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**From:** Charlie Smith on behalf of Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Monday, June 17, 2024 7:56 AM  
**To:** 'Shae K'  
**Cc:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** RE: Docket#20240026-EI

Good morning Shae Kirk,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20240026, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Best regards,

*Charlie Smith II*

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Greetings.

I believe that this increase is another example of corporate greed. TECO is the primary source of electricity in the Tampa Bay area which allows them to charge customers' whatever astronomical rate they choose to. If there was another electrical company in the Tampa Bay area that was providing service to residents, this would allow customers to have an option instead of being forced to choose between food, lights, medicine, or gas.

The programs TECO offer does not really assist with the cost. It's just another program in place to try and justify the reasoning of rising electricity bills. I really believe that some of the bills are estimated because my thermostat has gone from 73 to 75 and my bill is still going up. My house is well Isolated the doors are closed majority of the day because I work, and kids are in school or sleeping during the summer, so I'm perplexed as to why it continues to increase.

Therefore, I pray that this bill does not pass at this time.

S.Kirk

"She who kneels before God can stand before man."