

Nickalus Holmes

From: Nickalus Holmes on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2025 1:44 PM
To: 'Aol mail'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Reject the FPL proposed settlement Docket #20250011

Good afternoon

Your comments will be updated.

Thank you

Nick Holmes
Commission Deputy Clerk II
Office of Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
850-413-6770

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From: Aol mail <arfjr@verizon.net>
Sent: Thursday, September 18, 2025 12:57 PM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Re: Reject the FPL proposed settlement Docket #20250011

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Thank you very much, but I see where I had a typo and I have corrected that and have included the corrected comments below, please submit the corrected comments.

Dear Florida, Public Service Commissioners,

I have not lived in Florida very long, but each and every month my electric bill continues to go up. I used to leave on some outside lights at the entrance to my home, but that became too expensive and now I have solar lights that light the exterior of my home, entrance ways, driveway and sidewalks but that did not stop my electric bill from continuing to increase. It is only my wife and I in the house and we never have more than one TV on at a time or one light on in the room or even the house unless one of us is using the bathroom and we always make sure the lights are turned off when we leave, but once again our electric bill continues to get higher and higher every month since we moved to Florida. As retirees and being a disabled veteran, it is not like I can go out and get another job just to pay the electric bill.

I am a residential customer of Florida Power & Light (FPL) and a member of AARP, and

I oppose FPL's attempts to raise its rates even higher than they already are. I opposed the increases FPL proposed in February, and I oppose the nearly identical increases FPL has now put forward with its corporate partners in a so-called "Settlement" negotiated in secret. These rates remain excessive and unfair to residential customers.

FPL's claim that this "Settlement" represents residential customers like me and my family is false. No one from FPL ever consulted us, asked for our input, or received our consent to speak on our behalf. Instead, FPL chose to ignore the voices of ordinary Floridians who have already expressed strong opposition to these increases.

My family and I call on the Public Service Commission to reject these secret deals cut with large industrial and commercial interests and to hold FPL accountable.

Enough is enough — protect residential customers from corporate greed and unjustified rate hikes.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

A Russell Friedline
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DE LEON SPRINGS FL, 32130-4238
arfjr@verizon.net

On Thursday, September 18, 2025 at 09:56:06 AM EDT, Records Clerk <clerk@psc.state.fl.us> wrote:

Good Morning,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20250011, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance.

Sincerely,

Brian Schultz

Commission Deputy Clerk II

Florida Public Service Commission

2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard

Tallahassee, Florida 32399

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From: advocacy-contact@mq.gospringboard.io <advocacy-contact@mq.gospringboard.io>

Sent: Tuesday, September 16, 2025 11:23 AM

To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: Reject the FPL proposed settlement Docket #20250011

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