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From: Office of Chairman La Rosa

Sent:Thursday, January 2, 2025 2:03 PMTo:Commissioner CorrespondenceSubject:Docket Correspondence - 20250011

Attachments: Latest FPL rate increases ; We Can't Afford Higher Rates

Good afternoon,

Please place the attached emails in CORRESPONDENCE – Consumers & Representatives in docket 20250011

Thank you.

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From: tim godwin <tsjm32@hotmail.com> **Sent:** Tuesday, December 31, 2024 8:02 PM

To: Office of Chairman La Rosa **Subject:** Latest FPL rate increases

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Hello,

I heard on the news that Florida power and light was asking for a rate increase for the next three years. I personally feel FPL is taking advantage of its customers and the public service commission. The customers of Florida are paying too much as it is. We wasn't paying no where near what we are now when the Southern Company had north west FL. Ever since FPL bought our area, the prices have skyrocketed and the customers are tired of their rate increases. Enough is enough. I was in the military and can recognize when someone is making a turd shine and this is one of those times. They are spending/wasting money on TV and radio advertising, it's not like I have a choice where I get my power from. If FPL keeps needing ridiculous increases, or increases often, sounds like whoever is running that company is irresponsible. NO TO RATE INCREASE.

V/R Timothy Godwin Milton Fl

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From: maylanow@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Manouchka Marcelus

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Sent: Sunday, December 1, 2024 6:12 AM

To: Office of Chairman La Rosa **Subject:** We Can't Afford Higher Rates

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Dear Mike LaRosa,

I am writing as a concerned Florida resident and customer of Florida Power & Light (FPL). I received notification that FPL intends to increase rates for their customers across the state, hurting the most vulnerable in our communities the most. We urge you to rethink this decision and not increase our bills.

This past year has been challenging and unrelenting, and folks have spent it worrying; worrying about the health and safety of their families and friends; worrying about finding work or being safe at work; worrying about the future of the business they built from the ground up; and worrying about making sure that they could keep the lights and heat on at home. For many of us, the pandemic has changed all of our lives in ways we'll still likely be grappling with long after the pandemic comes to an end.

Nevertheless, for some reason, corporate greed seems to be more important than the sustainability of our communities and our livelihood. This was evident when FPL, among several other power companies resumed closing customer accounts due to non-payment during the second wave of the pandemic. Now, they want to increase rates for their most vulnerable customers. We can't allow companies to continue taking advantage of working-class families, and luckily, you have the power NOW to stop this.

Our families need relief, real solutions to the climate crisis and fair and affordable utility rates. By raising prices, FPL is treating energy as a commodity when it's a necessity. We are demanding that Florida Power & Light halt this unfair plan and that Florida's Public Service Commission require FPL to maintain fair rates for their consumers, and prioritize the communities they serve.

Sincerely,
Ms Manouchka Marcelus
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