From: Betty Leland

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 7:32 AM **To:** Commissioner Correspondence

**Subject:** I Support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State

Attachments: I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine

I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State -Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Support solar power; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice and So Should You; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State -Docket 2020-0000; Fwd [FCC Complaints] Re wire down; {BULK} Net-Metering Works for Floridians; Net-Metering Works for Floridians; Net-Metering Works for Floridians; {BULK} Net-Metering Works for Floridians; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Net-Metering Works for Floridians; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State -Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; {BULK} Net-Metering Works for Floridians; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; Protect our solar rights! Docket 2020-0000; I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket 2020-0000

#### Good Morning:

Please place this email in Oocket #2020000.

Thanks.

Betty Leland, Executive Assistant to Commissioner Art Graham

florida Public Service Commission 
bleland@psc.state.fl.us

From: jmc885@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joseph Cavaieri < jmc885

@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 12:50 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Joseph Cavaieri Loxahatchee, FL 33470 jmc885@gmail.com

From: erinhandy8@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Erin Handy <erinhandy8

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 5:20 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Erin Handy 940 17th Ave N Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250-4833

From: Paco@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Francisco Amram

<Paco@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 5:20 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

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Dear Chairman Art Graham,

As a practicing engineering consultant who is informed on climate and economically beneficial ENERGY options, I urge and plead you to stand up for consumers and this still growing Florida solar industry.

The solar energy systems and industry in Florida is:

- long-term cost effective and,
- in the short term, continues to PRODUCE JOBS
- in a New Economy field,
- yet with installation work IMMUNE TO FOREIGN competition.

Retail-rate Net Metering stimulates that economic growth and environmental benefits. The remaining potential to be unleashed dwarfs the amount so far put in place here in our Sunshine State.

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Sincerely, Francisco Amram 440 Lafayette Blvd Oldsmar, FL 34677-3730

From: rockygirlx@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Caitlynn Dull

<rockygirlx@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Caitlynn Dull North Fort Myers, FL 33917 rockygirlx@gmail.com

**From:** sydneyhilt247@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sydney Hilt <sydneyhilt247

@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Sydney Hilt Sarasota, FL 34243 sydneyhilt247@outlook.com

From: tvholic23@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Steven Goldman <tvholic23

@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Steven Goldman Hollywood, FL 33029 tvholic23@yahoo.com

From: jredburn@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joe Redburn

<jredburn@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Joe Redburn
Fort Myers, FL 33967
jredburn@mindspring.com

From: Leaderence@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Lea Derence

<Leaderence@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Lea Derence 3433 Tortuga Way Naples, FL 34105-2771

@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 1:14 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

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Sincerely, Lee Webber 125 7th St Apt 3 Jupiter, FL 33458-5704

From: caitlin.nesbit@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Caitlin Rhea

<caitlin.nesbit@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Caitlin Rhea 10184 Sugar Creek Dr Pensacola, FL 32514-1686

**From:** greg@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Greg Garner

<greg@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 9:20 PM

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Sincerely, Greg Garner Key Colony Beach, FL 33051 greg@rt-eng.com

From: ascii892@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nigel Struble <ascii892

@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Nigel Struble Saint Petersburg, FL 33716 ascii892@gmail.com

From: ECmarshall@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Emily Christopher

<ECmarshall@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 1:03 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

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Sincerely, Emily Christopher Brandenburg, KY 40108 ECmarshall@gmail.com

From: rickgraf@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Richard Graf

<rickgraf@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 1:15 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** Support solar power

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Sincerely, Richard Graf Zephyrhills, FL 33540 rickgraf@gmail.com

From: mike\_elliott@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Michael Elliott

<mike\_elliott@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 11:15 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Art Graham,

Stabilizing the grid is important. WHat better way than to have many homes contributing to the grid vs. being a demand on the grid? Net metering and TOU are important pieces in having a grid that can handle the demands of the 2020's and beyond. Simply look at what Australia has done in conjunction with Tesla to see how they have greatly reduced cost, stabilized the energy demands on the grid, and are now able to provide a reliable, more affordable product to their customers.

OH, and get rid of that gross receipts tax on the bill. I am not allowed to pass this tax on to others, neither should the utilities.

Sincerely,
Michael Elliott
1334 Riverside Dr Tarpon Springs, FL 34689-2020

From: loa.markarian@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Loa Markarian

<loa.markarian@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Loa Markarian Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418

**From:** swperry61@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Stuart Perry <swperry61

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From: tshan1342@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Thomas Shannon <tshan1342

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From: jbarrick@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of JON BARRICK

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From: cloexcantin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nancy Cantin

<cloexcantin@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 12:49 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

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From: crm114a@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Dr.Thomas Michel

<crm114a@everyactioncustom.com>

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Dr. Thomas Michel
119 Tallow Rd Pomona Park, FL 32181-2462

From: Idcelaya@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Luis Celaya

<ld><ldcelaya@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Luis Celaya Fort Myers, FL 33908 Idcelaya@gmail.com

From: 1stlight.leilei@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Leilani Lessnau

<1stlight.leilei@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 9:19 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Leilani Lessnau West Palm Beach, FL 33413 1stlight.leilei@gmail.com

From: sw.fitness@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sean Wells

<sw.fitness@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 1:12 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** I support Solar Choice and So Should You

Dear Commissioner Chairman Art Graham,

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Sincerely, Sean Wells Saint Augustine, FL 32080 sw.fitness@gmail.com

From: sands25@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Deborah Smusz <sands25

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 5:19 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Deborah Smusz
3520 Belmont Blvd Sarasota, FL 34232-5010

From: Doreendb@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Doreen DiBiagio

<Doreendb@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 5:15 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Doreen DiBiagio
724 Allendale Ct N Saint Petersburg, FL 33704-1207

From: klibert2000@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of KEITH LIBERT <klibert2000

@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 1:11 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Florida does not provide any of the financial rebates and incentives that other states do, yet CONSUMERS, yes CONSUMERS, have dipped into their own pockets and opted to install rooftop solar. With the effects of climate change becoming increasingly evident, the PSC should be implementing polices that incentivizes rooftop solar and battery systems like Powerwall that increase energy independence and make consumers more resilient from blackouts in the aftermath of a hurricane. IMPLEMENTING POLICIES THAT HINDER ROOFTOP SOLAR HARMS CONSUMERS AND WILL COST LIVES.

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Sincerely, KEITH LIBERT Seffner, FL 33584 klibert2000@gmail.com

From: mlafuente@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mario Lafuente

<mlafuente@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Friday, September 18, 2020 1:03 AM **To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

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Sincerely,
Mario Lafuente
Hialeah, FL 33015
mlafuente@outlook.com

From: David Meadows <dmeadows31@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 9:53 PM

**To:** rubio@senate.gov; Congressman Neal Dunn; Gainer, George;

CFO.Patronis@myfloridacfo.com; Donald Polmann

**Cc:** rick.scott@senate.gov; luke.ball@mail.house.gov; govRonDesantis@eog.myflorida.com;

Gary Clark; Julie I. Brown; Andrew Fay; Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** Fwd: [FCC Complaints] Re: wire down

I know this is a small job compared to what is going on in our part of the country, But really SINCE 2018, Everyone passes the buck, even the regulatory state commissioners, was told by them did not handle these types of complaints I was told to call FCC, It doesnt take a chinese rocket scientist to fix the problem that was caused by Hurricane Michael, Just get in the bucket truck and cut the line.

After hours of on hold with ATT, Comcast, WOW, Media Com, FCC, PSC, I am reaching out to each one of you to see if one of you can get the job DONE.

I guess this is our system, no one wants to close the deal.

----- Forwarded message -----

From: FCC <consumercomplaints@fcc.gov>

Date: Thu, Sep 17, 2020 at 6:06 PM

Subject: [FCC Complaints] Re: wire down
To: Dmeadows31 <a href="mailto:dmeadows31@gmail.com">dmeadows31@gmail.com</a>>

##- Please type your reply above this line -##

This ticket (#4231850) has been updated.

# FCC Consumer Help Center (FCC Complaints)

Sep 17, 2020, 7:06 PM EDT

Thank you for your submission. Your complaint provides the FCC with important information we can use to develop policies to protect consumers, remedy violations of the Communications Act, and encourage future compliance with the law.

The FCC appreciates the information you've shared with us. It appears that the state regulatory commission will be better able to assist you.

We urge you to contact that agency about this matter.

Below is a link to the National Association of Regulatory Commissioners:

http://naruc.org/about-naruc/regulatory-commissions/

As such, no further action is required by the FCC. Your complaint was closed as of today.

# Dmeadows31

Sep 16, 2020, 5:45 PM EDT

Since Oct 2018 a wire in front of my business property. Have contacted ATT, Comcast, WOW(knology), Media Com, which is all the carriers here. None will take responsibility, in removing this dangerous wire hanging 2 feet off the ground in front of my property. I need some help in getting this danger removed. All the carriers say it is the other company.

This email is a service from FCC Complaints.

From: Denisse Medina <goyabean0921@yahoo.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 9:48 PM

**To:** Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner

Polmann; Office of Commissioner Fay; Office of Commissioner Brown

**Subject:** {BULK} Net-Metering Works for Floridians

**Importance:** Low

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Sincerely,

Denisse Medina

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Ms Denisse Medina goyabean0921@yahoo.com 14090 gold bridge dr Orlando, Fl 32824

From: Josd Medina <j\_medina13@Yahoo.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 9:47 PM

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Sincerely,

Josd Medina

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Mr Josd Medina j\_medina13@Yahoo.com 14090 gold bridge dr Orlando, Fl 32824

From: Tiffini Brown <tiffinib@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 8:25 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

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Sincerely, Tiffini Brown

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Ms Tiffini Brown tiffinib@gmail.com 12600 W Indiantown Rd Jupiter, Fl 33478

From: Barbara Tiplady <a href="mailto:btiplady@hotmail.com">btiplady@hotmail.com</a> Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 8:15 PM

**To:** Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner

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Sincerely,

**Barbara Tiplady** 

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Ms Barbara Tiplady btiplady@hotmail.com 328 Williams Ave Daytona Beach, string:FL 32118

From: Debbie Bonnet < Debbie.Bonnet.55432623@p2a.co>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 7:06 PM

**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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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, Debbie Bonnet 13600 SW 102nd Ave Miami, FL 33176

From: Richard Lyon <rlyon33@cfl.rr.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:46 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

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Sincerely,

Richard Lyon

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Mr Richard Lyon rlyon33@cfl.rr.com 14 Moonglow Dr Ormond Beach, FL 32174

From: kobrien@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Karen OBrien

<kobrien@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:19 PM

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Sincerely, Karen OBrien 2023 Canyon Rim Pl Middleburg, FL 32068-4259

**From:** EPfef927@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Evan Pfeffer <EPfef927

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 4:36 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

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Sincerely, Evan Pfeffer Hollywood, FL 33021

From: tmd913@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Thomas DeBoni <tmd913

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:21 PM

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Sincerely, Thomas DeBoni 16842 Coriander Ln Fort Myers, FL 33908-3900

From: rha4526@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Renee Hansen <rha4526

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:17 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

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Sincerely, Renee Hansen Clearwater, FL 33756

From: cubfan99@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Edward Dieringer <cubfan99

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:30 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Edward Dieringer Rotonda West, FL 33947 cubfan99@hotmail.com

From: gignacmary@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Gignac

<gignacmary@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 10:30 AM

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Sincerely, Mary Gignac Naples, FL 34110 gignacmary@gmail.com

From: David Norton <norton\_22@hotmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:30 PM

**To:** Office of Chairman Clark; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner

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**David Norton** 

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Mr David Norton norton\_22@hotmail.com 960 Red Haven Ln Oviedo, Florida 32765

From: vivaindy500@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Vivek Saqi <vivaindy500

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:18 PM

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Sincerely, Vivek Sagi Jupiter, FL 33478 vivaindy500@yahoo.com

From: suresver@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Suresh Verma

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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 2:09 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely, Suresh Verma West Palm Beach, FL 33411 suresver@gmail.com

**From:** mygolfgame2000@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Anderson

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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 10:30 AM

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Sincerely, James Anderson North Fort Myers, FL 33917 mygolfgame2000@gmail.com

From: hlim17@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Harry Lim <hlim17

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Sincerely, Harry Lim Orlando, FL 32814 hlim17@hotmail.com

From: rickscustompainting@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Patricia Deluca

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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 10:30 AM

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From: james.cameron.gibson@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Gibson

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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 10:28 AM

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As a business owner who has created a new multi-million dollar business in Florida, any signalling of policy revisions like these creates uncertainty and a lack of confidence that Florida is a good place to do business.

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Sincerely,
James Gibson
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From: rbarbour@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Barbour

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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 5:33 PM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham

**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Chairman Art Graham,

Keep Net Metering!

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.

Before COVID-19, the Sunshine state produced the 4th most electricity from solar panels in the country, 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 put half, 125,000, of these jobs at risk in communities across the United States. Florida has already lost 22% of its workforce due to economic uncertainty, and this could get worse.

People and businesses across the state rely on common sense solar policies to take control of their own energy, and choose how they power their lives.

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.

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

Sincerely, Robert Barbour 5840 N Dean Rd Orlando, FL 32817-3249

From: Jim Jackson < Jim.Jackson.75037134@p2a.co > Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 6:08 PM

**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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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, Jim Jackson 115 E Lauren Ct Casselberry, FL 32730

From: yunierhdez@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Yunier Hernandez

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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 5:42 PM

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Myself, I'll be purchasing solar and installing it soon.

Sincerely, Yunier Hernandez Homestead, FL 33032 yunierhdez@gmail.com