

Antonia Hover

From: Betty Leland
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 8:18 AM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Protect Our Solar Rights
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Good Morning:

Please place this email in Docket #20200000.

Thanks.

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Florida Public Service Commission
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From: greenbeyer@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of C Dente
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Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 2:05 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Chairman Art Graham,

This is not the time to change solar policies that are helping to make our state a leader in clean solar power and providing good paying local jobs.

In my last home in Sarasota, I had solar panels installed, and I depended on net metering to recover my substantial investment in solar power.

Our current net metering rule allows Floridians to grow a segment of the solar market by choosing to power their homes and businesses with Florida's number one natural resource, SUNSHINE. Florida citizens and customers overwhelmingly support the current successful net metering policy allowing compensation for the solar energy they generate and provide to the electricity grid.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

Sincerely,
C Dente
Sarasota, FL 34238
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From: jthand05@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Hand <jthand05@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 4:00 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
James Hand
Orlando, FL 32826

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From: gentrymartin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Linda Martin
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Sincerely,
Linda Martin
2334 Acadie Dr Jacksonville, FL 32217-3513

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From: jack.merriam@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jack Merriam
<jack.merriam@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 4:00 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
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Dear Chairman Art Graham,

RE: Net Metering

My wife and I rely on common sense solar policies to take control of our own electrical energy, and choose how we power our home on a day-to-day basis and during grid failures because of our 20 KWh Pika battery backup .

Our 11.5 KW solar panels and our 20 KWh batteries contribute to the resilience of the electric grid. This is particularly important to me since I depend on a medical device, a CPAP machine to help protect me due to my underlying cardiac issues. During hurricane season, Floridians need more tools – not less – in order to weather all the increasing storms that we are now experiencing. Our grid supply comes from a transformer that serves only 4 homes, so during Hurricane Irma we were without grid power for 2 weeks because we were a low priority for restoration of power. This prompted us to install a solar and battery storage system rather than trying to rely on a fossil fuel powered generator, which assumes that I am able to purchase fuel during or after a hurricane.

Please preserve my ability to pay for my solar system and batteries and our local economy by defending solar workers, business owners, and homeowners like myself from additional uncertainty by preserving net metering here in Florida.

Sincerely,
Jack Merriam
319 Braden Ave Sarasota, FL 34243-2021

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From: johnrafter2030@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of John Rafter <johnrafter2030@everyactioncustom.com>
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Please defend solar workers, business owners, and homeowners from additional uncertainty by preserving net metering here in Florida. We installed solar panels on our home five years ago, and they are performing as promised in this...."The Sunshine State". Help folks take advantage of this resource, and help our planet for future generations. Including yours.

Sincerely,
John Rafter
Fernandina Beach, FL 32034

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From: sallywol@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sally Woliver
<sallywol@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 4:00 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
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Dear Chairman Art Graham,

We power our home with solar in Collier County.

It has made a dramatic difference in our bills and it provides CLEAN energy. Solar is a natural in the SUNSHINE STATE!!

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Sincerely,
Sally Woliver
2010 19th St SW Naples, FL 34117-4726

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From: palime22@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Paulette Limegrover <palime22@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 8:03 PM
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Sincerely,
Paulette Limegrover
Deltona, FL 32738

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From: bart@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joseph Conmy
<bart@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 12:05 AM
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Sincerely,
Joseph Conmy
1468 Rudder Cv Wellington, FL 33414-5522

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<sgweissmd@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely,
Steve Weiss
Clearwater, FL 33761

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<lynfnelson@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely,
Lynn Nelson
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From: charleneben@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Charlene Bennett
<charleneben@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 2:01 AM
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Sincerely,
Charlene Bennett
929 Carlton Ave Lake Wales, FL 33853-4238

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From: josh.sproat6@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Josh Sproat <josh.sproat6@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely,
Josh Sproat
615 NE 22nd St Apt 902 Miami, FL 33137-5126

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From: gschultea@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Greg Schultea
<gschultea@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
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Sincerely,
Greg Schultea
4814 Golvale Ln Orlando, FL 32821-8270

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From: kasceballos@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kimberly Ceballos
<kasceballos@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:57 PM
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Sincerely,
Kimberly Ceballos
5287 Bunyan St Sarasota, FL 34232-2348

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From: rbarbour@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Barbour
<rbarbour@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
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Dear Chairman Art Graham,

I support keeping net metering! Keep it.

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Sincerely,
Robert Barbour
Orlando, FL 32817

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From: greenhomes@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nora Handwerker
<greenhomes@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:59 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Art Graham,

It's a sad day in America, when the private and public sector don't work together to better this country but instead take profits at the expense of citizens whose taxes support our government and allow subsidies and tax breaks to industries without any pay back from enormous profits.

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Sincerely,
Nora Handwerker
2559 NW 31st St Boca Raton, FL 33434-3627

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From: bcorrell12@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Barbara Correll <bcorrell12@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
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Dear Chairman Art Graham,

Solar energy is a growing industry that creates jobs and puts money in people's pockets. It is great for the economy, great for our individual finances and absolutely required for the environment. Solar panels and batteries contribute to the resilience of the electric grid. As we enter hurricane season, Floridians need more tools – not less – in order to weather all the storms that are coming our way.

Before COVID-19, the Sunshine state produced the 4th most electricity from solar panels in the country, and employed over 12,000 people. Now, half, of these jobs at risk in communities across the United States at a time when employment is desperately needed.

Please defend solar workers, business owners, and homeowners from additional uncertainty by preserving net metering here in Florida.

Sincerely,
Barbara Correll
1004 Guava Isle Fort Lauderdale, FL 33315-1348

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From: davidwcrockett51@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of David Crockett
<davidwcrockett51@everyactioncustom.com>
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Sincerely,
David Crockett
6090 36th Ter N Saint Petersburg, FL 33710-1714

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I along with others have made a significant investment to reduce carbon emissions and for the good of our Country I ask that you support net metering.

Sincerely,
Ray Batig
762 Irvine Ranch Rd Kissimmee, FL 34759-3649

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From: maryfran.hedges@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Hedges
<maryfran.hedges@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 12:01 AM
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Sincerely,
Mary Hedges
2505 N Stampede Dr Beverly Hills, FL 34465-4616

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<mikaelwolfe@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
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As we struggle with a global pandemic, an economic crisis, and an active hurricane season, it is not the time to create more uncertainty by signaling a change in solar policies that are helping to make our state a leader in clean solar power and providing good paying local jobs.

At the start of 2020, Florida was ranked 4th in the nation for solar energy production, employing thousands of people and powering the Sunshine State with clean, affordable, homegrown energy. The economic downturn has already put many of these jobs and future solar development at risk - we don't need sudden regulatory changes in solar policies to create even more uncertainty here in Florida.

Our current net metering rule allows a number of Floridians to grow a segment of the solar market by choosing to power their homes and businesses with Florida's number one natural resource, sunshine. Florida citizens and customers overwhelmingly support the current successful net metering policy allowing compensation for the solar energy they generate and provide to the electricity grid.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

I recently bought a solar system and I want you to protect my right to choose solar -- I put in a lot of money into it and I am providing energy to the grid. How dare you try to take that away from me!

Do the right thing and quash this effort to "fix" something that is not at all broken.

Sincerely,
Mikael Wolfe
Oviedo, FL 32765
mikaelwolfe@mac.com

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Please defend solar workers, business owners, and homeowners from additional uncertainty by preserving net metering here in Florida.

Sincerely,
Janet Welborn
13482 William Myers Ct West Palm Beach, FL 33410-1400

Antonia Hover

From: DWoodsTCR@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of David Woods
<DWoodsTCR@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Chairman Art Graham,

This is not the time to create more uncertainty by signaling a change in solar policies that are helping to make our state a leader in clean solar power and providing good paying local jobs.

In an effort to reduce the impact of people on the environment I have invested over \$50,000 in a solar PV system to power my home. This decision was based largely on the availability of net metering to offset the cost of my electricity use.

Home solar is beneficial to us individuals and the utility companies as it works best during peak demand times in Florida thus reducing the need for building additional power plants to handle those peaks.

At the start of 2020, Florida was ranked 4th in the nation for solar energy production, employing thousands of people and powering the Sunshine State with clean, affordable, homegrown energy. The economic downturn has already put many of these jobs and future solar development at risk - we don't need sudden regulatory changes in solar policies to create even more uncertainty here in Florida.

The current net metering rule allows encourages growth of this segment of the solar market by allowing us to power our homes and businesses with Florida's number one natural resource, sunshine. Florida citizens and customers overwhelmingly support the current successful net metering policy allowing compensation for the solar energy we generate and provide to the electricity grid.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

If any changes are made to the net metering policy they should move toward watt for watt net metering and provide for the allowance of complete disconnection from the grid.

Sincerely,
David Woods
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Antonia Hover

From: pasquaddirect@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Dominique Pasqua
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Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Son not take our solar options away!
Save jobs!

Sincerely,
Dominique Pasqua
Placida, FL 33946

Antonia Hover

From: bread111@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mike Goodbread <bread111@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Mike Goodbread
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Antonia Hover

From: mikaewolf@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mikael Wolfe
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Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Chairman Art Graham,

As we struggle with a global pandemic, an economic crisis, and an active hurricane season, it is not the time to create more uncertainty by signaling a change in solar policies that are helping to make our state a leader in clean solar power and providing good paying local jobs.

At the start of 2020, Florida was ranked 4th in the nation for solar energy production, employing thousands of people and powering the Sunshine State with clean, affordable, homegrown energy. The economic downturn has already put many of these jobs and future solar development at risk - we don't need sudden regulatory changes in solar policies to create even more uncertainty here in Florida.

Our current net metering rule allows a number of Floridians to grow a segment of the solar market by choosing to power their homes and businesses with Florida's number one natural resource, sunshine. Florida citizens and customers overwhelmingly support the current successful net metering policy allowing compensation for the solar energy they generate and provide to the electricity grid.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

Do the right thing and protect the right to choose our energy sources. We pay a lot to install our panels and we supply power to the grid. We should not be punished for this to keep lining the pockets of utility companies.

Sincerely,
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Antonia Hover

From: harriettevm@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Harriett Myers
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Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Art Graham,

Keep solar power affordable and growing in Florida. The middle of a public health and economic crisis is not the time to create more uncertainty by making changes to solar rights that will hurt jobs and take money out of people's pockets.

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Sincerely,
Harriett Myers
815 Colorado Ave Lynn Haven, FL 32444-1934

Antonia Hover

From: pjsimmons2@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Patricia Simmons <pjsimmons2@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 11:58 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Patricia Simmons
Pensacola, FL 32526

Antonia Hover

From: tahorkin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Trudy Horkin
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Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:55 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Trudy Horkin
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Antonia Hover

From: glattsusims@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susi Glatt
<glattsusims@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 1:56 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
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Sincerely,
Susi Glatt
Pompano Beach, FL 33063

Antonia Hover

From: debbiemazz@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Deborah Mazzaferro
<debbiemazz@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 11:56 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Art Graham,

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Sincerely,
Deborah Mazzaferro
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Antonia Hover

From: anitabattaglia@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Anita Battaglia
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Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 11:57 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
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Sincerely,
Anita Battaglia
Fort Myers, FL 33908

Antonia Hover

From: hernandezsolemi@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Solemi Hernandez
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Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 1:56 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Solemi Hernandez
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Antonia Hover

From: JUDYHUSHON@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of JUDITH HUSHON
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Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 11:54 PM
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Sincerely,
JUDITH HUSHON
81 Seagate Dr Apt 1501 Naples, FL 34103-2488

Antonia Hover

From: CARLAJ53@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of CARLA JIMENEZ <CARLAJ53@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 11:54 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
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Please defend solar workers, business owners, and homeowners from additional uncertainty by preserving net metering here in Florida. We call ourselves the Sunshine State, and should be leading into the future with strong support for every available option for increasing our solar industry as well as our solar power usage throughout the state. I urge you to protect and further the progress that has been made.

Sincerely,
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Antonia Hover

From: llr@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Lori Lister-Robinson
<llr@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 1:54 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Lori Lister-Robinson
1168 SW 25th Pl Gainesville, FL 32601-9049

Antonia Hover

From: kanandam@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kamala Anandam
<kanandam@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 1:55 AM
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Sincerely,
Kamala Anandam
1300 Sunset Spgs Weston, FL 33326-2937

Antonia Hover

From: juliefpatton@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Julie Patton
<juliefpatton@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 11:53 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Art Graham,

Please do not make changes to solar rights in the middle of this pandemic. What you propose will hurt jobs and take money out of people's pockets.

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Sincerely,
Julie Patton
612 Gerhardt Dr Pensacola, FL 32503-3215

Antonia Hover

From: geneschulzephhd@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gene Schulze
<geneschulzephhd@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:41 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Gene Schulze
2205 88Th Street Ct NW Bradenton, FL 34209-9761

Antonia Hover

From: Wendy Weldon <Wendy.Weldon.16451058@p2a.co>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2020 1:06 AM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Art Graham,

Time and time again, Florida's voters have made their support for policies meant to encourage the spread of rooftop solar clear. In 2016 voters rejected the utility-driven "Amendment 1", which would have prohibited the subsidization of solar energy, and approved 'Amendment 4', which provided tax exemptions for rooftop solar customers.

Florida is in the middle of a public health and economic crisis. Undermining the rights of solar customers to receive full compensation for the power they produce will hurt jobs and take money out of people's pockets. Now is not the time to create more uncertainty by changing the fundamental economic landscape of the solar industry.

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Please defend solar workers, business owners, homeowners, and our environment from additional uncertainty by preserving retail compensation for net metering here in Florida.

Thank you,
Wendy Weldon
6045 Winding Brooke Way
Delray Beach, FL 33484

Antonia Hover

From: Harold Smith <harolds3@aol.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 10:37 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject: Net-Metering Works for Floridians

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Harold Smith

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Mr Harold Smith
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32127
Port Orange , FL 32127

Antonia Hover

From: Olga Lopez <olga777@att.net>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 10:23 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown
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Sincerely,

Olga Lopez

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Ms Olga Lopez
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Miami , Florida 33187

Antonia Hover

From: William BECKER <William.BECKER.110401607@p2a.co>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 9:53 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Thank you,
William BECKER
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Wilton Manors, FL 33311

Antonia Hover

From: Janet Gallagher <Janet.Gallagher.38174421@p2a.co>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 8:29 PM
To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Before COVID-19, the Sunshine state produced the fourth most electricity from solar panels in the country, led the country in new solar jobs, and employed over 12,000 people. Before this crisis began, "solar installer" was the fastest growing job in the country, and our industry employed 250,000 people. The COVID-19 crisis could threaten up to 125,000 of these jobs across the United States. Florida is struggling with an above 10% unemployment rate since May and the economic hardship could get worse if you end retail-rate net metering.

People and businesses across the state rely on commonsense solar policies to take control of their own energy. Solar benefits Floridians' safety too. Solar panels and batteries contribute to the resilience of the electric grid. As we progress through hurricane season, Floridians need more tools – not less – in order to weather all the storms that are coming our way.

Please defend solar workers, business owners, homeowners, and our environment from additional uncertainty by preserving retail compensation for net metering here in Florida.

Thank you,
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From: Jason Szumlanski <jason@floridasolardesigngroup.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 13, 2020 7:54 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown
Subject: Net-Metering Works for Floridians

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

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To: Office of Commissioner Graham
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
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