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DATE: February 8, 2010
TO: Ann Cole, Commission Clerk, Office of Commission Clerk
FROM: Mary Anne Helton, Deputy General Counsel *MAH*
RE: Docket No. 080407-EI - Commission review of numeric conservation goals
 (Florida Power & Light Company).

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Please place the attached correspondence in the docket file for Docket No. 080407-EI.

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Public Service Commission

February 8, 2010

Ms. Nkenga A. Payne
Deputy City Clerk
City of South Miami
6130 Sunset Drive
South Miami, FL 33143-5093

Re: Docket No. Docket 080407-EI - Commission review of numeric conservation goals (Florida Power & Light Company).

Ms. Payne:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of the City of South Miami's Resolution No. 223-09-13032 stating that the City supports a "feed-in tariff" to make roof top solar panel installation affordable.

This resolution has been filed in Docket No. 080407-EI – Commission review of numeric conservation goals (Florida Power & Light Company).

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (850) 413-6096.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Anne Helton".

Mary Anne Helton
Deputy General Counsel

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City of South Miami

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December 15, 2009

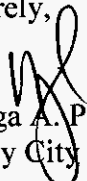
Nancy Argenziano, Commissioner
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

Dear Commissioner Argenziano:

Enclosed please find Resolution No. 223-09-13032 sponsored by Mayor Horace Feliu and adopted by our City Commission on December 8, 2009. This resolution is in support of a "Feed-in Tariff" to make rooftop solar panel installation affordable for the South Miami businesses, residents and homeowners.

Your attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,


Nkenga A. Payne
Deputy City Clerk

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RESOLUTION NO. 223-09-13032

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SOUTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, SENDING A MESSAGE TO THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION THAT SOUTH MIAMI SUPPORTS A "FEED-IN TARIFF" TO MAKE ROOFTOP SOLAR PANEL INSTALLATION AFFORDABLE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of South Miami wishes to pursue roof-top solar installation through a local program that would diffuse financial risk. One model is the Berkeley, California "FIRST" program, which allows homeowners to finance solar installations through the city; and

WHEREAS, rooftop solar installations for a typical residence costs about \$12,000 with currently available rebates. A Feed-in-Tariff system would shorten the pay-back time and bring solar power within reach for many of our citizens. Roof top solar is safe, clean, and requires no additional power lines because the power is generated where it is used; and

WHEREAS, many South Miami citizens would gladly install roof-top solar if it were made affordable. A local model is already in place: The City of Gainesville has instituted a Feed-in-Tariff through a city-owned energy utility company, Gainesville Regional Utilities, boosting solar installations significantly; and

WHEREAS, the Public Service Commission recently rejected FPL's current conservation program as too limited and is requiring FPL to explicitly expand support for conservation and clean energy generation. The time is right for South Miami to send a message to the Public Service Commission in support of a program to make roof-top solar affordable for businesses and home-owners.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF SOUTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The Mayor and City Commission hereby sends a message to the Public Service Commission in support of a "Feed-in Tariff" to make rooftop solar panel installation affordable for the South Miami businesses, residents and homeowners.

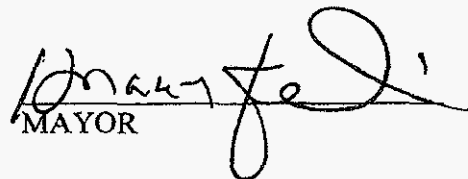
Section 2. This resolution will take effect immediately.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 8th DAY OF December, 2009.

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

APPROVED:


MAYOR

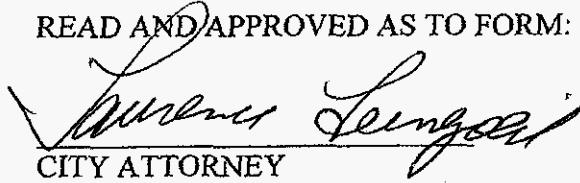
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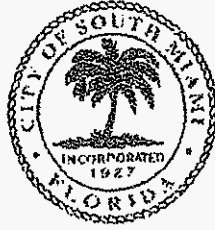
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COMMISSION VOTE: 4-0
Mayor Feliu: Yea
Vice Mayor Beasley: Yea
Commissioner Sellars: absent
Commissioner Palmer: Yea
Commissioner Newman: Yea

READ AND APPROVED AS TO FORM:


CITY ATTORNEY



CITY OF SOUTH MIAMI
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor & City Commissioners Date: December 8, 2009

FROM: Laurence Feingold, City Attorney
Laurence Feingold RE: Agenda Item # 19
"Feed-in Tariff"

RESOLUTION

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BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS

The attached resolution sponsored by Mayor Feliu, once again supports the South Miami Green Task Force and Jason Chandler, Gray Read, Kristin Hebert, Marice Chael, Charles Ruiz de Castilla and Alex Remos, in their new recommendation that South Miami supports a "Feed-in Tariff" to make rooftop solar panels installation affordable to all the residents of South Miami.

ATTACHMENTS:

Proposed Resolution

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