

Lorena Hollett

From: Office of Chairman Fay
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2022 1:15 PM
To: Commissioner Correspondence
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!
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 Reject the new electric rate hikes!; {BULK} Docket No. 20220001-EI; Docket No. 20220001-EI Reject the new electric rate hikes!

Please place the attached emails in Docket No. 20220001

Thanks

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From: Yvonne Earle <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2022 1:01 PM
To: Office of Chairman Fay
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Commissioner Andrew Fay,

Docket No. 20220001-EI

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I urge you to reject these rate increases at this time.

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: Dee Sep <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
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From: Brenda Lewis <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
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From: Penny Brantingham <pjbrantingham@gmail.com>
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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
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Importance: Low

To: CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US Cc: commissioner.fay@psc.state.fl.us, commissioner.larosa@psc.state.fl.us, commissioner.graham@psc.state.fl.us, commissioner.clark@psc.state.fl.us, commissioner.passidomo@psc.state.fl.us Docket No. 20220001-EI 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. 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): Duke Energy - \$201.32/1,500 KWH FP&L - \$156.81/1,500 KWH Tampa Electric - \$175.17/1,500 KWH Non-investor owned near me: OUC - \$169.25/1,500 KWH Kissimmee - \$173.59/1,500 KWH 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 Commissioner to reject this rate increase request. Penny Brantingham
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From: Karen EUFEMIA <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
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