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**From:** Jacob Veaughn on behalf of Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Monday, June 21, 2021 2:37 PM  
**To:** 'Jeff Ward'  
**Cc:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** RE: Stop Rubber Stamping FPL Requests!

Good Morning, Jeff Ward

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20210015 and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

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**From:** jkward06@hotmail.com@mg.gospringboard.io <jkward06@hotmail.com@mg.gospringboard.io> **On Behalf Of** Jeff Ward  
**Sent:** Monday, June 21, 2021 2:13 PM  
**To:** Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>  
**Subject:** Stop Rubber Stamping FPL Requests!

Dear Commissioner

Florida Power & Light is asking for the largest single rate hike in Florida history at a time when consumers are facing an increased cost of goods and services as we recover from the economic downturn caused by COVID-19. Increasing the cost of electricity is something you, the Public Service Commission, can control.

It is unconscionable to think that we should have to pay more for our electric service at a time like this. Rubber stamping an all-time high return on equity of 11.5 percent goes against helping struggling Floridians. Putting people over profits should come first.

Now is not the time to give FPL what it wants; let's keep the public in Public Service Commission!

Why would anyone after what we all just went through with people losing jobs and or making less with less worked hours due to COVID think it is alright to increase the rates such as this at a time when we need to consider the people that actually are the ones suffering. This entire country has lost sight of what is important and what the true values are in the real world and our economy. They say the younger generation is a generation that is unrealistic yet it is just as bad in the older generations. We have become a very greedy selfish country all the way around. It is very sad and when will it ever end if we keep this up.

Thank you,

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