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From: Hannah Barker
Sent: Thursday, October 13, 2022 9:39 AM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Docket Correspondence
Attachments: Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!

Good morning,

Please place the attached email in Docket No. 20220001.

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

Chairman Gary Clark,

Docket No. 20220001-EI

I am an electricity customer in Florida. I received notification that you will soon be considering proposals from FPL, Duke and Tampa Electric to increase my electricity rates next year.

I am writing to beg you to closely study the need for a rate increase. Are the utilities making undue profit? How does it compare to the overall profit of other industries? I realize the utility companies are in business to make money, but I don't want another rate hike I cannot afford so they can buy another fancy whatever or pad their pensions.

Another electricity 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 rate increases.

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