Sail Ter Port Saint Lucie, FL 34953-2628 Jua24na@yahoo.com

From:	johnnyramirezc@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jonathan Ramirez
	<johnnyramirezc@everyactioncustom.com></johnnyramirezc@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 10:24 AM
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Sincerely, Mr. Jonathan Ramirez 8851 Emerson Ave Surfside, FL 33154-3362 johnnyramirezc@yahoo.com

From:	shai1082011@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Rashai Lee <shai1082011 @everyactioncustom.com&gt;</shai1082011 
Sent:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 10:23 AM
To: Subject:	Office of Commissioner La Rosa We Can't Afford Higher Rates

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Sincerely, Ms. Rashai Lee 5230 NE 14th Way Fort Lauderdale, FL 33334-4959 shai1082011@gmail.com

From:	mariajose.orejuela26@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Maria Orejuela <mariajose.orejuela26@everyactioncustom.com></mariajose.orejuela26@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Ms. Maria Orejuela 2780 NE 183rd St Apt 1109 Aventura, FL 33160-2112 mariajose.orejuela26@gmail.com

From:	thomassteeg@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Thomas van de Steeg <thomassteeg@everyactioncustom.com></thomassteeg@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: To:	Thursday, May 27, 2021 10:01 AM Office of Commissioner La Rosa
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Sincerely, Ms Trenell Hanna 9185 Ramblewood Dr Apt 618 Pompano Beach, FL 33071-7068 joneshanna44@gmail.com

From:	m_charite@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Antoinette Daniel <m_charite@everyactioncustom.com></m_charite@everyactioncustom.com>
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From:	thegreentrilby@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Matthew Matrisciano <thegreentrilby@everyactioncustom.com></thegreentrilby@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely, Mr. Matthew Matrisciano 6613 Duncaster St Windermere, FL 34786-6652 thegreentrilby@gmail.com

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