

**Jacob Veughn**

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**From:** Jacob Veughn on behalf of Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Friday, August 13, 2021 8:40 AM  
**To:** 'philwelker.pw@gmail.com'  
**Cc:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** RE: Public Comment on Docket #20210015-EI

Good Morning, Phil Welker

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20210015 and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

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-----Original Message-----

From: philwelker.pw@everyactioncustom.com <philwelker.pw@everyactioncustom.com>  
Sent: Thursday, August 12, 2021 5:17 PM  
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>  
Subject: Public Comment on Docket #20210015-EI

Dear Public Service Commission,

As a resident of Florida, I urge you to decline FPL's rate increase petition, which would create an unnecessary and excessive burden on utility customers at a time when many Floridians can least afford to pay more for their unavoidable daily expenses.

Absent from FPL's proposed settlement is any plan to transition to a 100% carbon-free future, which puts them as an outrageous outlier compared to a growing number of utilities across the country that are. The UN IPCC report couldn't have been more clear: a steady and rapid transition to clean energy is absolutely necessary to prevent the worst impacts of climate change.

FPL is trying to charge customers like us for a range of projects we do not want or need. FPL does not need to spend billions of our dollars to build redundant fossil fuel units, rebuild an already-sufficient transmission system, and give their shareholders a raise.

Please do not put FPL's desire to maximize profits over our need to power our homes affordably.

Thank you!

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Como residente de Florida, le insto a que rechace la petición de aumento de tarifas de FPL, que crearía una carga innecesaria y excesiva para los clientes de servicios públicos en un momento en que muchos floridianos no pueden pagar más por sus gastos diarios.

FPL está tratando de cobrar a clientes como nosotros por una variedad de proyectos que no queremos ni necesitamos. FPL no necesita gastar miles de millones de dólares para construir unidades de combustibles fósiles redundantes, reconstruir un sistema de transmisión que ya es suficiente y dar un aumento a sus accionistas.

Por favor, no anteponga el deseo de FPL de maximizar las ganancias a nuestra necesidad de alimentar nuestros hogares de manera asequible.

¡Gracias!

Sincerely,  
Phil Welker  
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