

**Antonia Hover**

**From:** John Plescow  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 28, 2024 1:46 PM  
**To:** Consumer Correspondence; Carlos Caro-Rora  
**Subject:** FW: 20240025 - closeout PR-69  
**Attachments:** Duke energy rate hike; 5200 Brittany Dr S 204 St. Pete Fl 33715; Electric; Untitled; Please do not raise the payments I am 92 cannot afford any more higher bills thank you ; Strongly oppose the proposed Duke rate hike.; Opposition to the proposed Duke Energy rate increase; Duke energy; Electric increase; Rate hike

Please, add to docket 20240025.

**From:** Carlos Caro-Rora <CCaro-Ro@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 28, 2024 11:39 AM  
**To:** John Plescow <JPlescow@PSC.STATE.FL.US>  
**Subject:** FW: 20240025 - closeout PR-69

Good Morning John,

Please forward to Clerk's office.

Thanks,

Carlos

**From:** Consina Griffin-Greaux <CGriffin@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 28, 2024 9:51 AM  
**To:** Carlos Caro-Rora <CCaro-Ro@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Subject:** 20240025 - closeout PR-69

Hello Carlos,

For an example see: **1445959C**

Once you have entered the files in CATs, please FORWARD the email to John and state "Please forward to Clerk's office". John will send you an email back. Once you receive the email back from John, please place John's response on CATs.

Thanks

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## Antonia Hover

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**From:** Raymond Carbonara <raayraay@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 5:11 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Duke energy rate hike

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Hi as a Pinellas County resident, it's been brought to my attention that Duke Energy is seeking a large rate increase over a three year period. The residents here are already stretched with the high cost of everything and the electric bill is always a big one. Please keep the interest of the population over the request of Duke's request...thank you.... Raymond Carbonara. 8452 85th Ct. Seminole FL 33777

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**From:** TimnDani Jenkins <jenk4u13@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 5:21 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** 5200 Brittany Dr S 204 St. Pete Fl 33715

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To whom it may concern,

The below is troublesome and we hope you do not allow this and investigate accordingly.

Duke Electric Hike

"Duke Energy wants to raise your monthly electric bill.

Your household expenses are at stake, and we need your immediate action to fight back.

They are seeking approval for an \$820 million increase from the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC).

Here is what Duke is asking:

Raise rates by 27% over the next three years, this is a \$16.48 per month increase in 2025 alone.

Increase their guaranteed profit (return on equity) to 11.5%, well above the national average of 9.71%.

Add \$2.56 more to the \$30 per month fixed customer charge, which is unrelated to electric usage.

This rate hike will burden households already struggling with rising costs.

Together, we can push back."

Here is a link to contact info for the PSC. PLEASE contact them now to fight back. <http://www.psc.state.fl.us/contact-information>

I urge everyone to take action on this and to pass this information on to other Florida residents now. I don't know about you, but I can't afford higher electric bills.

Respectfully,  
Tim & Danielle Jenkins  
916.276.5645

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**From:** Helen Hilton <helennhilton@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 4:09 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Electric

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Please have mercy on us please do not raise our rates again Sent from my iPad

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**From:** Michelle Boss Phillips <michellebossphillips@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 3:47 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact

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As a long time FL resident and user of Duke Energy, I am asking you to not raise the rates. Seniors, like myself are already skipping medicines and meals to survive. Another raise in utility rates will only make it harder for us to survive.

Thank you,  
Michelle Boss

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**From:** Estelle Lutes <estellet45@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 3:28 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Please do not raise the payments I am 92 cannot afford any more higher bills thank you

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Estelle Lutes  
Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** Mary Anna Murphy <maryannamurphy3617@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 3:16 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Strongly oppose the proposed Duke rate hike.

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Please keep the consumer in mind vs. the shareholders.

Best regards,

Mary Anna

Mary Anna Murphy  
maryannamurphy3617@gmail.com

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**From:** Sandy Wismer <swismer3@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 2:52 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Opposition to the proposed Duke Energy rate increase

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Dear Publisher Service Commissioners:

I am writing to express my opposition to Duke Energy's upcoming request to raise our electric rates. Duke's rates are already one of the highest in Florida. Additionally approval of this rate increase would take Duke's, already healthy, profit margin to well above the national average.  
Please do not approve Duke's rate increase request.

Sincerely  
Sandy Wismer  
Swismer3@yahoo.com

Sent from my iPhone



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**From:** Mike Aronhalt <michael.aronhalt@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 2:34 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Duke energy

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Please say NO to more Duke increases. These increases are hurting everyone.

Thanks

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**From:** Eva Kurtz <evakurtz1222@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 2:30 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Electric increase

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Im a registered voter n I'm against electric increase on electric im 65 n can't afford it now.please don't allow the companies to increase our bill 16.48 a month I vote against it. Sincerely. Eva Kurtz Registered Voter

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**From:** TERRY WEIDNER <radcliff410@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 2:23 PM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** Rate hike

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I am a homeowner in Pinellas County  
Please do not raise the rates requested by Duke Energy.  
We are all struggling as it is with the current state of affairs with our home Insurance rates.  
Do not allow this to happen.  
Thank you  
Terry Weidner  
Resident of St Petersburg  
Sent from my iPhone