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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. Adam J. Teitzman, Commission Clerk Office of Commission Clerk Florida Public Service Commission 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

Re: Docket 20240025-EI, Petition for Rate Increase by Duke Energy Florida, LLC

Dear Mr. Teitzman,

Attached for filing on behalf of Duke Energy Florida, LLC's ("DEF") in the above-referenced docket are DEF's MFRs, Redacted Schedule D, for Test Years 2025, 2026, and 2027 – Cost of Capital.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please feel free to call me at (727) 820-4692 should you have any questions concerning this filing.

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Respectfully,

/s/ Dianne M. Triplett

Dianne M. Triplett

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Attachment

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Docket No. 20240025-EI

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been furnished by electronic mail this 2nd day of April, 2024, to the following:

/s/ Dianne M. Triplett
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BEFORE THE

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DUKE ENERGY FLORIDA

DOCKET NO.

20240025-EI

MINIMUM FILING REQUIREMENTS

SECTION D - COST OF CAPITAL SCHEDULES

PROJECTED TEST YEARS 2025, 2026 & 2027



Duke Energy Florida, LLC Docket # 20240025-EI

Section D - Cost of Capital Schedules Projected Test Year 2025, 2026 & 2027

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FLORII	DA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	Explanation:	Provide the Com		erage cost of capital	for the test year	r, the prior year,			Type of Data Sh Projected Test \		12/31/2027
СОМР	ANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		and mistorical yea	ai					<u> </u>	Projected Test \ Projected Test \ Projected Test \	ear 2 Ended	12/31/2027 12/31/2026 12/31/2025
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Line	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
No.	CLASS OF CAPITAL	COMPANY TOTAL PER BOOKS	TAX PRORATION ADJUSTMENT	COMPANY TOTAL PER BOOKS ADJUSTED	JURISDICTIONAL FACTOR	RETAIL PER BOOKS	SPECIFIC ADJUSTMENTS	PRO RATA ADJUSTMENT	JURISDICTIONAL ADJUSTED	RATIO	COST RATE	WEIGHTED COST RATE
1	Common Equity	12,958,935	2,838	12,961,774	0.92074	11,934,447	(99,499)	(1,661,678)	10,173,270	45.83%	11.15%	5.11%
2	Long Term Debt	10,997,170	2,409	10,999,578	0.92074	10,127,772	90,161	(1,434,642)	8,783,290	39.57%	4.63%	1.83%
3	Short Term Debt	295,568	65	295,632	0.92074	272,201	11,073	(39,773)	243,501	1.10%	3.20%	0.04%
4	Customer Deposits Active	173,411	38	173,449	1.00000	173,449	-	(24,353)	149,096	0.67%	2.61%	0.02%
5	Customer Deposits Inactive	1,666	0	1,667	1.00000	1,667	-	(234)	1,433	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%
6	Investment Tax Credit	248,847	55	248,902	0.92074	229,174	-	(32,177)	196,997	0.89%	8.13%	0.07%
7	Deferred Income Taxes	3,561,866	(5,405)	3,556,461	0.92074	3,274,583	(191,075)	(432,938)	2,650,570	11.94%	0.00%	0.00%
8												
9	Total	28,237,463	-	28,237,463		26,013,292	(189,340)	(3,625,796)	22,198,157	100.00%		7.07%

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1	Common Equity	12,204,734	2,556	12,207,290	0.92110	11,244,127	(109,095)	(1,336,421)	9,798,611	45.73%	11.15%	5.10%
2	Long Term Debt	10,617,311	2,224	10,619,534	0.92110	9,781,646	101,274	(1,186,143)	8,696,777	40.58%	4.52%	1.83%
3	Short Term Debt	10,530	2	10,532	0.92110	9,701	(11,211)	181	(1,328)	-0.01%	3.20%	0.00%
4	Customer Deposits Active	173,411	36	173,447	1.00000	173,447	-	(20,817)	152,630	0.71%	2.61%	0.02%
5	Customer Deposits Inactive	1,666	0	1,667	1.00000	1,667	-	(200)	1,467	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%
6	Investment Tax Credit	246,545	52	246,597	0.92110	227,140	-	(27,261)	199,879	0.93%	8.03%	0.07%
7	Deferred Income Taxes	3,398,907	(4,870)	3,394,037	0.92110	3,126,245	(193,271)	(352,014)	2,580,960	12.04%	0.00%	0.00%
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9	Total	26,653,104	-	26,653,104		24,563,973	(212,302)	(2,922,676)	21,428,995	100.00%		7.02%

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1	Common Equity	11,380,605	2,829	11,383,434	0.92147	10,489,465	(107,831)	(1,015,082)	9,366,552	45.61%	11.15%	5.09%
2	Long Term Debt	9,937,274	2,470	9,939,744	0.92147	9,159,152	99,446	(905,275)	8,353,323	40.68%	4.49%	1.83%
3	Short Term Debt	(38,677)	(10)	(38,686)	0.92147	(35,648)	(8,737)	4,340	(40,045)	-0.20%	3.25%	-0.01%
4	Customer Deposits Active	173,411	43	173,454	1.00000	173,454	-	(16,960)	156,494	0.76%	2.61%	0.02%
5	Customer Deposits Inactive	1,666	0	1,667	1.00000	1,667	-	(163)	1,504	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%
6	Investment Tax Credit	246,828	61	246,889	0.92147	227,500	-	(22,244)	205,256	1.00%	8.01%	0.08%
7	Deferred Income Taxes	3,216,299	(5,394)	3,210,906	0.92147	2,958,745	(197,581)	(269,978)	2,491,187	12.13%	0.00%	0.00%
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9	Total	24,917,406	-	24,917,406		22,974,335	(214,702)	(2,225,362)	20,534,271	100.00%		7.01%

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1	Common Equity	10,465,347	N/A	10,465,347	0.92022	9,630,439	84,867	(983,898)	8,731,409	45.30%	10.10%	4.57%
2	Long Term Debt	9,184,039	N/A	9,184,039	0.92022	8,451,352	(91,867)	(846,590)	7,512,895	38.97%	4.44%	1.73%
3	Short Term Debt	274,908	N/A	274,908	0.92022	252,977	11,787	(26,813)	237,950	1.23%	4.05%	0.05%
4	Customer Deposits Active	173,411	N/A	173,411	1.00000	173,411	-	(17,562)	155,849	0.81%	2.61%	0.02%
5	Customer Deposits Inactive	1,666	N/A	1,666	1.00000	1,666	-	(169)	1,498	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%
6	Investment Tax Credit	236,244	N/A	236,244	0.92022	217,396	-	(22,016)	195,380	1.01%	7.48%	0.08%
7	Deferred Income Taxes	3,177,860	N/A	3,177,860	0.92022	2,924,336	(207,675)	(275,124)	2,441,536	12.67%	0.00%	0.00%
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9	Total	23,513,476	-	23,513,476		21,651,576	(202,888)	(2,172,172)	19,276,516	100.00%		6.45%

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1	Common Equity	9,510,850	N/A	9,510,850	0.92443	8,792,075	419,973	(1,083,753)	8,128,296	44.58%	10.10%	4.50%
2	Long Term Debt	8,883,388	N/A	8,883,388	0.92443	8,212,033	(415,743)	(917,196)	6,879,094	37.73%	4.60%	1.74%
3	Short Term Debt	543,672	N/A	543,672	0.92443	502,584	(115,127)	(45,582)	341,874	1.87%	5.17%	0.10%
4	Customer Deposits Active	173,271	N/A	173,271	1.00000	173,271	-	(20,385)	152,887	0.84%	2.61%	0.02%
5	Customer Deposits Inactive	1,666	N/A	1,666	1.00000	1,666	-	(196)	1,470	0.01%	0.00%	0.00%
6	Investment Tax Credit	234,327	N/A	234,327	0.92443	216,618	-	(25,484)	191,134	1.05%	7.58%	0.08%
7	Deferred Income Taxes	3,356,583	N/A	3,356,583	0.92443	3,102,912	(224,865)	(338,588)	2,539,458	13.93%	0.00%	0.00%
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9	Total	22,703,756	-	22,703,756		21,001,159	(335,762)	(2,431,184)	18,234,213	100.00%		6.44%

FLORIE	DA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	Explanation:	1.) List and describe the				Type of Data Shown:	12/31/2027	
	ANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		specific adjustments a Schedule D-1a. 2.) List and describe the pro-rata adjustments Schedule D-1a.	basis for the		X X X	X Projected Test Year 3 Ended 12/ X Projected Test Year 2 Ended 12/ X Projected Test Year 1 Ended 12/ X Prior Year Ended 12/ X Historical Year Ended 12/		
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Line No.	CLASS OF CAPITAL	DESCRIPTION	HISTORICAL YEAR ENDED	PRIOR YEAR ENDED 2024	PROJECTED TEST YEAR 1 ENDED 2025	PROJECTED TEST YEAR 2 ENDED	PROJECTED TEST YEAR 3 ENDED		
	SPECIFIC ADJUSTMENTS		2023	2024	2025	2026	2027		
2	SI ECITIC ADJUSTIVICATS								
3	COMMON EQUITY	Remove Non Utility Property (121)	(26,216)	(21,123)	(21,151)	(21,143)	(21,135)		
4	COMMON EQUITY	Remove Non Utility Property (122)	9,785	11,213	12,290	13,307	14,296		
5		Solve for 53% Common Equity	446,189	105,990	(86,680)	(87,952)			
6 7		Subtotal Common Equity	419,973	84,867	(107,831)	(109,095)	(99,499)		
8	LONG-TERM DEBT	Solve for 53% Common Equity	(415,743)	(91,867)	99,446	101,274	90,161		
9		Subtotal Short-Term Debt	(415,743)	(91,867)	99,446	101,274	90,161		
10 11	SHORT-TERM DEBT	Convert to Daily or Monthly Weighted Avg.	(04.466)	14,696	(8,260)	(11,195)	8,574		
12	SHORT-TERIVI DEBT	Solve for 53% Common Equity	(94,466) (20,661)	(2,910)	(8,260)	(11,195)			
13		Subtotal Short-Term Debt	(115,127)	11,787	(8,737)	(11,211)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
14		Subtotal Short Term Best	(113,127)	11,707	(0,737)	(11,211)	11,073		
15	DEFERRED INCOME TAXES	Remove CR3 Asset Securitization	(226,638)	(210,108)	(194,948)	(179,408)	(163,478)		
15		Include Depreciation Study Impact	, , , , , , , , , ,	, ,,	(5,037)	(16,256)	• • •		
16		Remove Nuclear Decommissioning	1,773	2,433	2,405	2,393	2,392		
17		Subtotal Deferred Income Taxes	(224,865)	(207,675)	(197,581)	(193,271)	(191,075)		
18									
19	TOTAL SPECIFIC ADJUSTMENTS		(335,762)	(202,888)	(214,702)	(212,302)	(189,340)		
20									
21									
22	PRO RATA ADJUSTMENTS								
23		Total Adjustments per MFR B-1	(2,766,946)	(2,375,060)	(2,440,064)	(3,134,978)	(3,815,136)		
24		Daniel Constitution Additional Constitution	225 762	202.000	214 702	242 202	100 240		
25 26		Remove Specific Adjustments	335,762	202,888	214,702	212,302	189,340		
27	TOTAL PRO RATA ADJUSTMENT	rs	(2,431,184)	(2,172,172)	(2,225,362)	(2,922,676)	(3,625,796)		

Supporting Schedules: B-1, B-2, B-3

Recap Schedules: D-1a

Page 1 of 1 SCHEDULE D-2 COST of CAPITAL - 5 YEAR HISTORY

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	Explanation: For the subject Florida utility, all other regulated utility operations	Type of Data Shown:	
	combined, all non-regulated operations combined, the parent company, and on a	X Projected Test Year 3 Ended	12/31/2027
COMPANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC	consolidated basis, provide the year-end capital structure for investor capital (i.e.	X Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026
	common equity, preferred stock, long-term debt and short-term debt) for the five years	X Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025
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		X Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023

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Witness: Newlin

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Line			% of		% of		% of		% of		% of		% of		% of
No.	Class of Capital	Amt	Total	Amt	Total	Amt	Total	Amt	Total	Amt	Total	Amt	Total	Amt	Total
1	Duke Energy Florida, LLC														
2	Short Term Debt	198,554	1.03%	604,924	3.13%	152,188	0.74%	182,245	0.85%	55,626	0.25%	48,797	0.21%	0	0.00%
3	Long Term Debt ⁽¹⁾	8,482,742	43.87%	9,709,430	50.21%	10,401,176	50.50%	10,271,542	48.19%	10,863,598	48.14%	11,403,812	48.17%	11,845,422	48.01%
4	Preferred Stock	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
5	Common Equity	8,294,963	42.90%	9,022,898	46.66%	10,042,682	48.76%	10,862,149	50.96%	11,645,326	51.61%	12,219,109	51.62%	12,826,719	51.99%
6	Total Capital	16,976,259	87.79%	19,337,253	100.00%	20,596,046	100.00%	21,315,936	100.00%	22,564,551	100.00%	23,671,718	100.00%	24,672,141	100.00%

6	Total Capital
7	
8	Other Regulated Utility Operations
9	Short Term Debt
10	Long Term Debt ⁽¹⁾
11	Preferred Stock
12	Common Equity
13	Total Capital
14	
15	Non-Regulated Operations
16	Short Term Debt
17	Long Term Debt ⁽¹⁾
18	Preferred Stock
19	Common Equity ⁽⁴⁾
20	Total Capital
21	
22	Parent Company
23	Short Term Debt
24	Long Term Debt ⁽¹⁾
25	Preferred Stock
26	Common Equity ⁽²⁾
27	Total Capital
28	
29	Eliminations & Other ⁽³⁾

30 Short Term Debt

31 Long Term Debt⁽¹⁾

32 Preferred Stock

33 Common Equity

34 Total Capital 35

36 **Duke Energy Consolidated**

37 Short Term Debt

38 Long Term Debt⁽¹⁾ 39 Preferred Stock

40 Common Equity⁽⁴⁾ 41 Total Capital

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43 $\,$ (1) Long-term debt includes current maturities of long-term debt

44 (2) Parent Company is net of retained earnings of subsidiaries

45 (3) Includes purchase accounting adjustments

46 (4) Includes non-controlling interest

FLORI	DA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	P		ta on short-term debt issues on a	13-month average	Type of Data Shown:	
				or year and historical base year.		X Projected Test Year 3 Ended	12/31/2027
COME	PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC			ption of the Company's policies re		Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026
				pics should be covered: ratio of s		Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025
DOCK	ET NO.: 20240025-EI			on, working capital, timing of long		Prior Year Ended	12/31/2024
			ethod of short-term fina ses of short-term financi	Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023		
		us	ses of short-term illianci	ıg.			
				(\$000)		Witness: Newlin	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		
				13-month Average Amount	Weighted Average		
Line	Maturity	Interest	Interest	Outstanding	Cost of		
No.	Date	Rate	Income/Expense	During the Year *	Short-Term Debt		
1 2	Money Pool			\$295,568			
3	Convert to Monthly WTD Avg.			\$9,312			
4	Interest Income & Expense	3.20%	\$9,75		3.20%		
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16		_	\$9,75	\$304,879	3.20%		
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18	*Represents the 13-month average of	the monthly simple av	erage halances in order	to reflect the appropriate balance	unon which the cost is	incurred	

^{*}Represents the 13-month average of the monthly simple average balances in order to reflect the appropriate balance upon which the cost is incurred.

21 Company Policy Regarding Short-Term Financing

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DEF participates in Duke Energy's utility money pool program. This program, as approved by the FERC, enables DEF to access additional liquidity from any of its affiliate utilities, including Duke Energy Carolinas, Duke Energy Progress, Duke Energy Indiana, Duke Energy Ohio, Duke Energy Kentucky, Piedmont Natural Gas, or it's parent, Duke Energy Corp. DEF also has access to Duke Energy's \$9.0 billion master credit facility, from which it can borrow up to a maximum sublimit of \$1.35 billion. The short-term financing needs are reviewed annually as a part of the company's annual planning process. Several factors influence the amount of short-term financing including operating cash flow, capital expenditure program, and dividend policy.

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				or year and historical base year.		Projected Test Year 3 Ended	12/31/2027
COMI	PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC			ption of the Company's policies re		X Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026
				pics should be covered: ratio of s		Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025
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			ethod of short-term fina ses of short-term financii	ncing (bank loans, commercial pa	iper, etc.), and other	Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023
				(\$000)		Witness: Newlin	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)		
				13-month Average Amount	Weighted Average		
Line	Maturity	Interest	Interest	Outstanding	Cost of		
No. 1	Date	Rate	Income/Expense	During the Year *	Short-Term Debt		
2	Money Pool			\$10,530			
3	Convert to Monthly WTD Avg.			(\$12,154)			
4	Interest Income & Expense	3.20%	(\$5:	• • • • •	3.20%		
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16		<u> </u>	(\$5	2) (\$1,624)	3.20%		
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18	*Represents the 13-month average of	the monthly simple av	erage balances in order	to reflect the appropriate balance	upon which the cost is	incurred.	

^{*}Represents the 13-month average of the monthly simple average balances in order to reflect the appropriate balance upon which the cost is incurred.

21 Company Policy Regarding Short-Term Financing

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2. Proyide narrative description of the Company's policies regarding short-term
financing. The following topics should be covered: ratio of short-term debt to
total capital, plant expansion, working capital, timing of long-term financing,
method of short-term financing (bank loans, commercial paper, etc.), and other
uses of short-term financing.

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	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	
				13-month Average Amount	Weighted Average	
Line	Maturity	Interest	Interest	Outstanding	Cost of	
No.	Date	Rate	Income/Expense	During the Year *	Short-Term Debt	
1						
2	Money Pool			(\$38,677)		
3	Convert to Monthly WTD Avg.			(\$8,964)		
4	Interest Income & Expense	3.25%	(\$1,548)		3.25%	
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16			(\$1,548)	(\$47,641)	3.25%	
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FLOR	DA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	P		on short-term debt issues on a	13-month average	Type of Data Shown:	/ /
				year and historical base year.	agarding chart tarm	Projected Test Year 3 Ended	12/31/2027
COMI	PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC			ion of the Company's policies re		Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026
				cs should be covered: ratio of s		Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025
DOCK	ET NO.: 20240025-EI			n, working capital, timing of long		Prior Year Ended	12/31/2024
				ing (bank loans, commercial pa	per, etc.), and other	X Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023
		us	es of short-term financing.				
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	(1)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	
				13-month Average Amount	Weighted Average		
Line	Maturity	Interest	Interest	Outstanding	Cost of		
No.	Date	Rate	Income/Expense	During the Year *	Short-Term Debt		
1							
2	Money Pool			\$543,672			
3	Convert to Daily WTD Avg.			(\$102,189)			
4	Interest Income & Expense	5.17%	\$22,808		5.17%		
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16		_	\$22,808	\$441,483	5.17%		
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18	*Represents the daily weighted averag	e balances in order to	reflect the appropriate bal	lance upon which the cost is inc	curred.		
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											Historical Year		12/31/2023
						(\$000)					Witness: New	lin	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
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					13-Month	Discount	Issuing				Total	Unamortized	Unamort. Issuing
				Principal	Average	(Premium) on	Expenses on			Interest	Annual	Discount	Exp & Loss on
Line	Description,	Issue	Maturity	Amt Sold	Principal Amt	Principal	Principal	Life	Annual	Expense	Cost	(Premium)	Debt
No.	Coupon Rate	Date	Date	(Face Value)	Outstanding	Amt Sold	Amt Sold	(Years)	Amortization	(Coupon Rate)	(9) + (10)	Associated w/(5)	Associated w/(5)
1	First Mortgage Bonds												
2	FPC 5.90% due 2033	2/21/03	3/1/33	225,000	225,000	572	3,013	30.0	119	13,275	13,394	108	565
3	FPC 6.35% due 2037	9/18/07	9/15/37	500,000	500,000	660	6,708	30.0	246	31,750	31,996	225	2,282
4	FPC 6.40% due 2038	6/18/08	6/15/38	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,220	13,136	30.0	579	64,000	64,579	1,542	4,798
5	FPC 5.65% due 2040	3/25/10	4/1/40	350,000	350,000	1,460	4,690	30.0	205	19,775	19,980	620	1,992
6	FPC 3.85% due 2042	11/20/12	11/15/42	400,000	400,000	1,268	4,870	30.0	205	15,400	15,605	650	2,496
7	3.40% due 2046	9/9/16	10/1/46	600,000	600,000	3,372	7,260	30.1	354	20,400	20,754	2,159	4,654
8	3.20% due 2027	1/6/17	1/15/27	650,000	50,000	30	458	10.0	26	867	893	0	2
9	3.80% due 2028	6/21/18	7/15/28	600,000	600,000	1,110	5,437	10.1	650	22,800	23,450	115	562
10	4.20% due 2048	6/21/18	7/15/48	400,000	400,000	556	4,825	30.1	179	16,800	16,979	389	3,376
11	2.50% due 2029	11/26/19	12/1/29	700,000	700,000	371	6,268	10.0	663	17,500	18,163	90	1,513
12	1.75% due 2030	6/11/20	6/15/30	500,000	500,000	685	4,686	10.0	536	8,750	9,286	496	1,384
13	2.40% due 2031	12/2/21	12/15/31	650,000	650,000	982	5,853	10.0	681	15,600	16,281	2,300	2,600
14	3.00% due 2051	12/2/21	12/15/51	500,000	500,000	2,850	6,002	30.1	295	15,000	15,295	448	4,880
15	5.95% due 2052	11/10/22	11/15/52	500,000	500,000	3,190	4,213	30.0	247	29,750	29,997	2,750	5,459
16	2023 June Forecast 650M @4.65%	6/1/23	12/1/43	650,000	650,000			20.5		30,225	30,225		
17	2024 Aug Forecast 1,000M @5.00%	8/1/24	2/1/45	1,000,000	1,000,000			20.5		50,000	50,000		
18	2025 June Forecast 700M @5.00%	6/1/25	12/1/45	700,000	700,000			20.5		35,000	35,000		
19	2026 June Forecast 650M @5.00%	6/1/26	12/1/46	650,000	650,000			20.5		32,500	32,500		
20	2027 June Forecast 1,250M @5.10%	6/1/27	12/1/47	1,250,000	673,506			20.5		35,827	35,827		
21		Subtotal	_	11,825,000	10,648,506	21,325	77,418		4,983	475,219	480,202	11,890	36,564
22	Harris de Mater												
23	Unsecured Notes	2/42/00	2/4/20	Ć450.000	Ć4.F0.000	427	F F20	20.0	400	40.425	40.224		107
24	FPC 6.75% due 2028	2/13/98	2/1/28	\$150,000	\$150,000	437	5,528	30.0	199	10,125	10,324	8	107
25			_			=							
26		Subtotal	_	150,000	150,000				199	10,125	10,324	8	107
27													
28	Accounts Receivable Securitization												
29	Variable Interest Rate debt	4/29/16	4/30/28	\$250,000	\$250,000	-				9,250	9,250		296
30			_			-							
31		Subtotal	_	250,000	250,000				0	9,250	9,250	0	296
32													
	Other Debt												
34	SWAPS									7,300	7,300		4.505
35	Amortization of Master Credit Facility F	-ees							889		889		1,535
36	Reacquired Debt	IC 12C)		-	-				810		810		935
37	Less Temporary Cash Investments (FER		oco (12) + (12)	0	E1 226								
38	Less Unamortized Premium, Discount,		156 (12) + (13)	51,336	51,336								
39	Total			12 172 004	10 007 170	24 225	77 440		6,881	501,893	E00 774	11 000	20.427
	Total			12,173,664	10,997,170	21,325	77,418		0,881	501,893	508,774	11,899	39,437
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	Embedded Cost of Long-term Debt			-	4.63%								
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COMP	ANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		b	onds).						<u>X</u>	Projected Test	Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026
DOCK	ET NO.: 20240025											Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025
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				Date stood	13-Month	Discount	Issuing			later and	Total	Unamortized	Unamort. Issuing
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Line	Description,	Issue	Maturity	Amt Sold	Principal Amt	Principal	Principal	Life	Annual	Expense	Cost	(Premium)	Debt
No.	Coupon Rate	Date	Date	(Face Value)	Outstanding	Amt Sold	Amt Sold	(Years)	Amortization	(Coupon Rate)	(9) + (10)	Associated w/(5)	Associated w/(5)
1 2	First Mortgage Bonds	2/21/03	3/1/33	225 000	225 000	572	3,013	30.0	110	12 275	12 204	127	665
	FPC 5.90% due 2033			225,000	225,000				119	13,275	13,394		
3	FPC 6.35% due 2037	9/18/07	9/15/37	500,000	500,000	660	6,708	30.0	246	31,750	31,996	247	2,506
4	FPC 6.40% due 2038	6/18/08	6/15/38	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,220	13,136	30.0	579	64,000	64,579	1,682	5,236
5	FPC 5.65% due 2040	3/25/10	4/1/40	350,000	350,000	1,460	4,690	30.0	205	19,775	19,980	669	2,148
6	FPC 3.85% due 2042	11/20/12	11/15/42	400,000	400,000	1,268	4,870	30.0	205	15,400	15,605	692	2,658
7	3.40% due 2046	9/9/16	10/1/46	600,000	600,000	3,372	7,260	30.1	354	20,400	20,754	2,271	4,896
8	3.20% due 2027	1/6/17	1/15/27	650,000	650,000	390	5,953	10.0	632	20,800	21,432	21	321
9	3.80% due 2028	6/21/18	7/15/28	600,000	600,000	1,110	5,437	10.1	650	22,800	23,450	225	1,102
10	4.20% due 2048	6/21/18	7/15/48	400,000	400,000	556	4,825	30.1	179	16,800	16,979	408	3,537
11	2.50% due 2029	11/26/19	12/1/29	700,000	700,000	371	6,268	10.0	663	17,500	18,163	127	2,138
12	1.75% due 2030	6/11/20	6/15/30	500,000	500,000	685	4,686	10.0	536	8,750	9,286	564	1,852
13	2.40% due 2031	12/2/21	12/15/31	650,000	650,000	982	5,853	10.0	681	15,600	16,281	2,398	3,183
14	3.00% due 2051	12/2/21	12/15/51	500,000	500,000	2,850	6,002	30.1	295	15,000	15,295	543	5,080
15	5.95% due 2052	11/10/22	11/15/52	500,000	500,000	3,190	4,213	30.0	247	29,750	29,997	2,856	5,600
16	2023 June Forecast 650M @4.65%	6/1/23	12/1/43	650,000	650,000			20.5		30,225	30,225		
17	2024 Aug Forecast 1,000M @5.00%	8/1/24	2/1/45	1,000,000	1,000,000			20.5		50,000	50,000		
18	2025 June Forecast 700M @5.00%	6/1/25	12/1/45	700,000	700,000			20.5		35,000	35,000		
19	2026 June Forecast 650M @5.00%	6/1/26	12/1/46	650,000	350,532			20.5		18,271	18,271		
20		Subtotal	_	10,575,000	10,275,532	21,685	82,913		5,589	445,096	450,685	12,829	40,921
21			_										
22	Unsecured Notes												
23	FPC 6.75% due 2028	2/13/98	2/1/28	\$150,000	\$150,000	437	5,528	30.0	199	10,125	10,324	23	292
24						_							
25		Subtotal	_	150,000	150,000	437	5,528		199	10,125	10,324	23	292
26		Subtotal	_	150,000	150,000	437	3,320		155	10,123	10,324		232
27	Accounts Receivable Securitization												
28	Variable Interest Rate debt	4/29/16	4/30/27	\$250,000	\$250,000					9,125	9,125		431
29	variable litterest Rate debt	4/23/10	4/30/27	\$230,000	\$230,000					3,123	9,123		431
30		Subtotal	_	250,000	250,000				0	9,125	9,125	0	431
31		Subtotui	_	250,000	250,000					3,123	3,123		451
	Other Debt												
33	SWAPS									7,300	7,300		
34	Amortization of Master Credit Facility	Fees							1,043	,	1,043		1,927
35	Reacquired Debt								917		917		1,799
36	Less Temporary Cash Investments (FE	RC 136)		0	0	1							,
37	Less Unamortized Premium, Discount,		se (12) + (13)	58,222	58,222								
38	,			,	,								
=	otal			10,916,778	10,617,311	22,122	88,441		7,747	471,646	479,393	12,852	45,369
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41 42 I	lot			-	10,617,311	_							
	mbedded Cost of Long-term Debt			-	4.52%								
	Note: Expenses are prorated for bonds no	at outstanding ant	iro voar	=	4.3270	=							
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				est year, prior year, ar	nd historical base yea	r. Arrange by typ	e of issue (i.e. fir	st mortgage				Year 3 Ended	12/31/202
COME	PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		b	onds).								Year 2 Ended	12/31/202
												Year 1 Ended	12/31/202
DOCK	ET NO.: 20240025										Prior Year End		12/31/202
										_	Historical Year	Ended	12/31/202
						(\$000)					Witness: New	lin	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
												13-Month Avg.	13-Month Avg.
					13-Month	Discount	Issuing				Total	Unamortized	Unamort. Issuing
				Principal	Average	(Premium) on	Expenses on			Interest	Annual	Discount	Exp & Loss on
Line	Description,	Issue	Maturity	Amt Sold	Principal Amt	Principal	Principal	Life	Annual	Expense	Cost	(Premium)	Debt
No.	Coupon Rate	Date	Date	(Face Value)	Outstanding	Amt Sold	Amt Sold	(Years)	Amortization	(Coupon Rate)	(9) + (10)	Associated w/(5)	Associated w/(5)
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3	FPC 6.35% due 2037	9/18/07	9/15/37	500,000	500,000	660	6,708	30.0	246	31,750	31,996	269	2,730
4	FPC 6.40% due 2038	6/18/08	6/15/38	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,220	13,136	30.0	579	64,000	64,579	1,823	5,674
5	FPC 5.65% due 2040	3/25/10	4/1/40	350,000	350,000	1,460	4,690	30.0	205	19,775	19,980	717	2,304
6	FPC 3.85% due 2042	11/20/12	11/15/42	400,000	400,000	1,268	4,870	30.0	205	15,400	15,605	735	2,820
7	3.40% due 2046	9/9/16	10/1/46	600,000	600,000	3,372	7,260	30.1	354	20,400	20,754	2,384	5,138
8	3.20% due 2027	1/6/17	1/15/27	650,000	650,000	390	5,953	10.0	632	20,800	21,432	60	913
9	3.80% due 2028	6/21/18	7/15/28	600,000	600,000	1,110	5,437	10.1	650	22,800	23,450	335	1,642
10	4.20% due 2048	6/21/18	7/15/48	400,000	400,000	556	4,825	30.1	179	16,800	16,979	426	3,697
11	2.50% due 2029	11/26/19	12/1/29	700,000	700,000	371	6,268	10.0	663	17,500	18,163	164	2,764
12	1.75% due 2030	6/11/20	6/15/30	500,000	500,000	685	4,686	10.0	536	8,750	9,286	633	2,320
13	2.40% due 2031	12/2/21	12/15/31	650,000	650,000	982	5,853	10.0	681	15,600	16,281	2,496	3,766
14	3.00% due 2051	12/2/21	12/15/51	500,000	500,000	2,850	6,002	30.1	295	15,000	15,295	638	5,279
15	5.95% due 2052	11/10/22	11/15/52	500,000	500,000	3,190	4,213	30.1	293	29,750	29,997	2,962	5,740
						3,190	4,213		247			2,902	3,740
16	2023 June Forecast 650M @4.65%	6/1/23	12/1/43	650,000	650,000			20.5		30,225	30,225		
17	2024 Aug Forecast 1,000M @5.00%	8/1/24	2/1/45	1,000,000	1,000,000			20.5		50,000	50,000		
18	2025 June Forecast 700M @5.00%	6/1/25	12/1/45	700,000	377,689	24.525	22.242	20.5		19,673	19,673	10 700	45.55
19		Subtotal	_	9,925,000	9,602,689	21,685	82,913		5,589	411,498	417,087	13,786	45,553
20													
21	Unsecured Notes	2/42/22	2/4/22	4450.000	4450.000			20.0	400	40.405	40.004		
22	FPC 6.75% due 2028	2/13/98	2/1/28	\$150,000	\$150,000	437	5,528	30.0	199	10,125	10,324	38	476
23			_			-							
24		Subtotal	_	150,000	150,000	437	5,528		199	10,125	10,324	38	476
25													
26	Accounts Receivable Securitization												
27	Variable Interest Rate debt	4/29/16	4/30/26	\$250,000	\$250,000	-				9,375	9,375		565
28						-							
29		Subtotal	· <u>-</u>	250,000	250,000				0	9,375	9,375	0	565
30			_										
31	Other Debt												
32	SWAPS									7,300	7,300		
33	Amortization of Master Credit Facility	Fees							915		915		2,267
34	Reacquired Debt								946		946		2,730
35	Less Temporary Cash Investments (FE	RC 136)		0	0	1							,
36	Less Unamortized Premium, Discount,		se (12) + (13)	65,415	65,415								
37		•	. , , ,										
38	Total			10,259,585	9,937,274	22,122	88,441		7,649	438,298	445,947	13,824	51,592
39				•		•	•			•	-	•	,
40													
41	Net			-	9,937,274	-							
	Embedded Cost of Long-term Debt			_	4.49%	_							
	Note: Expenses are prorated for bonds no	ot outstanding enti	ire vear.	=	1370	=							
44	npenses are proruted for bollus lit	Jawananing ent											
	orting Schedules:											Recap Schedules:	
Juppe	or time serieuties.											necap scriedules.	

СОМ	IDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC ET NO.: 20240025		t	rovide the specified d est year, prior year, ar oonds).	-		_				Type of Data S Projected Test Projected Test Projected Test Prior Year End Historical Year	Year 3 Ended Year 2 Ended Year 1 Ended ed	12/31/2027 12/31/2026 12/31/2025 12/31/2024 12/31/2023
						(\$000)					Witness: Newl		12,01,2020
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
	(±)	(2)	(5)	(4)	(5)	(0)	(7)	(0)	(5)	(10)	(11)	13-Month Avg.	13-Month Avg.
					13-Month	Discount	Issuing				Total	Unamortized	Unamort. Issuing
				Principal	Average	(Premium) on	Expenses on			Interest	Annual	Discount	Exp & Loss on
Line	Description,	Issue	Maturity	Amt Sold	Principal Amt	Principal	Principal	Life	Annual	Expense	Cost	(Premium)	Debt
No.	Coupon Rate	Date	Date	(Face Value)	Outstanding	Amt Sold	Amt Sold	(Years)		(Coupon Rate)	(9) + (10)	Associated w/(5)	Associated w/(5)
1	First Mortgage Bonds			(1000 10100)				()		(остронного)	(0) (-0)		
2	FPC 5.90% due 2033	2/21/03	3/1/33	225,000	225,000	572	3,013	30.0	119	13,275	13,394	165	864
3	FPC 6.35% due 2037	9/18/07	9/15/37	500,000	500,000	660	6,708	30.0	246	31,750	31,996	291	2,953
4	FPC 6.40% due 2038	6/18/08	6/15/38	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,220	13,136	30.0	579	64,000	64,579	1,964	6,112
5	FPC 5.65% due 2040	3/25/10	4/1/40	350,000	350,000	1,460	4,690	30.0	205	19,775	19,980	766	2,461
6	FPC 3.85% due 2042	11/20/12	11/15/42	400,000	400,000	1,268	4,870	30.0	205	15,400	15,605	777	2,983
7	3.40% due 2046	9/9/16	10/1/46	600,000	600,000	3,372	7,260	30.1	354	20,400	20,754	2,496	5,380
8	3.20% due 2027	1/6/17	1/15/27	650,000	650,000	390	5,953	10.0	632	20,800	21,432	99	1,506
9	3.80% due 2028	6/21/18	7/15/28	600,000	600,000	1,110	5,437	10.1	650	22,800	23,450	445	2,182
10	4.20% due 2048	6/21/18	7/15/48	400,000	400,000	556	4,825	30.1	179	16,800	16,979	445	3,857
11	2.50% due 2029	11/26/19	12/1/29	700,000	700,000	371	6,268	10.0	663	17,500	18,163	201	3,390
12	1.75% due 2030	6/11/20	6/15/30	500,000	500,000	685	4,686	10.0	536	8,750	9,286	701	2,788
13	2.40% due 2031	12/2/21	12/15/31	650,000	650,000	982	5,853	10.0	681	15,600	16,281	2,594	4,350
14	3.00% due 2051	12/2/21	12/15/51	500,000	500,000	2,850	6,002	30.1	295	15,000	15,295	733	5,479
15	5.95% due 2052	11/10/22	11/15/52	500,000	500,000	3,190	4,213	30.0	247	29,750	29,997	3,069	5,880
16	2023 June Forecast 650M @4.65%	6/1/23	12/1/43	650,000	650,000	-,	, -	20.5		30,225	30,225	,,,,,	-,
17	2024 Aug Forecast 1,000M @5.00%	8/1/24	2/1/45	1,000,000	385,388			20.5		19,763	19,763		
18		Subtotal		9,225,000	8,610,388	21,685	82,913		5,589	361,588	367,177	14,743	50,185
19			_	-, -,	-,,	,	,		-,	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	,	,	
20	Unsecured Notes												
21	FPC 6.75% due 2028	2/13/98	2/1/28	\$150,000	\$150,000	437	5,528	30.0	199	10,125	10,324	52	660
22	Term Loan due 2024	10/21/22	4/21/24	800,000	246,154		79	1.5		10,169	10,169		6
23	Terrii Loan due 2024	Subtotal	4/21/24_	950,000	396,154	437	5,607	2.0	199	20,294	20,493	52	666
24		Subtotal	_	930,000	350,134	437	3,007		133	20,234	20,493	32	000
25	Accounts Receivable Securitization												
26	Variable Interest Rate debt	4/29/16	4/30/25	\$250,000	\$250,000	_				11,250	11,250		699
27	variable interest nate debt	4/23/10	4/30/23	\$250,000	7250,000	_				11,230	11,230		033
28		Subtotal	_	250,000	250,000				0	11,250	11,250	0	699
29		Subtotal	_	250,000	250,000					11,250	11,250	<u> </u>	033
	Other Debt												
31	SWAPS									7,300	7,300		
32	Amortization of Master Credit Facility	Fees							788	.,	788		2,480
33	Reacquired Debt								946		946		3,676
34	Less Temporary Cash Investments (FER	RC 136)		0	0	ı							-,-
35	Less Unamortized Premium, Discount,		se (12) + (13)	72,502	72,502								
36		·											
37	Total			10,352,498	9,184,039	22,122	88,520		7,521	400,432	407,953	14,795	57,707
38				_					-				
39				=		=							
40	Net			_	9,184,039	_							
41	Embedded Cost of Long-term Debt			_	4.44%	_							
42	Note: Expenses are prorated for bonds no	ot outstanding ent	ire year.	_									
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FLOR	IDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION		Explanation:	Provide the specified d	ata on long-term del	ot issues on a 13	-month average	basis for			Type of Data S		
				the test year, prior yea	r, and historical base	year. Arrange b	by type of issue (i	i.e. first			Projected Test		12/31/2027
СОМ	PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC			mortgage bonds).							Projected Test		12/31/2026
	/5T.110 000 1000 5									_	Projected Test		12/31/2025
DOCI	KET NO.: 20240025									_	Prior Year End		12/31/2024 12/31/2023
										<u> </u>	Historical Year	Ended	12/31/2023
						(\$000)					Witness: New	in	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
												13-Month Avg.	13-Month Avg.
					13-Month	Discount	Issuing				Total	Unamortized	Unamort. Issuing
				Principal	Average	(Premium) on	Expenses on			Interest	Annual	Discount	Exp & Loss on
Line	Description,	Issue	Maturity	Amt Sold	Principal Amt	Principal	Principal	Life	Annual	Expense	Cost	(Premium)	Debt
No.	Coupon Rate	Date	Date	(Face Value)	Outstanding	Amt Sold	Amt Sold	(Years)	Amortization	(Coupon Rate)	(9) + (10)	Associated w/(5)	Associated w/(5)
1	First Mortgage Bonds												
2	FPC 5.90% due 2033	2/21/03	3/1/33	225,000	225,000	572	3,013	30.0	119	13,275	13,394	184	964
3	FPC 6.35% due 2037	9/18/07	9/15/37	500,000	500,000	660	6,708	30.0	246	31,750	31,996	313	3,177
4	FPC 6.40% due 2038	6/18/08	6/15/38	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,220	13,136	30.0	579	64,000	64,579	2,104	6,549
5	FPC 5.65% due 2040	3/25/10	4/1/40	350,000	350,000	1,460	4,690	30.0	205	19,775	19,980	814	2,617
6	FPC 3.85% due 2042	11/20/12	11/15/42	400,000	400,000	1,268	4,870	30.0	205	15,400	15,605	819	3,145
7	3.40% due 2046	9/9/16	10/1/46	600,000	600,000	3,372	7,260	30.1	354	20,400	20,754	2,608	5,622
8	3.20% due 2027	1/6/17	1/15/27	650,000	650,000	390	5,953	10.0	632	20,800	21,432	138	2,099
9	3.80% due 2028	6/21/18	7/15/28	600,000	600,000	1,110	5,437	10.1	650	22,800	23,450	556	2,722
10	4.20% due 2048	6/21/18	7/15/48	400,000	400,000	556	4,825	30.1	179	16,800	16,979	463	4,018
11	2.50% due 2029	11/26/19	12/1/29	700,000	700,000	371	6,268	10.0	663	17,500	18,163	238	4,016
12	1.75% due 2030	6/11/20	6/15/30	500,000	500,000	685	4,686	10.0	536	8,750	9,286	476	3,256
13	2.40% due 2031	12/2/21	12/15/31	650,000	650,000	982	5,853	10.0	681	15,600	16,281	1,546	4,954
14	3.00% due 2051	12/2/21	12/15/51	500,000	500,000	2,850	6,002	30.1	295	15,000	15,295	1,981	5,687
15	5.95% due 2052	11/10/22	11/15/52	500,000	500,000	3,190	4,213	30.0	247	29,750	29,997	3,122	5,925
16	ESOP FRN due 2073	9/29/23	10/15/73	200,000	46,154	0	2,022	50.1	11	2,590	2,601	-	580
17	5.875% due 2033	11/9/23	11/15/33	600,000	92,308	1,086	2,788	10.0	57	5,092	5,148	165	592
18	6.20% due 2053	11/9/23	11/15/53	700,000	107,692	4,256	5,353	30.0	47	6,269	6,316	653	1,017
19		Subtotal		9,075,000	7,821,154	27,027	93,076		5,703	325,551	331,253	16,179	56,940
20			•										
21	Unsecured Notes												
22	FPC 6.75% due 2028	2/13/98	2/1/28	\$150,000	\$150,000	437	5,528	30.0	199	10,125	10,324	67	844
23	Term Loan due 2024	10/21/22	4/21/24	800,000	692,308		79	1.5		40,600	40,600	-	19
24		Subtotal	•	950,000	842,308	437	5,607		199	50,725	50,924	67	863
25			•										
26	Accounts Receivable Securitization												
27	Variable Interest Rate debt	4/29/16	4/30/24	\$325,000	\$301,923	-				18,720	18,720		504
28						-							
29		Subtotal	•	325,000	301,923				0	18,720	18,720	0	504
30			•										
31	Other Debt												
32	SWAPS									6,240	6,240		
33	Amortization of Master Credit Facilit	ty Fees							613		613		2,734
34	Reacquired Debt								774		774		4,711
35	Less Temporary Cash Investments (F	ERC 136)		0	C								
36	Less Unamortized Premium, Discour	nt, & Issuance Expense	(12) + (13)	81,997	81,997								
37													
38	Total			10,268,003	8,883,388	27,464	98,684		7,288	401,236	408,524	16,245	65,752
39													
40				_		_							
41				_	8,883,388								
	Embedded Cost of Long-term Debt			=	4.60%	=							
43	Note: Expenses are prorated for bonds	not outstanding entire	year.	_									
44													
Sunn	orting Schedules:											Recan Schedules:	

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	Explanation: Supply a statement of the Company's policy on treatment of profit or loss	Type of Data Shown:	
	from reacquired bonds. Detail any profit or loss on reacquired bonds for the	X Projected Test Year 3 Ended	12/31/2027
COMPANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC	test year and prior year.	X Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026
		X Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025
DOCKET NO.: 20240025-EI		X Prior Year Ended	12/31/2024
		X Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023
		Witness: Newlin	

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Line No.	Book ar	nd Tax Treatment o	of Income from Read	cquired Bonds		
1	Book Treatment					
2	When long-term debt is reacquired or redeemed without being converted into anot	her form of long-te	erm debt and when	the transaction is n	ot in connection w	ith a refunding
3	operation (primarily redemptions for sinking fund purposes), the difference betwee	n the amount paid	upon reacquisition	and the face value	plus any un-amorti	zed premium less
4	any related unamortized debt expense and reacquisition costs; or less any unamorti	ized discount, relat	ed debt expense ar	nd reacquisition cos	ts applicable to the	debt redeemed,
5	retired and canceled, shall be included in account 189, Unamortized Loss on Reacqu	ired Debt, or accou	unt 257, Unamortiz	ed Gain or Reacquir	ed Debt, as approp	oriate. The Utility
6	shall amortize the recorded amounts equally on a monthly basis over the remaining	life of the respecti	ve security issues.	The amounts so am	ortized shall be cha	rged to account
7	428.1, Amortization of Loss on Reacquired Debt, or credited to account 429.1 Amor	tization of Gain on	Reacquired Debt-C	redit, as appropriat	e.	
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9						
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11						
12	<u>Tax Treatment</u>					
13	Gain or loss on the retirement of long-term debt is recognized in the taxable year of	retirement or exti	nguishment for fed	eral income tax pur	poses.	
14						
15						
16						
17				(000s)		
18		4.1	4-1	4-3	4-1	
19		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
20		Projected	Projected	Projected		
21		Test Year	Test Year	Test Year	Prior Year	Historical Year
22	-	12/31/2027	12/31/2026	12/31/2025	12/31/2024	12/31/2023
23		4===	4	40.000	40.000	4
24	Loss on Reacquired Debt (Book Value)	\$530	\$1,340	\$2,257	\$3,203	\$4,321

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	Explanation: Provide the data as specified for preferred stock on a 13-month	Type of Data Shown:	
	average basis for the test year, prior year, and historical year.	X Projected Test Year 3 Ended	12/31/2027
COMPANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		X Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026
		X Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025
DOCKET NO.: 20240025-EI		X Prior Year Ended	12/31/2024
		X Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023

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	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
			Call		13-Month	(Discount)/Premium	(Discount)
			Provisions		Principal	on Principal	or Premium
Line	Description	Issue	or Special	Principal	Amount	Amount	Associated
No.	Coupon Rate	Date	Restrictions	Amt Sold	Outstanding	Sold	with (D)

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	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	
			Call		13-Month	(Discount)/Premium	(Discount)	
			Provisions		Principal	on Principal	or Premium	
Line	Description	Issue	or Special	Principal	Amount	Amount	Associated	
No.	Coupon Rate	Date	Restrictions	Amt Sold	Outstanding	Sold	with (D)	
1					2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2		(= /	
2		N/A - DEF does not ha	ave any Preferred Stock O	utstanding				
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FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION			nthly balances, interest rates and interes	Type of Data Shown: X Projected Test Year 3 Ended 12/31/20			
COMPAN	NY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		customer de base year.	eposits for the test year, the prior year, a	and the historical	Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2027 12/31/2026
			base year.		Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2025	
DOCKET	NO.: 20240025-EI					Prior Year Ended	12/31/2024
						Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023
				(\$000s)		Witness: Quick	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
	Month	Active	Inactive			Actual Payments	
Line	and	Customer	Customer	Total	Interest	and Credits on	
No.	Year	Deposits	Deposits	Deposits	Expense	Bills	
1	Dec -2026			\$173,411			
2	Jan -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
3	Feb -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
4	Mar -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
5	Apr -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
6	May -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
7	Jun -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
8	Jul -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
9	Aug -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
10	Sep -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
11	Oct -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
12	Nov -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
13	Dec -2027			\$173,411	\$377		
14	13 Month Average			\$173,411			
15	12 Month Total				\$4,528		
16					·		
17							
18							
19							
	fective Interest Rate						
21 :	12 Month Interest						
	Expense (5) divided by						
	Total Deposits (4)			2.61%			
24				2.0270			
25							
26							
27							
28							

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	DA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSI			thly balances, interest rates and interes posits for the test year, the prior year, a		Type of Data Shown: Projected Test Year 3 Ended	12/31/2027
	ANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC ET NO.: 20240025-EI		base year.		X Projected Test Year 2 Ended Projected Test Year 1 Ended Prior Year Ended	12/31/2026 12/31/2025 12/31/2024	
					Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023	
				(\$000s)		Witness: Quick	
-	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	
Lina	Month	Active	Inactive	Total	Intorost	Actual Payments and Credits on	
Line No.	and Year	Customer Deposits	Customer Deposits	Deposits	Interest Expense	Bills	
1	Dec -2025	Борозна	Берозна	\$173,411	ENPENSE	59	
2	Jan -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
3	Feb -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
4	Mar -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
5	Apr -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
6	May -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
7	, Jun -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
8	Jul -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
9	Aug -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
10	Sep -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
11	Oct -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
12	Nov -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
13	Dec -2026			\$173,411	\$377		
14	13 Month Average			\$173,411			
15	12 Month Total				\$4,528		
16							
17							
18							
19							
20	Effective Interest Rate						
21	12 Month Interest						
22	Expense (5) divided by						
23	Total Deposits (4)			2.61%			
24							
25							
26							
27							
28							

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION				thly balances, interest rates and interes posits for the test year, the prior year, a		Type of Data Shown: Projected Test Year 3 Ended 12/31/			
COM	PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		base year.	,		Projected Test Year 2 Ended	12/31/2026		
DOCK	ET NO.: 20240025-EI				X Projected Test Year 1 Ended Prior Year Ended	12/31/2025 12/31/2024			
200	21 11011 202 10023 21					Historical Year Ended	12/31/2023		
				(\$000s)		Witness: Quick			
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)			
	Month	Active	Inactive			Actual Payments			
Line No.	and Year	Customer Deposits	Customer Deposits	Total Deposits	Interest Expense	and Credits on Bills			
1	Dec -2024	Deposits	Deposits	\$173,411	Expense	BIIIS			
2	Jan -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
3	Feb -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
4	Mar -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
5	Apr -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
6	May -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
7	Jun -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
8	Jul -2025 Jul -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
9	Aug -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
10	Sep -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
11	Oct -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
12	Nov -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
13	Dec -2025			\$173,411	\$377				
14	13 Month Average			\$173,411	<i>4377</i>				
15	12 Month Total				\$4,528				
16	12				 				
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18									
19									
	Effective Interest Rate								
21	12 Month Interest								
22	Expense (5) divided by								
23	Total Deposits (4)			2.61%					
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COMP	ANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		customer de base vear.	posits for the test year, the prior year, a	Projected Test Year 3 Ended Projected Test Year 2 Ended Projected Test Year 1 Ended	12/31/2027 12/31/2026 12/31/2025		
DOCKET NO.: 20240025-EI							12/31/2024 12/31/2023	
				(\$000s)		Witness: Quick		
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		
	Month	Active	Inactive			Actual Payments		
Line	and	Customer	Customer	Total	Interest	and Credits on		
No. 1	Year	Deposits	Deposits	Deposits	Expense	Bills		
	Dec -2023			\$173,411	6277			
2	Jan -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
3	Feb -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
4	Mar -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
5	Apr -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
6	May -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
7	Jun -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
8	Jul -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
9	Aug -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
10	Sep -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
11	Oct -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
12	Nov -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
13	Dec -2024			\$173,411	\$377			
14	13 Month Average			\$173,411				
15	12 Month Total			<u> </u>	\$4,528			
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20 1	Effective Interest Rate							
21	12 Month Interest							
22	Expense (5) divided by							
23	Total Deposits (4)			2.61%				
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Supporting Schedules: D1a

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				(\$000s)		Witness: Quick	
Line No.	(1) Month and Year	(2) Active Customer Deposits	(3) Inactive Customer Deposits	(4) Total Deposits	(5) Interest Expense *	(6) Actual Payments and Credits on Bills	
1	Dec -2022	1	·	\$173,411	•		
2	Jan -2023			\$173,969	\$378	\$26	
3	Feb -2023			\$174,495	\$380	\$28	
4	Mar -2023			\$174,911	\$380	\$34	
5	Apr -2023			\$174,916	\$380	\$30	
6	May -2023			\$174,986	\$381	\$34	
7	Jun -2023			\$174,522	\$380	\$7,451	
8	Jul -2023			\$175,580	\$382	\$3	
9	Aug -2023			\$176,301	\$383	\$505	
10	Sep -2023			\$177,314	\$386	\$14	
11	Oct -2023			\$178,794	\$389	\$23	
12	Nov -2023			\$163,122	\$355	\$222	
13	Dec -2023			\$160,202	\$348	\$34	
14	13 Month Average			\$173,271			
15	12 Month Total				\$4,522	\$8,404	
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19							
	Effective Interest Rate						
21	12 Month Interest						
22	Expense (5) divided by						

* Interest Expense for 2023 is an estimate and differs from the general ledger due to a reporting change in DEF's billing system.

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Total Deposits (4)

28 Supporting Schedules: Recap Schedules: D1a

2.61%

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION COMPANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC DOCKET NO.: 20240025-EI	pa th re	ovide the most rec arent if the compar e requested data is ference and attach the this MFR.	ny is not publicly tra s available from otl	Type of Data Shown: Projected Test Year 3 Ended Projected Test Year 2 Ended Projected Test Year 1 Ended Prior Year Ended X Historical Year Ended	12/31/2027 12/31/2026 12/31/2025 12/31/2024 12/31/2023		
			(\$000)			Witness: Newlin	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)		
Line							
No.	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023		
1 Pre-Tax Interest Coverage Ratio (x) (FOR DEF)* 2	3.58	3.97	3.90	4.13	4.09		
3 Earned Returns on Average Book Equity (%) (FOR DEF)*	10.74%	10.75%	9.31%	10.50%	10.66%		
5 Book Value/Share (\$) (FOR DE Corp)	\$65.39	63.96	66.50	67.34	65.09		
6 7 Dividends/Share (\$) (FOR DE Corp)	\$3.75	\$3.82	\$3.90	\$3.98	\$4.06		
8 9 Earnings/Share (\$) (FOR DE Corp)	\$5.06	\$1.72	\$4.94	\$3.17	\$3.54		
10 11 Market Value/Share (\$) (FOR DE Corp)	\$91.21	\$91.56	\$104.90	\$102.99	\$97.04		
12 13 Market/Book Ratio (FOR DE Corp)	1.39	1.43	1.58	1.53	1.49		
14 15 Price/Earning Ratio (FOR DE Corp)	18.03	53.23	21.23	32.49	27.41		
16 17 18 *Source: Moody's Investors Service Inc. (2019-2022 Reported) 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34							
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FLORI	DA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION		Explanation: 1.) If the test year is projected, provide a summary of financing plans and assumptions.								Type of Data Shown:			
											X Projected Test Year 3 Ended			12/31/2027
COME	PANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC		2.		e the company's c	•	•				X Projected Test Year 2 Ended			12/31/2026 12/31/2025
					as those for issue cost and interest rates), and any other significant assumptions. Provide a statement of the Company's policy on the timing of the entrance into							X Projected Test Year 1 Ended		
DOCK	ET NO.: 20240025-EI					he Company's po	licy on the tim	ing of the e	entrance into			X Prior Year End		12/31/2024
				capital	markets.							_ Historical Year	Ended	12/31/2023
												Witness: New	lin	
	(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
						For Bonds			For	Stock				
			Date of											Principal
Line			Issue/		Capitalization	Interest	Life in		No. of	Market		Issue Costs		Amount
No.	Type of Issue		Retirement		(Thousands)	Rate	Years		Shares	Price		(Thousands)		(Thousands)
1	Term Loan	Retirement	4/21/2024		800,000	SOFR +85 bps	1.5							
2	First Mortgage Bonds	Issuance	8/1/2024		1,000,000	5.00%	20.5							
3	First Mortgage Bonds	Issuance	6/1/2025		700,000	5.00%	20.5							
4	First Mortgage Bonds	Issuance	6/1/2026		650,000	5.00%	20.5							
5	First Mortgage Bonds	Issuance	6/1/2027		1,250,000	5.10%	20.5							
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8 Capital Structure Objectives:

9 DEF's proposed capital structure can be found in MFR Schedule D-1a. The proposed capitalization in this request will help DEF maintain its investment-grade credit ratings and meet its overall financial objectives for the benefit of customers. MFR Schedule D-1a assumes a financial equity percentage of 53% (using common equity, long-term debt and short-term debt). The Company believes this proposed capital structure is optimal for DEF, as it provides an appropriate amount of risk due to leverage while minimizing the weighted average cost of capital to customers. Approval of the proposed capital structure will help DEF maintain its credit quality, including its strong investment-grade credit ratings.

The specific debt/equity ratio will vary over time, depending on a variety of factors, including, among other things, the timing and size of capital investments and payments of large invoices, debt issuances, seasonality of earnings, and dividend payments to the parent company. The requested regulatory capital structure is consistent with the Company's financial objectives and overall plan to maintain its ability to finance operations at rates favorable for customers, and DEF will manage its capital structure within reasonable range of this base requested capital structure.

20	Interest Rate Assumptions:	2024	2025	2026	2027
21	1M LIBOR Benchmark	3.80%	3.00%	2.95%	2.95%
22	10-Year Treasury Benchmark	3.56%	3.61%	3.70%	3.81%
23	30-Year Treasury Benchmark	3.65%	3.65%	3.65%	3.66%

Company's Policy on the Timing of Entrance into Capital Markets:

The Company continously monitors capital market conditions for opportunities to minimize its overall cost of capital. Each year it develops a financing plan which takes current year debt maturities, capital expenditure commitments and forecasted internally generated funds to determine whether to issue short or long-term debt and the amount of each. DEF's existing short-term credit facilities along with its access to the utility money pool, provide sufficient liquidity and flexibility in determing the amount and timing of long-term debt issuances.

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FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION	Explanation: Provide financial in		•		_	ar 3 Ended	12/31/2027	
	proposed rates, th	e prior year, and	the historical ba	se year.	_	Projected Test Yea		12/31/2026
COMPANY: Duke Energy Florida, LLC					_	ar 1 Ended	12/31/2025	
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		Witness: Aquilina, O'Hara						
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Line	2023	2024	2025	2025	2026	2026	2027	2027
No.	Historical	Prior	Current	Proposed	Current	Proposed	Current	Proposed
	Year	Year	Rates	Rates	Rates	Rates	Rates	Rates
1 Interest Coverage Ratios:								
2 Including AFUDC in Income Before Interest Charges	4.13	3.74	3.22	4.51	2.97	4.37	2.72	4.26
3 Excluding AFUDC in Income before Interest Charges	4.08	3.70	3.20	4.50	2.96	4.36	2.72	4.25
4 AFUDC as a percent of Income Available for Common	1.90%	1.83%	0.85%	0.56%	0.46%	0.28%	0.39%	0.22%
5 Percent of Construction Funds Generated Internally	95.25%	66.63%	60.01%	75.72%	77.76%	97.11%	83.50%	106.91%
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7 Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Including AFUDC	1,685,218	1,618,238	1,476,232	2,069,679	1,469,171	2,160,517	1,452,613	2,272,558
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9 Earnings Before Interest & Taxes Excluding AFUDC	1,664,410	1,599,247	1,468,496	2,061,942	1,465,026	2,156,372	1,449,167	2,269,111
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11 Fixed Charges:								
12 Interest	402,031	427,423	456,474	456,474	492,980	492,980	532,541	532,541
13 Lease Payments	91,209	73,679	69,566	69,566	70,950	70,950	41,271	41,271
14 Sinking Fund Payments	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
15 Tax of Sinking Fund Payments	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
16 Total Fixed Charges	493,240	501,102	526,040	526,040	563,929	563,929	573,811	573,811
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18 Ratio of Earnings to Fixed Charges:								
19 Including AFUDC - Line (7)/(16)	3.42	3.23	2.81	3.93	2.61	3.83	2.53	3.96
20 Excluding AFUDC - Line (9)/(16)	3.37	3.19	2.79	3.92	2.60	3.82	2.53	3.95