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Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2024 2:38 PM
To: Commissioner Correspondence

**Subject:** Docket No. 20240025

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Please place the attached in Docket No. 20240025.

Thank you!

From: traceydare1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Tracey Dare <traceydare1

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent:Tuesday, July 16, 2024 1:17 PMTo:Office of Commissioner PassidomoSubject:Reject Duke Energy Florida's Rate Hike

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Sincerely,
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From: brad.kitchin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Bradley Kitchin

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Mr. Bradley Kitchin

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From: laurieross@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Laurie Nossair

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Sincerely,
Ms Laurie Nossair
612 Holbrook Cir Lake Mary, FL 32746-6334 laurieross@yahoo.com

From: riplongley@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Richard Longley

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Mr. Richard Longley

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From: dsebesta3@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Duane Sebesta <dsebesta3

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Mr. Duane Sebesta

2114 N Flamingo Rd # 652 Pembroke Pines, FL 33028-3501 dsebesta3@yahoo.com

From: nancysadowsky@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nancy Sadowsky

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Sincerely, Ms. Nancy Sadowsky 4225 SW 84th Ave Miami, FL 33155-4238 nancysadowsky@gmail.com

From: nancy.obyrne@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Nancy Obyrne

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Sincerely,

Ms. Nancy Obyrne

5308 2nd St Fl 32080 Saint Augustine, FL 32080-7241 nancy.obyrne@currently.com

From: plouzof@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Patricia Zopfi

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Ms. Patricia Zopfi

4129 Old Dominion Rd Orlando, FL 32812-7968 plouzof@gmail.com

From: ariellasafer@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ariella Safer

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Sincerely,

Mrs. Ariella Safer

2558 Bramblewood Dr E Clearwater, FL 33763-1211 ariellasafer@gmail.com

**From:** stegerruth@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ruth Steger

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Mrs. Ruth Steger
8326 17th St N Saint Petersburg, FL 33702-2844 stegerruth@aol.com

From: rclminor@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Minor

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Mr. Robert Minor

300 NE 20th Ter Cape Coral, FL 33909-4207 rclminor@gmail.com

**From:** courtney@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Susan Courtney

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Ms. Susan Courtney

1551 Lake Marion Dr Apopka, FL 32712-2615 courtney@truechange.org

From: frank.menschner@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of FRANK MENSCHNER

<frank.menschner@everyactioncustom.com>

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Mr. FRANK MENSCHNER

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From: silveycpa@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kevin Silvey

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Sincerely, Mr. Kevin Silvey 9263 78th Pl Seminole, FL 33777-4013 silveycpa@aol.com

From: gld54.lev.d@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gilda Levinson

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From: 1312@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Andr'e Neal <1312

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Sincerely,

Mr. Brandon Kozak

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From: a.tajdari@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Amy Tajdari

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Sincerely,

Ms. Amy Tajdari

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From: gentrymartin@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Linda Martin

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**From:** emeyeraway@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Edwin Meyer

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Dr. Edwin Meyer

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From: alex.bril@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alex Bril

<alex.bril@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Mr Alex Bril 801 Brickell Ave Miami, FL 33131-2951 alex.bril@volthome.com

From: drwingahl@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Helen Drwinga

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From: wb2grx@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kim Fallon

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Sincerely, Mr. Kim Fallon 1354 Foxfire Dr Apopka, FL 32712-3015 wb2grx@gmail.com

**From:** g.weaver50@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of George Weaver < g.weaver50

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Sincerely, Mr George Weaver 2448 Cat Cay Ln Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312-4752 g.weaver50@yahoo.com

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1184 36th Ave NE St Petersburg, FL 33704-1616 jvervill@verizon.net

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From: bhadrayut@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of BJ Trivedi

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Sincerely, Mr. BJ Trivedi

5146 NW 22nd Dr Gainesville, FL 32605-5480 bhadrayut@yahoo.com

From: wdubin1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of William Dubin <wdubin1

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Mr. William Dubin

37 San Jose Dr Palm Coast, FL 32137-2335 wdubin1@cfl.rr.com

From: pgs3@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Peter G. Schreiner III < pgs3

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Dr Peter G. Schreiner III
1674 Promenade Cir Port Orange, FL 32129-7513 pgs3@mindspring.com

From: fredjonasmd@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alfred Jonas

<fredjonasmd@everyactioncustom.com>

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Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Dr. Alfred Jonas
918 NE 119th St Biscayne Park, FL 33161-6444 fredjonasmd@gmail.com

From: kkelleyh@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kathleen Kelley

<kkelleyh@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,

Ms. Kathleen Kelley

7161 Sandpoint Dr Brooksville, FL 34601-5501 kkelleyh@yahoo.com

From: masingleton@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Martha Singleton

<masingleton@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely, Ms. Martha Singleton 6600 SW 79th Ave Miami, FL 33143-2625 masingleton@yahoo.com

From: pdheinlein@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Phil Heinlein

<pd><pdheinlein@everyactioncustom.com>

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Mr. Phil Heinlein

3406 W Oakellar Ave Tampa, FL 33611-2922 pdheinlein@gmail.com

From: jevotovsky@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joel Jevotovsky

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Sincerely,

Mr. Joel Jevotovsky

8198 Cypress Point Rd West Palm Beach, FL 33412-2443 jevotovsky@aol.com

From: scooteacha@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robyn Reichert

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Ms. Robyn Reichert

6916 Stoney Creek Cir Lake Worth, FL 33467-7211 scooteacha@aol.com

From: ericwallens@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Eric Wallens

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720 16th Ave NE Saint Petersburg, FL 33704-4806 ericwallens@gmail.com

**From:** csc@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Christine Williams

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Sincerely, Ms. Christine Williams PO Box 3434 Winter Park, FL 32790-3434 csc@harlandwebs.com

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Mr. mike elliott

1334 Riverside Dr Tarpon Springs, FL 34689-2020 mike\_elliott@hotmail.com

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12310 Blue Heron Way Leesburg, FL 34788-2302 eric@felgemacher.com

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Sincerely,
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From: james@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of James Marchese

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