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From: Hannah Barker
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Good morning,

Please place the attached emails in Docket No. 20200000.

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From: sara.mcfadden@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Edith McFadden
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Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 5:12 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Gary F. Clark,

YOU MUST PRESERVE NET METERING. Amid a public health and economic crisis, it's clear that Florida's electric utilities should be doing a whole lot more to promote rooftop solar - a known job creator that keeps money in families' pockets.

Before COVID-19, "solar installer" was the fastest growing job in the country, and the solar 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. In the Sunshine state, before this crisis began, the solar industry employed over 12,000 Floridians. Now, over 1 million Floridians are unemployed, and Florida has already lost 22% of its workforce.

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Not only does solar create jobs and save us money, but when paired with batteries, solar panels can contribute to the resilience of the electric grid and provide back-up power in emergencies. As we face another intense hurricane season, Floridians need more tools – not fewer – in order to weather all the storms that are coming our way.

Thank you for defending solar workers, business owners, and residents by protecting our bedrock solar policies here in Florida.

Sincerely,
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Hong Wang

From: cemaron77@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Cheryl Maron <cemaron77@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 4:28 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Gary F. Clark,

Approximately a year after relocating to Florida 4+ years ago, I purchased solar panels to provide electricity to my home. I have always been a believer that we should not waste a natural energy resource like the sun. Relocating to the "Sunshine State" provided me the perfect opportunity to switch to solar power instead of using fossil fuels. I made my initial purchase of solar panels and ultimately added several additional panels with the belief that net metering would yield me the solar energy required keep my home sufficiently powered without the use of fossil fueled power plants. I don't understand why net metering should now be eliminated, thereby penalizing me and many other solar users, just because the utility companies are now realizing a revenue loss due to the growing use of solar power.

Furthermore, amid a public health and economic crisis, it's clear that Florida's electric utilities should be doing a whole lot more to promote rooftop solar - a known job creator that keeps money in families' pockets.

I am advised that prior to COVID-19, "solar installer" was the fastest growing job in the country, and that the solar 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. In the Sunshine state, before this crisis began, the solar industry employed over 12,000 Floridians. Now, over 1 million Floridians are unemployed, and Florida has already lost 22% of its workforce.

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Thank you for defending solar workers, business owners, and residents by protecting our bedrock solar policies here in Florida.

Sincerely,
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Hong Wang

From: 914bromley@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Judy Bromley
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Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 4:27 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Amid a public health and economic crisis, it's clear that Florida's electric utilities should be doing a whole lot more to promote rooftop solar - a known job creator that keeps money in families' pockets.

Before COVID-19, "solar installer" was the fastest growing job in the country, and the solar 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. In the Sunshine state, before this crisis began, the solar industry employed over 12,000 Floridians. Now, over 1 million Floridians are unemployed, and Florida has already lost 22% of its workforce.

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Thank you for defending solar workers, business owners, and residents by protecting our bedrock solar policies here in Florida.

Sincerely,
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Hong Wang

From: Colin Hollister <colhollister@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 4:16 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,

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,

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Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 4:07 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Gary F. Clark,

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Sincerely,
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From: yogid1978@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Yogi D <yogid1978@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 2:03 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
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From: jrodencal1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jeff Rodencal <jrodencal1@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 2:00 PM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Gary F. Clark,

We are designing our new home to include solar. Maintaining the current net metering rules are critical in our decision to invest in solar. Amid a public health and economic crisis, it's clear that Florida's electric utilities should be doing a whole lot more to promote rooftop solar - a known job creator that keeps money in families' pockets.

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Sincerely,
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From: dgren13@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of David Gronlund <dgren13@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 10:44 AM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
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From: qeanne@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jeanne Anderson
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Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 9:31 AM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Gary F. Clark,

Let me begin by saying I already have rooftop solar, which I purchased with the expectation of net metering benefits. I would like to add to my existing array—but I cannot justify the cost without net metering. I am very surprised that Florida would contemplate reducing incentives for rooftop solar! We need more incentives, not fewer. Florida is at especially huge risk from climate change. We also have large populations who really need the economic relief that rooftop solar can provide.

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Sincerely,
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From: MLNethers@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Lou Nethers
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Sent: Saturday, October 03, 2020 7:12 AM
To: Office of Chairman Clark
Subject: Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,
Mary Lou Nethers
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