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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Mr. Adam Teitzman, Commission Clerk  
Division of the Commission Clerk and Administrative Services  
Florida Public Service Commission  
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0850

**Re: Docket No. 20180144-EI – Florida Power and Light Company’s Review of  
2019-2021 Storm Hardening Plan**

Dear Mr. Teitzman:

Enclosed for filing please find Florida Power & Light Company’s non-confidential responses to Staff’s Fourth Data Request Nos. 1 through 2 in the above referenced file.

Please contact me at (561) 691-2512 should you or your Staff have any questions or concerns regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

/s/Kenneth M. Rubin  
Kenneth M. Rubin

Enclosure

cc: Counsel for Parties of Record (w/enclosures)

QUESTION:

Please refer to request number 11. In prior storm hardening plans, FPL broke out the number of hardening projects by category (e.g. CIF feeders, Community projects, Wind Zone feeders, Geographic feeders, 01 Switches, and Highway crossing). Please break out the 312 feeder projects in the 2019-2021 Storm hardening Plan Appendix by category.

RESPONSE:

All new feeder hardening projects (2019 and beyond) are considered wind zone projects. Additionally, since all feeders are expected to be hardened by 2024, FPL is no longer separately tracking the remaining “01 switches” and highway crossings to be hardened, as they are now incorporated into remaining feeder projects.

QUESTION:

- 1) Please refer to request number 14.
  - a. Please explain why FPL is not estimating any costs for Initiatives 1, 3, and 4 for the years 2020 and 2021.
  - b. Please provide the estimated costs for Initiatives 1, 3, and 4 for the years 2020 and 2021. If FPL does not anticipate costs in these years, please explain why not.
  - c. Please explain if there are any changes to FPL's current plan for Initiatives 5-10. If yes, please provide an explanation of each change.
  - d. Does FPL have any suggested improvements/alternatives/modifications including the elimination, of any of the Ten Initiatives? If so, please explain.

RESPONSE:

- a. FPL did not include estimated costs for Storm Preparedness Initiatives 1 (Vegetation Management) and 3 (Transmission Structure Inspections), as the 2020 and 2021 budgets for these initiatives have yet to be approved. FPL provided estimated costs for Initiative 4 (Transmission Structures Hardening) for 2020 and 2021 in Attachment No. 1 to its response to Staff Request No. 14, as three-year costs for this initiative are required to be provided in FPL's three-year hardening plan, per Rule 25-6.0342, F.A.C.
- b. While FPL has yet to finalize/approve the 2020 and 2021 budgets for Storm Preparedness Initiatives 1 and 3, estimated costs (\$ millions) for these initiatives for 2020 and 2021 are:

Storm Preparedness Initiative 1      \$65 - \$70 million

Storm Preparedness Initiative 3      \$30 - \$40 million

- c. There are no changes to FPL's current plans for Initiatives 5-10.
  
- d. FPL would be amenable to having discussions regarding reduced reporting requirements, e.g., Storm Preparedness Initiative No. 4 could be considered for elimination as it is also incorporated/included in IOUs' 3-year hardening plan filings (per Rule 25-6.0342), with annual updates also provided in IOUs' March 1 Reliability filings.