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**From:** Office of Commissioner Passidomo  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 3, 2022 12:40 PM  
**To:** Commissioner Correspondence  
**Subject:** FW: Duke Energy bill

Please place the e-mail below in Docket No. 20210016.

Thank you!

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From: Tucker Gaffney <tucker@oldflorida.biz>  
Sent: Thursday, March 3, 2022 11:42 AM  
To: Office of Commissioner Passidomo <Commissioner.Passidomo@psc.state.fl.us>; Office of Commissioner Clark <Commissioner.Clark@psc.state.fl.us>; Office of Chairman Fay <Commissioner.Fay@psc.state.fl.us>; Office of Commissioner Graham <Commissioner.Graham@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; Office of Commissioner La Rosa <Commissioner.LaRosa@psc.state.fl.us>  
Subject: Duke Energy bill

To whom it may concern,

My name is Marsh Gaffney and I am a 6th generation, central Florida farmer and I have 10 accounts with Duke Energy that I am responsible for. I do not need them all of the time but I am being charged a \$30 minimum fee for each service even when I use no power at all. This can get costly and I don't think I need to tell you how hard it is to make a living this day and time. I recently filed a complaint with the BBB because this is wrong and it's nothing more than stealing from people. After Duke contacted me, I found out that you all have made it possible for companies to legally steal from citizens of Florida. What I would like to know is which of you voted for this?

I tried contacting Duke first and they told me there was nothing I could do about it. Next, I filed a complaint with the BBB and corporate personnel from Duke contacted me and informed me that the PSC made it possible. Now, I am writing you and asking for something to be done. If I fail here, I will pursue this in court. Myself and many Floridians are tired of being taken advantage of by our government and large corporations. This is wrong and there is no explanation that can make it right.

Sincerely,

Marsh Gaffney