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**From:** abell.sl@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susan Abell  
<abell.sl@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 17, 2024 7:56 AM  
**To:** Office of Chairman La Rosa  
**Subject:** Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
Ms. Susan Abell  
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**From:** beastybren@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Brenda James  
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Ms. Brenda James  
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Sincerely,  
Mr. Randy Chapman  
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**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  
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**From:** z67de5jc1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Hugo Cabrera <z67de5jc1@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,

Mr Hugo Cabrera

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

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**From:** mail@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jan Jennings  
<mail@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 16, 2024 9:44 PM  
**To:** Office of Chairman La Rosa  
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Sincerely,

Ms. Jan Jennings

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**From:** ksewright@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kathleen Sewright  
<ksewright@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Dr. Kathleen Sewright

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



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**From:** ncl.grg@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nicola Giorgio  
<ncl.grg@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 16, 2024 8:53 PM  
**To:** Office of Chairman La Rosa  
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Sincerely,  
Mr. Nicola Giorgio  
14 Jeff Rd Largo, FL 33774-2036  
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**From:** eddy.elfin-0e@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Eric David Katz  
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Sincerely,

Mr. Eric David Katz

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

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**From:** marcia@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Marcia Hoodwin  
<marcia@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 16, 2024 7:18 PM  
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Thank you for your consideration.

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

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**From:** ccrollin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Cary Christenson  
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Thank you for your consideration.

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

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**From:** bwakefield1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Wakefield <bwakefield1@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 16, 2024 7:05 PM  
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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,  
Mr. Robert Wakefield  
1619 Hardwood Dr Clearwater, FL 33756-2426 bwakefield1@aol.com

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**From:** dave@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of David Sillman  
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**To:** Office of Chairman La Rosa  
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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Mr. David Sillman

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

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Sincerely,

Ms. Dobi Dobroslawa

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<tjhscheer@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,

Mr. Jared Scheer

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

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**Sent:** Tuesday, July 16, 2024 6:08 PM  
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Sincerely,  
Mr. Curtis Hemmel  
312 Delmar Ter S St Petersburg, FL 33701-4668 314curt@gmail.com

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Mr. James Teas

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<ronmanbolling@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Mr. Ronnie Bolling

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

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Sincerely,  
Ms. Debi Mohan  
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debi.mohan@yahoo.ca

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clivepht@yahoo.com



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

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Sincerely,

Mr. Randy Raspotnik

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

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4340 SW 112th Ave Miami, FL 33165-4772

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<Adrian.menendez001@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
Mr. Steven Horneffer  
475 Diane Cir Casselberry, FL 32707-3037 shorneffer@me.com

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Mr. James Reichart  
1766 Supreme Ct Naples, FL 34110-1013  
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<thepost@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
mrs stephanie montalvo  
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<richardlehr@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,

Mr. Richard Lehr

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<agoinden@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
Mr Alain Goinden  
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Mrs Debby Lundmark  
9750 Spring Lake Dr Clermont, FL 34711-7994 deblundmark@gmail.com

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

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719 SW Chiefland Ln Fort White, FL 32038-4243 riplongley@windstream.net

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Ms. Kathleen Kelley  
7161 Sandpoint Dr Brooksville, FL 34601-5501 kkellyh@yahoo.com

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You consistently allow providers of electricity to charge a minimum monthly amount in this state. In the middle of 2022, you allowed FPL to triple that amount. I have solar panels, and I produce more electricity than I use essentially every day. But you let FPL charge me every month anyway. My daughter lives in Massachusetts, where the legislature is apparently not for sale to utility companies. She has solar panels, too, and many months, her electric bill is zero. It's clear the PSC and the Florida legislature are in bed with the utility companies, but please know that no Floridians approve of this theft. It doesn't matter if it's FPL or Duke Energy. And not every state legislature is in bed with utility providers. What you do when you allow providers to charge a minimum monthly bill is relieve them of the need to modernize and innovate. You allow them to continue to burn oil, wood, or anything else that damages the environment, the planet, and everything that lives on it. Your only friends are the legislators in bed with you.

Thank you for your consideration.

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Dr. Alfred Jonas

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Mr George Weaver

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Ms. Nancy Sadowsky  
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612 Holbrook Cir Lake Mary, FL 32746-6334 laurieross@yahoo.com



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Miss Tracey Dare  
10813 NW 30th St Doral, FL 33172-5068  
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