

Lorena Hollett

From: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 2:55 PM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Docket Correspondence - 20220001
Attachments: Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Duke Energy Florida - Rate Increase; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Duke Energy, Docket No. 20220001-EI; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Objection to Duke Energy Florida's Proposed Rate Increase; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI No new electric rate hikes!; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!

Good afternoon,

Please place the attached emails in CORRESPONDENCE-Consumers & Representatives in docket 20220001.

Thank you.

Lorena Hollett

From: Irma Sánchez i <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 2:29 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

Commissioner Mike LaRosa,

Docket No. 20220001-EI

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I urge you to reject these rate increases.

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Lorena Hollett

From: Tanya Grasso <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:37 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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How many rate increases are you going to approve? When is enough enough? When will you stand up for your own mission of setting fair rates?

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Lorena Hollett

From: Rosemarie Wilson <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:32 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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From: Leslie Yates <spikesrescue@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:28 PM
To: Records Clerk
Cc: Office of Chairman Fay; Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of Commissioner Passidomo
Subject: Duke Energy Florida - Rate Increase

Docket No. 20220001-EI

I am a customer of Duke Energy Florida, living in Seminole County. I understand that the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC) is considering a request by Duke Energy Florida to increase its rate for 2023 due to "volatile" fluctuations of natural gas prices.

Duke's electricity rate per KWH is currently 29% higher than FP&L (see below) and Duke is now asking for another 15% for 2023, the highest increase of the three monopoly power companies seeking a rate increase. Duke already charges more per KWH than the other two, large investor-owned electric utility companies in Florida (source: Sept. 2022 issue of Florida Trend Magazine):

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The FPSC Commissioners need to be asking, "How can Duke Energy justify asking for even more money from their captive customers when they already charge the highest rate compared to all the other major electricity utilities in Florida?" Rather, the Commissioners should tell this public monopoly utility to look harder for cost savings and new efficiencies, and reduce their profit margin rather than asking for even more money from their captive customers.

I strongly urge the FPSC Commissioners to reject this rate increase request.

Sincerely,
Leslie and Michael Toole

Lorena Hollett

From: Housen Elizabeth <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:26 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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How many rate increases are you going to approve? When is enough enough? When will you stand up for your own mission of setting fair rates?

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From: Kimberly Doyle <mom2faithandgrace@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:26 PM
To: Records Clerk; Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of Commissioner Passidomo
Subject: Duke Energy, Docket No. 20220001-El

I am a customer of Duke Energy Florida. I understand that the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC) is considering a request by Duke Energy Florida to increase its rate for 2023 due to "volatile" fluctuations of natural gas prices.

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I strongly urge the FPSC Commissioners to reject this rate increase request.

Sincerely,
Kimberly Doyle

Sent from my iPhone

Lorena Hollett

From: Sonia Lugo <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:25 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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Lorena Hollett

From: KARL KEISTER <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:21 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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Lorena Hollett

From: April Olson <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:19 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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From: Munir K <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 1:08 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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From: Jay Ohanesian <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 12:43 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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From: jennifer LESSER <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 12:12 PM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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From: Lloyd Woosley <lhwoosley@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 11:53 AM
To: Records Clerk
Cc: Office of Chairman Fay; Office of Commissioner La Rosa; Office of Commissioner Graham; Office of Commissioner Clark; Office of Commissioner Passidomo
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Objection to Duke Energy Florida's Proposed Rate Increase

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From: Carol Davis <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 11:49 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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From: Michele MacDonald <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 11:01 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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From: Diane Hutcheson <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 10:56 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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From: Barbara Apel <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 10:45 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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From: Robert Winter <rob_winter@ymail.com>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 10:01 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
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Lorena Hollett

From: NOVLET A-HUDSON <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 9:47 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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NOVLET A-HUDSON
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From: Linda Gessner <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Monday, September 19, 2022 8:39 AM
To: Office of Commissioner La Rosa
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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