From: John Plescow

Sent: Thursday, October 16, 2025 9:09 AM
To: Consumer Correspondence; Sergio Smith

Subject: FW: protest

Attachments: Docket No. 20250011; FW: Reject FPL's Unprecedented \$10 Billion Rate Hike – Protect

Florida Families; FW: Reject FPL's Unprecedented \$10 Billion Rate Hike – Protect Florida Families; FW: Docket #20250011; RE: Reject the FPL proposed settlement Docket #

20250011; RE: Floridians Deserve Due Process

Please, add to docket 20250011.

From: Sergio Smith <SSmith@psc.state.fl.us>
Sent: Thursday, October 16, 2025 9:02 AM
To: John Plescow <JPlescow@PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: FW: protest

Hey John,

Please forward these to the clerk's office.

From: Consina Griffin-Greaux < CGriffin@psc.state.fl.us>

Sent: Thursday, October 16, 2025 8:00 AM To: Sergio Smith <<u>SSmith@psc.state.fl.us</u>>

Subject: protest

From: Office of Commissioner Passidomo Smith
Sent: Wednesday, October 15, 2025 9:29 AM

To: Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: Docket No. 20250011

Attachments: Reject FPL's Unprecedented \$10 Billion Rate Hike – Protect Florida Families

Please place the attached in Docket No. 20250011.

Thank you!

From: Office of Commissioner Clark

Sent: Wednesday, October 15, 2025 8:32 AM

To: Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: FW: Reject FPL's Unprecedented \$10 Billion Rate Hike – Protect Florida Families

Good morning,

Please place the attached email in Docket No. 20250011. Thank you!

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

----Original Message----

From: krystal.rodriguez1223@everyactioncustom.com <krystal.rodriguez1223@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, October 14, 2025 4:33 PM

To: Office of Commissioner Clark < Commissioner. Clark @psc.state.fl.us>

Subject: Reject FPL's Unprecedented \$10 Billion Rate Hike -- Protect Florida Families

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Dear Florida Public Service Commissioner Gary Clark,

I am writing to strongly urge you to reject Florida Power and Light's (FPL) proposed \$10 billion rate hike—the largest in U.S. history. Approving this increase would be a devastating blow to Florida families, many of whom are already struggling with rising living costs. This past year, this Commission has already failed residents by allowing TECO's rate hikes, and we cannot afford another reckless decision that prioritizes corporate profits over public well-being. Electricity is not a luxury—it is a life-saving necessity in Florida. With extreme heat, hurricanes, and severe weather events, access to affordable power is essential for survival. A rate increase of this magnitude would force seniors, low-income families, and working-class residents to choose between paying their electric bills and affording food, rent, or medical care. No one should have to make such impossible choices just to keep the lights on.

Beyond the financial hardship, this increase also carries serious environmental consequences. Instead of investing in clean, affordable renewable energy, FPL continues to expand its reliance on fossil fuels, worsening extreme weather patterns and increasing pollution. These impacts disproportionately harm low-income communities and communities of color, who already experience higher energy burdens and environmental health risks. If FPL truly needed more funding, it should focus on sustainable energy solutions, not passing costs onto struggling residents.

The Florida Public Service Commission has a responsibility to serve the public, not corporate monopolies. FPL is a monopoly, meaning Floridians have no choice but to pay whatever rates are approved. If this rate hike is allowed, it will set a dangerous precedent, opening the door for further unchecked increases that will push even more families into a financial crisis.

I urge you to reject this historic \$10 billion rate hike and stand with the people of Florida. The residents of this state deserve fair and affordable electricity—not price gouging from utility giants.

Sincerely,
Ms. Krystal Margarita Rodriguez
6115 NW 186th St Apt 111 Hialeah, FL 33015-6073 krystal.rodriguez1223@gmail.com

From: Betty Leland

Sent: Wednesday, October 15, 2025 7:24 AM

To: Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: FW: Reject FPL's Unprecedented \$10 Billion Rate Hike – Protect Florida Families

Good Morning:

Please place this email in Docket #20250011.

Betty A. Leland, Executive Assistant to Commissioner Art Graham Florida Public Service Commission bleland@psc.state.fl.us (850) 413-6024

----Original Message----

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Sent: Tuesday, October 14, 2025 4:33 PM

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From: Tristan Davis on behalf of Records Clerk

Sent: Tuesday, October 14, 2025 12:17 PM

To: Consumer Contact
Subject: FW: Docket #20250011

Attachments: FL Elected Official Sign On Letter Opposing FP&L Rate Hikes 2025.pdf

Previously sent email had an attachment.

From: Jorge Aguilar < jaguilar @fwwatch.org>
Sent: Tuesday, October 14, 2025 10:07 AM
To: Records Clerk < CLERK @PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: Docket #20250011

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Jorge Aguilar

Southern Region Director
Food & Water Action and Food & Water Watch

O: 202.683.2529 jaguilar@fwwatch.org Fight like you live here.

From: Nickalus Holmes on behalf of Records Clerk

Sent: Tuesday, October 14, 2025 1:02 PM

To: 'Muriel Ashley'
Cc: Consumer Contact

Subject: RE: Reject the FPL proposed settlement Docket #20250011

Good Afternoon

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

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

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

Sent: Tuesday, October 14, 2025 12:57 PM
To: Records Clerk < CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: Reject the FPL proposed settlement Docket #20250011

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Dear Florida Public Service Commissioners,

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,

Muriel Ashley 5461 NW 174TH DR MIAMI GARDENS FL, 33055-3534 MurielAshley283@gmail.com

From:

Nickalus Holmes on behalf of Records Clerk

Sent:

Thursday, October 2, 2025 1:30 PM

To: Cc: 'Elisabeth Bezemer'
Consumer Contact

Subject:

RE: Floridians Deserve Due Process

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From: Elisabeth Bezemer < Elisabeth. Bezemer@messages.fwwatch.org>

Sent: Thursday, October 2, 2025 1:24 PM
To: Records Clerk < CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Floridians Deserve Due Process

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Dear Florida Public Service Commission,

Please ensure that the Florida Power & Light rate case is fully litigated in the public forum. Last week's decision to postpone — and potentially cancel — two weeks of expert testimony in FPL's nearly \$10 billion rate case was an affront to Florida families, who are struggling under the costs of unaffordable electricity bills.

FPL strategically chose to enter into a deal with corporate customers at the 11th hour to avoid hearings that would have offered residential customer advocates an opportunity for cross examination and further discovery. Already, the Office of Public Counsel has shown that nearly 50 cents of every dollar that FPL is requesting is for profits and that FPL should actually reduce rates next year.

Without a full hearing on the merits of FPL's original ask, there cannot be a fair settlement agreement — especially when the Office of Public Counsel and residential customer advocates were excluded from the settlement negotiations.

Due process requires just and fair treatment of all parties.

The Florida Public Service Commission is tasked with making sure that Florida's consumers receive some of their most essential services. Access to life-saving electricity is at risk when rate decisions prioritize corporate profits over the needs of Florida families. Please ensure that the full technical hearings take place and that the merits of FPL's rate request and associated impacts on residential customers are given full consideration.

Sincerely, Elisabeth Bezemer 901 W Chestnut St Tampa, FL