



## Antonia Hover

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**From:** Cindy Muir  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 28, 2024 9:02 AM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** FW: Duke

-----Original Message-----

From: Llb <llbswb@gmail.com>  
Sent: Tuesday, May 28, 2024 7:46 AM  
To: PSC Media <PSCMedia@psc.state.fl.us>  
Subject: Duke

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Please consider the people who are struggling to make ends meet before allowing Duke energy to raise their rates AGAIN. How much more are they going to ask for? Will it ever end? They already show a higher profit margin than average.

Thank you for your time,  
Lori Botko

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**From:** Webmaster  
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**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** FW: PSC Contact Form

FYI.

**From:** contact@psc.state.fl.us <contact@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 12:31 PM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; jthomas@cmdigroup.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - Information Request

Contact Information:

Category: Information Request  
Name: Joan Thomas  
Company:  
Primary Phone: 6179216880  
Secondary Phone: 6179216880  
Email Address: [jthomas@cmdigroup.com](mailto:jthomas@cmdigroup.com)  
Response requested? yes  
Comments:

This is OUTRAGEOUS! Duke Energy is seeking approval for an \$820 million increase from the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC) asking: Raise rates by 27% over the next three years, this is a \$16.48 per month increase in 2025 alone. Increase their guaranteed profit (return on equity) to 11.5%, well above the national average of 9.71%. Add \$2.56 more to the \$30 per month fixed customer charge, which is unrelated to electric usage. This rate hike will burden households already struggling with rising costs.

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**From:** contact@psc.state.fl.us <contact@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 12:29 PM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; jorts9410@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - General Comment/Question

Contact Information:

Category: General Comment/Question  
Name: charles orts  
Company:  
Primary Phone: 7275222249  
Secondary Phone:  
Email Address: [jorts9410@yahoo.com](mailto:jorts9410@yahoo.com)  
Response requested? no  
Comments:

Duke Energy just cut my bill and now they want to stick it to me with an increase just to satisfy their investors.  
It's about time you stick up for your citizens instead of big business

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**From:** contact@psc.state.fl.us <contact@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 12:14 PM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; capecam@yahoo.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - General Comment/Question

Contact Information:

Category: General Comment/Question

Name: Steve Baty

Company: self

Primary Phone: 5087712474

Secondary Phone:

Email Address: [capecam@yahoo.com](mailto:capecam@yahoo.com)

Response requested? no

Comments:

Please do not approve the Duke Energy rate increase

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**From:** contact@psc.state.fl.us <contact@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 10:50 AM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; andrew.rikarts@gmail.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - General Comment/Question

Contact Information:

Category: General Comment/Question  
Name: Andrew Rikarts  
Company: N/A  
Primary Phone: 7276414919  
Secondary Phone:  
Email Address: [andrew.rikarts@gmail.com](mailto:andrew.rikarts@gmail.com)  
Response requested? no  
Comments:

Do not approve Duke Energy's request for a \$820 million increase. Do not allow them to raise rates by 27% over the next three years, this is a \$16.48 per month increase in 2025 alone. Do not allow them to Increase their guaranteed profit (return on equity) to 11.5% which is well well above the national average of 9.71%. They have done nothing to deserve it. If they can find a way to cut our rates then let them have more profit. Do not all them to add \$2.56 more to the \$30 per month fixed customer charge, which is unrelated to electric usage. Again, they do nothing to warrant this. I believe their rates are already the highest in the state. They have the lowest customer approval rating as well. This rate hike will burden households already struggling and suffering with rising costs. They owe us for the power station they never built and the crystal river plant they screwed up. Tell them NO!

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**From:** contact@psc.state.fl.us <contact@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 10:34 AM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; sphscoach@aol.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - General Comment/Question

Contact Information:

Category: General Comment/Question  
Name: James mewha  
Company: Retired  
Primary Phone: 7276868711  
Secondary Phone:  
Email Address: [sphscoach@aol.com](mailto:sphscoach@aol.com)  
Response requested? yes  
Comments:

Please do not allow Duke Energy to increase rates in 2025 Fixed income retirement people will suffer. Thank you

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**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 10:14 AM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; losnautiboyz@gmail.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - General Comment/Question

Contact Information:

Category: General Comment/Question  
Name: Mark Vaughan  
Company:  
Primary Phone: 7273739748  
Secondary Phone:  
Email Address: [losnautiboyz@gmail.com](mailto:losnautiboyz@gmail.com)  
Response requested? no  
Comments:

NO power bill rate increases - they are high enough already!!!

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**From:** contact@psc.state.fl.us <contact@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 9:47 AM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; luranelms@gmail.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - General Comment/Question

Contact Information:

Category: General Comment/Question  
Name: Lura Nelms  
Company:  
Primary Phone: 7273480312  
Secondary Phone:  
Email Address: [luranelms@gmail.com](mailto:luranelms@gmail.com)  
Response requested? no  
Comments:

A raise in Duke energy charges is not necessary to their bottom line and will cause a hardship to Floridians using their service.

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**From:** contact@psc.state.fl.us <contact@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Sent:** Saturday, May 25, 2024 8:47 AM  
**To:** Webmaster <webmaster@PSC.STATE.FL.US>; Ridejf@gmail.com  
**Subject:** PSC Contact Form

Contact from a Web user regarding - General Comment/Question

Contact Information:

Category: General Comment/Question  
Name: Jeff Fisher  
Company:  
Primary Phone: 8136293652  
Secondary Phone:  
Email Address: [Ridejf@gmail.com](mailto:Ridejf@gmail.com)  
Response requested? yes  
Comments:

I oppose the rate hikes Duke Energy is asking for..

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**From:** Cindy Muir  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 28, 2024 9:04 AM  
**To:** Consumer Contact  
**Subject:** FW: Rate increase

**From:** Larry Rudisill <rudisill69@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, May 27, 2024 12:30 PM  
**To:** PSC Media <PSCMedia@psc.state.fl.us>  
**Subject:** Rate increase

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Completely object to any and all rate increase by Duke. Teco is proposing rate cuts. Enough corporate profit that are funded by citizen tax payers.  
Larry Rudisill

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