## **Hiep Nguyen**

**From:** Hiep Nguyen on behalf of Records Clerk **Sent:** Thursday, September 15, 2022 12:34 PM

To: 'maril79fl@aol.com'

**Subject:** RE: Docket No. 20220001-El: No new electric rate hikes!

Good Morning Marilyn Westhoff,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket Number 20220001, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you,

Hiep Nguyen

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From: Marilyn Westhoff <info@email.actionnetwork.org>

**Sent:** Thursday, September 15, 2022 12:16 PM **To:** Records Clerk < CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

Florida Public Service Commission Clerk,

Docket No. 20220001-EI

I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and an electricity customer. I received notification that FPL, Duke and Tampa Electric intend to increase rates for customers like me. I am urging you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills. Referring to FPL my power has been out many times in 3 months for hours at a time due to faulty equipment they just patched and did not replace. FPL does not deserve a raise in rates but I realize we are just ordinary people that they could care less about as we cannot stop their monopoly and they know no agency will listen to us

This past year has been extremely challenging financially for many people in the state of Florida. A rate increase is the last thing we need, especially for vulnerable folks who may be

on a fixed income or struggling to recover financially from the pandemic. We are all inundated with price increases on everything.

I urge you to reject these outrageous rate increases at this time.

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