

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

SPECIAL COMMISSION CONFERENCE AGENDA

CONFERENCE DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, May 21, 2024, following
Hurricane Preparedness Workshop.

LOCATION: Betty Easley Conference Center, Joseph P. Cresse Hearing Room 148

DATE ISSUED: May 13, 2024

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CASE

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Docket No. 20240025-EI – Petition for rate increase by Duke Energy Florida, LLC.

Critical Date(s): None

Commissioners Assigned: All Commissioners

Prehearing Officer: Passidomo

Staff: ECO: Draper

AFD: Maurey

ENG: Ballinger

GCL: J. Crawford, Stiller, Thompson

(Motion for Reconsideration - Oral Argument Requested; Participation is at the Discretion of the Commission)

Issue 1: Should OPC’s Request for Oral Argument on its Motion for Reconsideration of Order No. PSC-2024-0092-PCO-EI be granted?

Recommendation: No. Staff believes that the pleadings are sufficient on their face for the Commission to evaluate and rule on the Motion. However, if the Commission wants to exercise its discretion to hear oral argument, staff recommends that 5 minutes per side is sufficient.

Issue 2: Should Reconsideration of Order No. PSC-2024-0092-PCO-EI or a continuance of this proceeding be granted?

Recommendation: No. Reconsideration should be denied because the request for reconsideration fails to raise a point of fact or law that the Prehearing Officer overlooked or failed to consider in rendering their decision. A continuance should not be granted as OPC has failed to provide adequate grounds for doing so, in contravention of the statutory time frames established by Section 366.06(3), F.S.

Issue 3: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: No. This docket should remain open pending the Commission’s final resolution of DEF’s requested permanent base rate increase.

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CASE

2 **Docket No. 20240026-EI** – Petition for rate increase by Tampa Electric Company.

Critical Date(s): None

Commissioners Assigned: All Commissioners

Prehearing Officer: Clark

Staff: ECO: Draper
 AFD: Maurey
 ENG: Ballinger
 GCL: Harper, Sparks, Marquez

(Motion for Reconsideration - Oral Argument Requested; Participation is at the Discretion of the Commission)

Issue 1: Should OPC’s Request for Oral Argument on its Motion for Reconsideration of Order No. PSC-2024-0096-PCO-EI be granted?

Recommendation: No. Staff believes that the pleadings are sufficient on their face for the Commission to evaluate and rule on the Motion. However, if the Commission wants to exercise its discretion to hear oral argument, staff recommends that 5 minutes per side is sufficient.

Issue 2: Should Reconsideration of Order No. PSC-2024-0096-PCO-EI or a continuance of this proceeding be granted?

Recommendation: No. Reconsideration should be denied because the request for reconsideration fails to raise a point of fact or law that the Prehearing Officer overlooked or failed to consider in rendering their decision. A continuance should not be granted as OPC has failed to provide adequate grounds for doing so, in contravention of the statutory times frames established by Section 366.06(3), F.S.

Issue 3: Should this docket be closed?

Recommendation: This docket should remain open pending the Commission’s final resolution of TECO’s requested permanent base rate increase.