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**From:** Betty Leland  
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**To:** Commissioner Correspondence  
**Subject:** FW: State of Florida proposed FPL rate hike

Good Morning:

Please place this email in Docket #20240001.

Thanks.

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Commissioner(s),

As a Florida resident for over 30 years, I am outraged we are facing yet again another FPL rate hike! And even MORE outraged you are considering APPROVING IT AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!!!!! I urge each of you to understand the citizens of Florida have had enough of FPL gouging us because they are a MONOPOLY and can get away with it, we are at their mercy and YOURS!!!!!!!!!!.

We are already penalized for using over 1000kw,

**KEEP IN MIND (DIRECTLY FROM FPL BILLING PAGE)**

*The non-fuel energy charge is \$0.09564 per kWh used during the billing period up to 1,000 kWh and \$0.10563 per kWh for usage above 1,000 kWh. The fuel charge is \$0.02670 per kWh used up to 1,000 kWh and \$0.03670 per kWh for usage above 1,000 kWh.*

*The fuel charge represents the cost of fuel used to generate electricity. It is a direct pass-through to customers. FPL does not profit from fuel, although higher costs do result in higher state and local taxes and fees.*

It **DOES NOT COST** them more when we use over 1000kw, they are just greedy and you have allowed them to trick you into thinking it does. Why was this approved!!! I don't know about you but that is an impossible feat to operate a home on 1000kw in the Florida heat!!! Many of us turn **OFF** the breaker to their house each day because we cannot afford a \$800+ electric bill. I have an average size home and my electric bill has skyrocketed since FPL took over, I urge you to REJECT the rate hike and others to follow.

WE NEED A BREAK!!!!!!

Thank you,  
Kim Lawrence