## CORRESPONDENCE 3/9/2023 DOCUMENT NO. 02122-2023

# **Antonia Hover**

From: Hannah Barker

**Sent:** Thursday, March 9, 2023 11:53 AM **To:** Commissioner Correspondence

**Subject:** Docket Correspondence

**Attachments:** Revoke FPL's charter; Dockets #20230001, #20230010, and #20200181

Good morning,

Please place the attached emails in Docket No's. 20230001, 20230010, and 20200181.

### Hannah E. Branum

Executive Assistant to Commissioner Clark Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Blvd. Tallahassee, FL 32399 (850) 413-6004

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

### **Antonia Hover**

From: Beverly Janowitz-Price <bevjano@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Thursday, March 9, 2023 11:37 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Clark

**Subject:** Revoke FPL's charter

Dear Commissioner Clark,

I'm writing to urge you to begin an immediate investigation into Florida Power and Light in order to determine whether its charter to operate in the state of Florida should be revoked.

As you are surely aware, FPL CEO Eric Silagy stepped down suddenly after highly credible allegations of campaign finance violations, media manipulation, and the surveillance of critical journalists:

https://www.npr.org/2023/01/25/1151453870/fpl-florida-power-ceo-eric-silagy

To call this behavior un-democratic would be a massive understatement. FPL, it seems clear, is more than willing to violate the public trust, game the political system, and do anything and everything to increase its profits - all on the dime of ratepayers who have no choice but to pay them for their power.

A company so blatantly working against the public interest can no longer be allowed to do business in Florida.

Please take swift and sweeping action to investigate FPL and determine whether it is necessary to revoke their charter, as clearly seems to be the case.

Sincerely,

Beverly Janowitz-Price 3020 N 14th St, Phoenix, AZ 85014

#### **Antonia Hover**

**From:** mwh.mickster=yahoo.com@mg.gospringboard.io on behalf of Michael Hatfield

<mwh.mickster@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Thursday, March 9, 2023 11:28 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Clark

**Subject:** Dockets #20230001, #20230010, and #20200181

Dear Florida Public Service Commissioners.

We need your help to stop the endless electricity rate hikes in Florida and save consumers money by fixing the energy efficiency rule.

On March 7th, you will hear requests from investor-owned utilities to once again raise the electricity rates for Florida consumers. We urge you to deny the mid-course fuel corrections, minimize storm recovery costs, and fix the energy efficiency rule to meet the national standards.

Florida utilities have been charging consumers for the costs of their continued unsustainable reliance on dirty fossil fuels. This Commission has approved rate hike over rate hike that takes all risk away from these for-profit institutions and shifted the burden to Floridians. That needs to stop.

Utilities need to invest in clean, renewable energy infrastructure from solar, wind and tides and stop wasting our money on dirty fracked gas, coal, and nuclear infrastructure. They aren't doing this, though, because every hike they ask for gets approved. Where is their incentive to do what's best for Florida's energy systems and Florida ratepayers when they never have to foot the bill?

The mission of the PSC is "To facilitate the efficient provision of safe and reliable utility services at fair prices." Our current fossil fuel energy system is not safe or reliable, and the prices are definitely NOT fair.

Many folks have to decide between paying their electricity bill or paying for other essentials like rent, food, and medicine. That's not right, and we need your help to change things.

Please help to end Florida rate hikes and pass cost-saving measures for Floridians.

On March 7th, I urge you to:

- -Deny the midcourse fuel corrections. (Docket #20230001)
- -Minimize the storm recovery costs to only those storms that impacted the service area. (Docket #20230010)
- -Fix the energy efficiency rule to meet national standards that will reduce the burning of fossil fuels and save consumers money. (Docket #20200181)

Sincerely,

Michael Hatfield 16416 US HWY 19 N Clearwater FL, 33764-6785