

Charlie Smith

From: Shonna McCray
Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2024 3:57 PM
To: Consumer Correspondence
Subject: Docket 20240025
Attachments: Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike; Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike

Please add to Docket 20240025.

Thanks

Charlie Smith

From: marcia@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Marcia Hoodwin
<marcia@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 7:18 PM
To: Consumer Contact
Subject: Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike

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Dear Florida Public Service Commission,

I am writing to express my strong opposition to Duke Energy Florida's proposed rate hike and to urge you to prioritize affordable, clean energy for all Floridians.

Duke's request to increase rates by \$16 per month for the average customer is unacceptable. Floridians already pay some of the highest electricity rates in the nation, with annual bills nearly \$500 above the national average. We simply cannot afford another increase.

I urge you to:

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Miss Marcia Hoodwin

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Charlie Smith

From: mail@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jan Jennings
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Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 9:44 PM
To: Consumer Contact
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Duke has made paying their CEO an outrageous salary and earning investors a generous return their priorities. This is wrong.

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Sincerely,
Ms. Jan Jennings
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From: rchapman111@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Randy Chapman <rchapman111@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2024 7:19 AM
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Sincerely,

Mr. Randy Chapman

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From: beastybren@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Brenda James
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Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2024 7:39 AM
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Sincerely,

Ms. Brenda James

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Charlie Smith

From: dedubendorff@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Diane Dubendorff
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Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 10:23 PM
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Sincerely,

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Charlie Smith

From: z67de5jc1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Hugo Cabrera <z67de5jc1@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 10:15 PM
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Sincerely,

Mr Hugo Cabrera

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Charlie Smith

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

Dr. Kathleen Sewright

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Charlie Smith

From: ncl.grg@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nicola Giorgio
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Sincerely,
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Charlie Smith

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

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