

Lisa Smith

From: Veronica Washington
Sent: Tuesday, February 1, 2022 12:09 PM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Docket No. 20210015
Attachments: FPL Complaint; RE FPL Complaint; We Can't Afford Higher Rates; Florida Power and Light unanimous approval of rate hike

Please place the attached emails in Docket No. 20210015

Thanks

Veronica D. Washington

Executive Assistant to Chairman Andrew Giles Fay
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Attached are our last 4 months of Electric bills.

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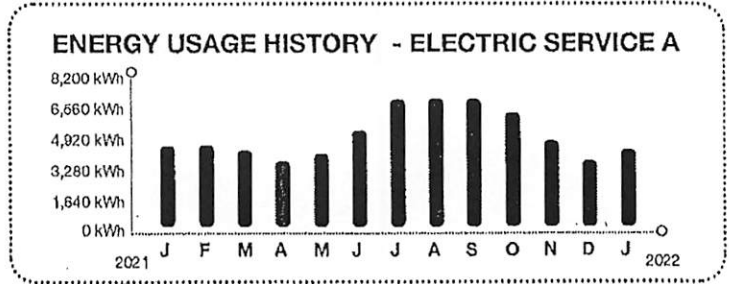


January

Electric Bill Statement
For: Dec 3, 2021 to Jan 4, 2022 (33 days)
Statement Date: Jan 6, 2022
Account Number: 21085-63251
Service Address:
1335 CREIGHTON RD
PENSACOLA, FL 32504-7138

Hello Remax Horizons Realty,
Here's what you owe for this billing period.

CURRENT BILL
\$1,179.61
TOTAL AMOUNT YOU OWE
Jan 27, 2022
NEW CHARGES DUE BY



The Public Service Commission unanimously approved FPL's four-year rate agreement, which begins this month, to support investments in cleaner and more reliable energy. Visit FPL.com/Answers.

BILL SUMMARY
Amount of your last bill 687.84
Payment(s) received - thank you -687.84
Balance before new charges 0.00
New charges - Electric service A 1,147.41
New charges - Lighting service B 32.20
Total new charges 1,179.61
Total amount due \$1,179.61
(See reverse for billing details)
Visit FPL.com/PayBill for ways to pay

KEEP IN MIND

- Payments received after January 27, 2022 are considered late; a late payment charge, the greater of \$5.00 or 1.50% of your past due balance will apply. Your account may also be billed a deposit adjustment.

Customer Service: 800-225-5797
To Report Power Outages: 800-468-8243
Hearing/Speech Impaired: 711 (Relay Service)



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Make check payable to FPL NW FL
In U.S. funds and mail along with
this coupon to:

REMAX HORIZONS REALTY
1335 CREIGHTON RD
PENSACOLA FL 32504-7177



FPL NORTHWEST FL
P.O. BOX 29090
MIAMI FL 33102-9090



21085-63251 \$1,179.61 Jan 27, 2022 \$
ACCOUNT NUMBER TOTAL AMOUNT OWED NEW CHARGES DUE BY AMOUNT ENCLOSED



Customer Name:
Remax Horizons Realty

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 Service Address:
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 PENSACOLA, FL 32504-7138
 kWh/Day: 5

**Detail of Rate Schedule Charges for
 O/D Srv-St & Gen Ar Lgt Cat OS-I OS-II**

Description of Components	Quantity	Rate/Unit	kWh Used	Amount
HPSV460D	1		164	
Lighting energy charge		0.078930		12.95
Non-energy				
Fixtures		6.530000		6.53
Maintenance		2.630000		2.63
Fuel outdoor service charge				6.15
Subtotal				28.26
Gross rec. tax/Regulatory fee				0.50
Franchise charge				1.01
Florida sales tax - Lighting				0.55
Discretionary sales surtax				0.45
Florida sales tax				1.43
Total			164	\$32.20





December

Electric Bill Statement

For: Nov 3, 2021 to Dec 2, 2021 (30 days)

Statement Date: Dec 3, 2021

Account Number: 21085-83251

Service Address:

1335 CREIGHTON RD
PENSACOLA, FL 32504-7138

Hello Remax Horizons Realty,
Here's what you owe for this billing period.

CURRENT BILL

\$687.84

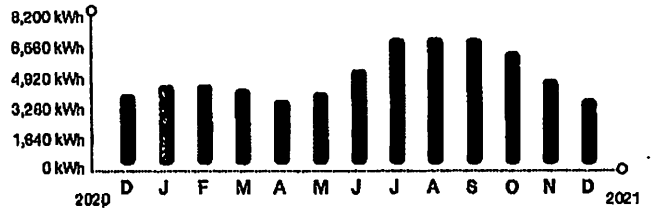
TOTAL AMOUNT YOU OWE

12/27/21

NEW CHARGES DUE BY

Systems will be down
starting the evening of
12/30 as we transition to
FPL. Learn more:
GulfPower.com/Forward

ENERGY USAGE HISTORY - ELECTRIC SERVICE A



BILL SUMMARY

Amount of your last bill	724.39
Payment(s) received - thank you	-724.39
Balance before new charges	0.00
New charges - Electric service A	664.25
New charges - Lighting service B	23.59
Total new charges	687.84
Total amount due	\$687.84

(See reverse for billing details)

Visit GulfPower.com/PayBill for ways to pay

Important information

Effective Jan. 1, 2022, your bills will be subject to a late payment charge - the greater of \$5 or 1.5% of your past due balance will apply.

Changes to your rates

Rates are increasing, effective Jan. 1, 2022. Learn more:
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Make check payable to Gulf Power
in U.S. funds and mail along with
this coupon to:

GULF POWER
P.O. BOX 28090
MIAMI FL 33102-8090



21085-83251	\$687.84	Dec 27, 2021	\$
ACCOUNT NUMBER	TOTAL AMOUNT OWED	NEW CHARGES DUE BY	AMOUNT ENCLOSED



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Remax Horizons Realty

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kWh/Day: 5

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Description of Components	Quantity	Rate/Unit	kWh Used	Amount
HPSV460D	1		164	
Energy charge		0.045030		7.39
Non-energy				
Fixtures		5.990000		5.99
Maintenance		2.480000		2.48
Fuel outdoor service charge				4.99
			Subtotal	20.85
			Gross receipts tax	0.32
			Franchise charge	0.65
			Florida sales tax - Lighting	0.51
			Discretionary sales surtax	0.33
			Florida sales tax	0.93
		Total	164	\$23.59



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From: debra <debra@debrafall.com>
Sent: Monday, January 31, 2022 5:28 PM
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Cc: Matt Schall
Subject: RE: FPL Complaint

Great letter!!

Now, we get in their grill.

Deb

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

----- Original message -----

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Cc: Matt Schall <Mattschall@remax.net>
Subject: FPL Complaint

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From: Rchesnee@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Randy Chesnee
<Rchesnee@everyactioncustom.com>
Sent: Monday, January 31, 2022 7:07 PM
To: Office of Chairman Fay
Subject: We Can't Afford Higher Rates

Dear Andrew Fay,

I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and customer of Florida Power & Light (FPL). I received notification that FPL intends to increase rates for their customers across the state, hurting the most vulnerable in our communities the most. We urge you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills.

This past year has been challenging and unrelenting, and folks have spent it worrying; worrying about the health and safety of their families and friends; worrying about finding work or being safe at work; worrying about the future of the business they built from the ground up; and worrying about making sure that they could keep the lights and heat on at home. For many of us, the pandemic has changed all of our lives in ways we'll still likely be grappling with long after the pandemic comes to an end.

Nevertheless, for some reason, corporate greed seems to be more important than the sustainability of our communities and our livelihood. This was evident when FPL, among several other power companies resumed closing customer accounts due to non-payment during the second wave of the pandemic. Now, they want to increase rates for their most vulnerable customers. We can't allow companies to continue taking advantage of working-class families, and luckily, you have the power NOW to stop this.

Our families need relief, real solutions to the climate crisis and fair and affordable utility rates. By raising prices, FPL is treating energy as a commodity when it's a necessity. We are demanding that Florida Power & Light halt this unfair plan and that Florida's Public Service Commission require FPL to maintain fair rates for their consumers, and prioritize the communities they serve.

Sincerely,
Mr. Randy Chesnee
4028 Woodridge Rd Panama City, FL 32405-4817 Rchesnee@hotmail.com

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From: B Crews <crews32539@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, February 1, 2022 10:05 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Chairman Fay; Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of Commissioner Passidomo
Subject: Florida Power and Light unanimous approval of rate hike

Dear Commissioners of Florida Public Service Commission,

What were you thinking to approve such a huge increase in the northwest Florida region?

Did any of you receive kickbacks or gifts for your vote or did you just think that no one would notice your unanimous approval to deliberately raise the rates, doubling, and doing so with the intent that our area would pay while businesses and corporations receive tax breaks?

Disabled, military veterans, elderly, and low income are all negatively affected by this dangerous approval. Families living paycheck to paycheck are negatively affected by the dangerous actions.

And, for what? What exactly do you gain from the unanimous approval?

Sincerely,

A frustrated former Gulf Power customer now unfortunately tied to Florida Power and Light outrageous charges due to your unanimous approval...

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