

**Sandra Soto**

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**From:** Sandra Soto on behalf of Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 13, 2016 10:55 AM  
**To:** 'Cheryl Fisher'  
**Subject:** RE: FPL Rate INCREASE 160021-E1

Good morning Ms. Fisher,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 160021-E1 and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

Sandra Soto  
Commission Deputy Clerk I  
Florida Public Service Commission  
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-----Original Message-----

From: Cheryl Fisher [<mailto:chloemom06@yahoo.com>]  
Sent: Wednesday, July 13, 2016 10:48 AM  
To: Records Clerk  
Subject: FPL Rate INCREASE 160021-E1

The 160021-E1 FPL rate increase of 23 % is an abomination of power. We consumers of FPL in Sarasota County Florida have no other resources for electricity. Our rates have risen steadily each year since we moved to FL in 2004. We see this continued beyond any other service. We, who live in our community of North Port, have no other power resource available to us, but FPL. Therefore we are subject to anything you decide about this unnecessary increase. We will see many of us on fixed incomes having to go without the necessary food and medications we need in order to stay cooler in the sweltering summers or being able to use hot water to wash our clothes, dishes and selves. There could possibly be several cases of heat stroke or even death because people can't afford to use their AC.

Please consider the larger picture of what we, " The FPL Consumers" will have to suffer, just to fill the pockets of your political investors and hierarchy if you choose to pass this increase.

Sincerely,

Cheryl L. Fisher  
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Sent from my iPad