

Lisa Smith

From: Cristina Slaton
Sent: Monday, February 7, 2022 8:25 AM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Docket Correspondence - 20210015
Attachments: We Can't Afford Higher Rates; FPL Rates

Good morning,

Please place the email below in CORRESPONDENCE-Consumers & Representatives in docket 20210015.

Thank you!

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From: harold_marifi@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Harold Harbin
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Sent: Saturday, February 5, 2022 10:41 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: We Can't Afford Higher Rates

Dear Mike LaRosa,

I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and customer of Florida Power & Light (FPL). I received notification that FPL intends to increase rates for their customers across the state, hurting the most vulnerable in our communities the most. We urge you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills.

This past year has been challenging and unrelenting, and folks have spent it worrying; worrying about the health and safety of their families and friends; worrying about finding work or being safe at work; worrying about the future of the business they built from the ground up; and worrying about making sure that they could keep the lights and heat on at home. For many of us, the pandemic has changed all of our lives in ways we'll still likely be grappling with long after the pandemic comes to an end.

Nevertheless, for some reason, corporate greed seems to be more important than the sustainability of our communities and our livelihood. This was evident when FPL, among several other power companies resumed closing customer accounts due to non-payment during the second wave of the pandemic. Now, they want to increase rates for their most vulnerable customers. We can't allow companies to continue taking advantage of working-class families, and luckily, you have the power NOW to stop this.

Our families need relief, real solutions to the climate crisis and fair and affordable utility rates. By raising prices, FPL is treating energy as a commodity when it's a necessity. We are demanding that Florida Power & Light halt this unfair plan and that Florida's Public Service Commission require FPL to maintain fair rates for their consumers, and prioritize the communities they serve.

Sincerely,

Mr Harold Harbin

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From: Douglas Brown <douglasjbrown@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, February 5, 2022 2:01 PM
To: Office of Chairman Fay
Cc: Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of Commissioner Passidomo
Subject: FPL Rates

I see that the commission allowed FPL to increase my rate by 17%. This is disappointing and I don't know how you think this is going to be ok for Floridians. I cannot raise my rates to compensate so I will probably be out of business soon.

A 17% increase from Gulf Power to FPL. I'm using less energy and paying more.

Who does the PSC represent the people or the utilities?

Fix this

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