

**Antonia Hover**

**From:** Antonia Hover on behalf of Records Clerk  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2022 10:40 AM  
**To:** 'brilensmit@outlook.com'  
**Cc:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** RE: 20220067-GU - We Can't Afford Higher Gas Rates

Good Morning, Brian Lennox-Smith.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket Number 20220067, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you!

*Toni Hover*  
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**From:** Brian Lennox-Smith <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 13, 2022 10:33 AM  
**To:** Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>  
**Subject:** Re: 20220067-GU - We Can't Afford Higher Gas Rates

Florida Public Service Commission Clerk,

Re: 20220067-GU

I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and a natural gas customer. I received notification that my natural gas supplier intends to increase rates for customers like me. I am urging you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills.

This past year has been extremely challenging financially for many people in the state of Florida. A rate increase is the last thing we need, especially for vulnerable folks who may be on a fixed income or struggling to recover financially from the pandemic. We are all inundated with price increases on everything.

I urge you to reconsider this rate increase at this time.

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