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**From:** Jacob Veaughn on behalf of Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 11, 2021 10:07 AM  
**To:** 'Amy Ruggiero'  
**Cc:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** RE: Stop Rubber Stamping FPL Requests!

Good Morning, Amy Ruggiero

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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**From:** amyruiggiero@gmail.com@mg.gospringboard.io <amyruiggiero@gmail.com@mg.gospringboard.io> **On Behalf Of** Amy Ruggiero  
**Sent:** Wednesday, August 11, 2021 10:05 AM  
**To:** Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>  
**Subject:** Stop Rubber Stamping FPL Requests!

Dear Commissioner

Florida Power & Light is asking for the largest single rate hike in Florida history at a time when consumers are facing an increased cost of goods and services as we recover from the economic downturn caused by COVID-19. Increasing the cost of electricity is something you, the Public Service Commission, can control.

It is unconscionable to think that we should have to pay more for our electric service at a time like this. Rubber stamping an all-time high return on equity of 11.5 percent goes against helping struggling Floridians. Putting people over profits should come first.

I live with my 80 year old mother and between her limited income and mine, we still have a very hard time making ends meet. In fact, I have had to borrow from a retirement account to pay FPL bills.

Now is not the time to give FPL what it wants; let's keep the public in Public Service Commission!

Thank you,

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