



## Lorena Hollett

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**From:** Melissa LaNinfa <mlaninfa@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 3:05 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:** 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 Commissioners to reject this rate increase request!!!!!!** Melissa LaNinfa  
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**From:** Elmo Dunn <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 2:47 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

Commissioner Art Graham,

Docket No. 20220001-EI

I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and a electricity customer. I received notification that FPL, Duke and Tampa Electric intend to increase rates for customers like me. I am urging you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills.

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

Elmo Dunn  
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**From:** kcfsgf@verizon.net <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 2:28 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Pamela Rubelmann <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 12:21 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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I urge you to reject these rate increases.

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**From:** Lynne Flagg <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 11:23 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Tamara Barron <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 11:17 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**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:** Clem Armstrong <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 10:36 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Lea Ogozelec <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 10:15 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** John Elder <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 9:59 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Carole Brasfield <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 9:05 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
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"I am on a fixed income and I have my air conditioner set on 78 degrees all the time. My bill the same time last year was \$103.13 and this year it was \$139.66. The kWh were 143 more than last year. I repeat I am on a fixed income and try to use as little electricity as possible but I do live in an electric home and my appliances and air conditioning are 3 years of age.... Please with all the other increases in food and gas and other utilities and increases in property taxes please do not increase this year..... We are eating less and I have lost 50 lbs since this inflation has begun. I am hungry..... Please refrain from these increases..... please.... I wish things were like they were before....but due to poor government decisions the people on fixed retirement incomes are the ones suffering the most. Please do not raise the rates.... not now....

Carole Brasfield  
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**From:** Linda Young <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 8:58 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Deborah Beach-Graff <dbgraff@att.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 8:14 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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I urge you to reject these rate increases.

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**From:** Robert Kempfer <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 7:49 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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I urge you to reject these rate increases.

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**From:** Monica Eckley <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 7:44 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**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:** Jan Strickland <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 6:43 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**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:** Norman Schafer <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 2:26 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Tina Steele <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 1:48 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

Commissioner Art Graham,

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I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and a electricity customer. I received notification that FPL, Duke and Tampa Electric intend to increase rates for customers like me. I am urging you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills. FPL already raised my rate by a whopping \$20 per month on balance billing, and I'm a senior on a low fixed income. I can't afford any more rate hikes!

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

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**From:** Thomas Sandy <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 1:21 AM  
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**From:** Jorge Laverde <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, September 24, 2022 12:33 AM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
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**From:** Richard Long <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 10:33 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Samuel Gill <samja48@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 10:23 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: No new electric rate hikes!

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I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and a electricity customer. I received notification that FPL, Duke and Tampa Electric intend 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, including me and my wife. We are living on a single source of social security. It is already difficult trying to decide where we can save a few dollars to prevent utilities from being turned off. 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.

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**From:** DeeVon Quirolo <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 10:19 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

Commissioner Art Graham,

Docket No. 20220001-EI

If you have money to support trying to kill solar energy, then you don't deserve a rate hike. It's our money your spending to prevent clean energy in Florida from reducing fossil emissions and climate change.

Shame on you.

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**From:** Anne Albaugh <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 9:55 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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Anne Albaugh  
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**From:** Marcia Lucas <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 9:37 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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I am an electricity customer in Florida. I received notification that you will soon be considering proposals from FPL, Duke and Tampa Electric to increase my electricity rates next year.

I am a senior on fixed income and I cannot afford increases. I'm already paying increase in my food expenses.

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**From:** Joel Hershkowitz <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 9:24 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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**From:** Sharon Reedy <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 9:21 PM  
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Sharon Reedy  
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**From:** Irina Bronstein <irinarlc@cs.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 8:20 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
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**From:** Patricia Kast <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 8:12 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
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**From:** Richard Burkart <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 8:02 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

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These companies are posting insane profits, how about we vote in an energy cost reduction rate? They are making too much money!!

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**From:** Janice Dunn <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
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**From:** Sylvia Gheen <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 6:47 PM  
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**From:** Sandra Wright <info@email.actionnetwork.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 23, 2022 6:43 PM  
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**From:** jerryez@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gerald Davis  
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**To:** Office of Commissioner Graham  
**Subject:** Docket No. 20200181; Help us manage unaffordable power bills

Dear Commissioner Art Graham,

MY electric bill is \$100 per month higher than a year ago. I thought the increase was supposed to be \$5 per 1000kw. I am living on Social Security and cannot afford these increases. I would think that the public Service Commission represented the people of Florida, instead it is obvious that you represent FPL.

The past couple of years has been brutal for Floridians. Just as hard-working families and small businesses have started digging out of the economic impacts from the COVID pandemic, they've been hit with huge increases in power bills from base rate increases and recovery charges for volatile and high fossil gas costs. These bill hikes have led to us paying power bills that are higher than ever.

Paying sky-high electricity bills isn't sustainable for many Floridians—but there is an opportunity to change the course we're on.

Access to meaningful energy efficiency programs can help customers most in need manage higher power bills, by getting right to the source of the issue: reducing energy consumption. Using energy smarter is the quickest, cleanest, and cheapest way for the utility to meet energy demand while also helping Floridians cut energy waste and save money on power bills. It's a win-win solution that can be realized if you take action to support this common-sense solution.

As you update your efficiency goal-setting rule, please do so with an eye to making Florida a leader in capturing energy savings for families and businesses. Let's modernize our practices to put efficiency to work for all in unlocking savings for Florida's families, businesses, and the state.

cc: Governor DeSantis

Sincerely,  
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**From:** Linda Spiegel <findlin@msn.com>  
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