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From: John Plescow
Sent: Tuesday, February 7, 2023 1:22 PM
To: Consumer Correspondence; Diane Hood
Subject: FW: To CLK Docket 20230001

Please, add to dockets 20230001, and 20230017.

Send the 01 and 17 letter.

From: Diane Hood <DHOOD@PSC.STATE.FL.US> **On Behalf Of** Consumer Contact
Sent: Tuesday, February 07, 2023 1:05 PM
To: John Plescow <JPlescow@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: To CLK Docket 20230001

From: Robert Kelly <rkellynyc@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, February 07, 2023 7:48 AM
To: Consumer Contact <Contact@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Florida Power & Light Complaint

Dear Florida Public Service Commission:

I am a resident at 7585 Inspira Circle, Unit 1207, Naples, FL 34113, phone # 917-553-0030 and a customer of Florida Power & Light. Florida Power & Light should be refused their request for a rate hike on its customers---for the facts and reasons laid out below. **They are lying and manipulating data which does not adhere to the reality of their company earning net income of over \$4 BILLION IN 2022 (\$5.7 BILLION ADJUSTED), a 16% rise vs. 2021 !!**

I am OUTRAGED that this utility is using the excuse of the hurricane and a supposed increase in natural gas prices to request a 10% increase in our utility bills!! OUTRAGEOUS---!!!!

NATURAL GAS PRICES HAVE FALLEN THE LAST YEAR BY OVER 60%---AND THE PURPORTED INCREASE WAS ONLY FOR A FEW MONTHS IN 2022!!! DOES THIS MEAN FPL IS GOING TO GIVE US A REFUND BECAUSE NATURAL GAS PRICES HAVE DROPPED BY 60%+??? NATURAL GAS IS AT \$2.44 TODAY!!! Here is the natural gas price chart for 2022 to today:



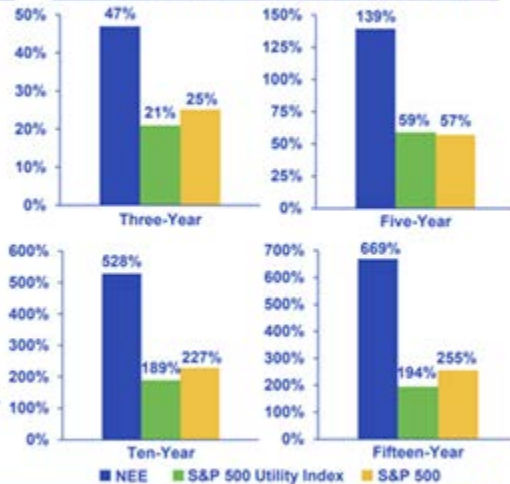
Florida Power & Light is owned by NextEra Energy Resources---and they had a banner year in 2022---CHECK OUT THESE OUTRAGEOUS HIGHLIGHTS!!! :

NextEra Energy had an outstanding year and continued its long track record of delivering superior results

NextEra Energy - 2022 Highlights

- Achieved adjusted EPS of \$2.90, up nearly 14% from prior year
- Delivered compound annual growth in adjusted EPS of ~10% over the past 10 years
 - Highest among all top 10 power companies⁽¹⁾
- Successfully executed on our capital plan while maintaining our strong balance sheet and credit ratings
- Commissioned ~5,000 MW of new renewables and storage across FPL and Energy Resources

Total Shareholder Return⁽²⁾



NextEra Energy delivered strong performance in 2022 and is well positioned to capitalize on substantial growth opportunities



1) By market capitalization as of 12/31/2022
 2) Source: FactSet; includes dividend reinvestment as of 12/31/2022

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT AS A STANDALONE SUBSIDIARY IS MAKING MONEY HAND OVER FIST!!! As stated in the Nextera website financial statements:

FPL's full-year contribution to EPS increased 24 cents over the prior year

FPL Results



TOGETHER WITH FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT, NEXTERA ENERGY REPORTED NET INCOME OF OVER \$4 BILLION DURING 2022!!! **THIS IS A 16% INCREASE FROM 2021!!!**

NextEra Energy reports fourth-quarter and full-year 2022 financial results

- NextEra Energy delivers strong full-year 2022 financial and operational results
- FPL continues to focus on delivering an outstanding value proposition of low bills, high reliability, outstanding customer service and clean energy solutions for its customers
- NextEra Energy Resources has a record year of renewables origination, signing more than 8,000 megawatts of new projects, and extends its overall development expectations through 2026

For the full year 2022, NextEra Energy reported net income attributable to NextEra Energy on a GAAP basis of \$4.147 billion, or \$2.10 per share, compared to \$3.573 billion, or \$1.81 per share, in 2021. **On an adjusted basis, NextEra Energy's full-year 2022 earnings were \$5.742 billion, or \$2.90 per share, compared to \$5.021 billion, or \$2.55 per share, in 2021**

Surely in this unimaginable inflation hitting consumers, **Florida Power & Light should be REFUSED their request for a rate increase**---and they should actually be mandated a rate DECREASE, based upon their egregious net income, high executive salaries and their chutzpah in even asking for a rate increase based on false grounds (Natural Gas prices did not impact their profitability at all---nor did the hurricanes---it only INCREASED IT!!).

I ask this email be forwarded on to the appropriate Florida Public Service Commission authority to be read at the meeting which is considering FPL's rate hike this month.

Sincerely, and with thanks,

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