Brandy Butler

From: Ellen Plendl

Sent: Friday, January 19, 2018 9:17 AM **To:** Consumer Correspondence

Subject: Docket 20170225

Attachments: Governor's Assignment Case Number 671,475 NRN EOG000434634; paul-laura-

reply.pdf

See attached correspondence and PSC reply and add to the correspondence side of Docket 20170225.

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From: CRM.CitizenServices < CRM.CitizenServices@eog.myflorida.com>

Sent: Thursday, January 18, 2018 4:47 PM

To: Hall, Gerri

Cc: Perry, Shondra; Cramer, Kim; Ellen Plendl

Subject: Governor's Assignment | Case Number: 671,475 | NRN | EOG:000434634

Attachments: 671475-laura.pdf

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EOG	Citizen Services
Source	
Created On	1/18/2018 8:19 AM
Letter Date	1/8/2018 12:00 AM
Priority	Default

Case Attribute(s)

Attribute	
Fracking – Oppose Utilities	

Primary Contact Information

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Address Line 1			
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Organization /			
Additional			

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Treasure Coast Democratic Environmental Caucus

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Description

Note

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We urge you to hold NextEra and FPL to this commitment by asking your Public Service Commissioners to deny approval of the Dania Beach fracked gas plant.

CC: S. Perry CC: K. Cramer CC: PSC

Case Assignment

Assigned To:	ENV - OPB	Case Stage:	Passed to External
	Environmental		Agency

You have an assignment from the Executive Office of the Governor. Please have staff review and handle as appropriate.

It is not necessary to send follow up information to the Office of Citizen Services unless it is deemed appropriate by agency staff.

To send information on this case, please respond to this email or send an email to CRM.CitizenServices@eog.myflorida.com

If a unit or agency is incorrectly assigned a case, please respond to this email and note which agency should receive the assignment.

Sincerely,



Treasure Coast Democratic Environmental Caucus

948 SE Central Pkwy #B, Stuart, FL 34994 www.tcdec.org/environmentalcaucus.com

Dear Governor Rick Scott:

As one of the many organizations and more than 40 mayors throughout Florida who have committed to 100% clean energy, I am writing to add my voice to the thousands of Floridians who oppose the Dania Beach fracked gas plant that is being proposed by Florida Power & Light.

The fact that Broward and Miami-Dade face potential devastation to many communities due to rising sea levels, how can you justify putting a gas fed electrical plant in the same area. It is the methane from natural gas extraction that is one of the main contributors feeding this change in climate?? This power plant will have a serious effect on the relationship between the customer and FPL at a time when they should be building better relations in view of the Turkey Point environmental issues they have created.

The Union of Concerned Scientists found that "The drilling and extraction of natural gas from wells and its transportation in pipelines results in the leakage of methane, primary component of natural gas that is 34 times stronger than CO2 at trapping heat over a 100-year period and 86 times stronger over 20 years [3]."

The solution is to make more significant investments in clean, renewable energy such as solar power, energy storage, and energy efficiency.

In 2015, Florida Power & Light's parent company NextEra Chairman and CEO Jim Robo laid out a vision to become the <u>"the largest, most profitable clean energy provider in the United States"</u> and even predicted that by 2020 energy storage would replace the need for <u>"gas peakers."</u>

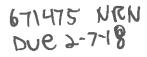
We urge you to hold NextEra and FPL to this commitment by asking your Public Service Commissioners to deny approval of the Dania Beach fracked gas plant.

Sincerely, /

Paul Laura Chair, Treasure Coast Democratic Environmental Caucus

Cc: Eric Silagy

Florida Public Service Commissioners



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Public Service Commission

January 19, 2018

Mr. Paul Laura, Chairman Treasure Coast Democratic Environmental Caucus 948 SE Central Parkway #B Stuart, FL 34994

RE: FPSC Inquiry 1268056C

Dear Mr. Laura:

The Governor's office forwarded a copy of your correspondence regarding Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) to the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC). The PSC regulates investor-owned electric, and natural gas utilities throughout the state, and investor-owned water and wastewater utilities in those counties which have opted to transfer jurisdiction to the PSC. The PSC has authority in the telephone industry which is limited to the Lifeline Assistance Program, Florida Relay Service, and pay telephone service.

You expressed a concern about FPL's petition for determination of need for the Dania Beach Clean Energy Center Unit. We will add your comments to the correspondence side of Docket No. 20170225-EI.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Ms. Ellen Plendl at 1-800-342-3552 or by fax at 1-800-511-0809.

Sincerely,

Randy Roland

Regulatory Program Administrator

Office of Consumer Assistance & Outreach

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