From: Sent: Office of Commissioner Passidomo Wednesday, July 17, 2024 8:43 AM

To:

Commissioner Correspondence

Subject:

Docket No. 20240025

Attachments:

Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject

Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike

Please place the attached in Docket No. 20240025.

Thank you!

From: abell.sl@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susan Abell

<abeli.sl@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2024 7:56 AM

To: Office of Commissioner Passidomo **Subject:** Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, Ms. Susan Abell 542 Tall Oak Rd Naples, FL 34113-8575 abell.sl@gmail.com

From:

beastybren@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Brenda James

<beastybren@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,
Ms. Brenda James
1915 19th Ave Vero Beach, FL 32960-3539 beastybren@yahoo.com

From: rchapman111@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Randy Chapman < rchapman111

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Sincerely,

Mr. Randy Chapman

8196 SE Governors Way Hobe Sound, FL 33455-3945 rchapman111@att.net

From: dedubendorff@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Diane Dubendorff

<dedubendorff@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 10:23 PM

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Diane Dubendorff

1565 Oakadia Ln Clearwater, FL 33764-2541 dedubendorff@yahoo.com

From:

z67de5jc1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Hugo Cabrera <z67de5jc1

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Sincerely, Mr Hugo Cabrera

2734 Cambridge Rd Lake Worth, FL 33462-3813 z67de5jc1@mozmail.com

From: mail@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jan Jennings

<mail@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 9:44 PM **To:** Office of Commissioner Passidomo

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Sincerely,

Ms. Jan Jennings

1828 Crown Point Woods Cir Ocoee, FL 34761-3719 mail@harpbiz.com

From: ksewright@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kathleen Sewright

<ksewright@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 9:27 PM

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Sincerely,

Dr. Kathleen Sewright

1298 Madelena Ave Winter Springs, FL 32708-4866 ksewright@email.toast.net

From:

ncl.grg@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nicola Giorgio

<ncl.grg@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Mr. Nicola Giorgio 14 Jeff Rd Largo, FL 33774-2036 ncl.grg@gmail.com

From: eddy.elfin-0e@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Eric David Katz

<eddy.elfin-0e@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 7:51 PM

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Sincerely,

Mr. Eric David Katz

1200 Rio Vista Blvd Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410-5428 eddy.elfin-0e@icloud.com

From:

marcia@evervactioncustom.com on behalf of Marcia Hoodwin

<marcia@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, July 16, 2024 7:18 PM

To:

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Sincerely,
Miss Marcia Hoodwin
8236 Shadow Pine Way Sarasota, FL 34238-5618 marcia@accentsaway.com

From:

ccrollin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Cary Christenson

<ccrollin@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Mr. Cary Christenson
9042 Bryan Dairy Rd Seminole, FL 33777-1103 ccrollin@yahoo.com

bwakefield1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Wakefield <bwakefield1

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Mr. Robert Wakefield

1619 Hardwood Dr Clearwater, FL 33756-2426 bwakefield1@aol.com

From:

dave@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of David Sillman

<dave@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Mr. David Sillman

6415 Garland Ct New Port Richey, FL 34652-2043 dave@beyourbestinc.com

From:

JenMail7975@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jen H < JenMail7975

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Sincerely, Mrs. Jen H Email Only Panama City, FL 32405 JenMail7975@knology.net

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dobi dobroslawa@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Dobi Dobroslawa

<dobi dobroslawa@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Ms. Dobi Dobroslawa 21784 Brixham Run Loop Estero, FL 33928-6266 dobi_dobroslawa@yahoo.com

From: tjhscheer@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jared Scheer

<tjhscheer@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,

Mr. Jared Scheer

10294 Love Story St Winter Garden, FL 34787-1758 tjhscheer@gmail.com

From: 314curt@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Curtis Hemmel

<314curt@everyactioncustom.com>

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Mr. Curtis Hemmel

312 Delmar Ter S St Petersburg, FL 33701-4668 314curt@gmail.com

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Sincerely, Mr. James Teas 8445 SW 181st Ter Palmetto Bay, FL 33157-6051 jteas@duck.com

From:

ronmanbolling@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ronnie Bolling

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Sent:

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Mr. Ronnie Bolling

411 Walnut St Pmb 16 Green Cove Springs, FL 32043-3443 ronmanbolling@gmail.com

From:

debi.mohan@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Debi Mohan

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Sincerely, Ms. Debi Mohan 420 EGLINTON Ave Miami, FL 33199-0001 debi.mohan@yahoo.ca

From: ecwaters3@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Constance Waters <ecwaters3

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 5:25 PM

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3620 38th Ave S Apt 84 Saint Petersburg, FL 33711-4393 ecwaters3@msn.com

kksutherla@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Katherine Sutherland From:

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Sincerely,

Dr. Katherine Sutherland

5188 Pebble Beach Blvd Winter Haven, FL 33884-3537 kksutherla@aol.com

From:

clivepht@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Clive Jaffe

<clivepht@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Mr. Clive Jaffe 3222 Taragrove Dr Tampa, FL 33618-2562 clivepht@yahoo.com

From: bill.rueth@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of William Rueth III

dill.rueth@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Mr. William Rueth III 13534 5th Ave NE Bradenton, FL 34212-2742 bill.rueth@gmail.com

From: randyraspotnik@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Randy Raspotnik

<randyraspotnik@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,

Mr. Randy Raspotnik

4266 Fox Hollow Cir Casselberry, FL 32707-5239 randyraspotnik@gmail.com

From: sergioandressolis_020968@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sergio Solis

<sergioandressolis 020968@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 4:18 PM

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Sincerely, Mr. Sergio Solis 4340 SW 112th Ave Miami, FL 33165-4772 sergioandressolis_020968@yahoo.com

From: Adrian.menendez001@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Adrian Menendez

<Adrian.menendez001@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Mr Adrian Menendez 6825 SW 14th St Pembroke Pines, FL 33023-2055 Adrian.menendez001@mymdc.net

From: shorneffer@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Steven Horneffer

<shorneffer@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 4:02 PM

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Sincerely,

Mr. Steven Horneffer

475 Diane Cir Casselberry, FL 32707-3037 shorneffer@me.com

From: jreichart@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Reichart

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Sincerely, Mr. James Reichart 1766 Supreme Ct Naples, FL 34110-1013 jreichart@gmail.com

From: thepost@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of stephanie montalvo

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Sincerely, mrs stephanie montalvo 21019 Sunpoint Way Unit 201 Lutz, FL 33558-5151 thepost@me.com

From:

richardlehr@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Richard Lehr

<richardlehr@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Mr. Richard Lehr

317 Silver Maple Rd Groveland, FL 34736-3630 richardlehr@earthlink.net

From:

agoinden@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alain Goinden

<agoinden@everyactioncustom.com>

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We are the sunshine state for goodness sake - don't let this happen to us because of those greedy Utility companies.

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Sincerely, Mr Alain Goinden 1821 Windsor Dr Winter Park, FL 32789-2770 agoinden@yahoo.com

From: deblundmark@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Debby Lundmark

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Sincerely, Mrs Debby Lundmark 9750 Spring Lake Dr Clermont, FL 34711-7994 deblundmark@gmail.com

From:

Seth@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Seth Requena

<Seth@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely, Mr. Seth Requena 9990 SW 77th Ave Miami, FL 33156-8115 Seth@floridasolarpartners.com