



FPSC Highlights National Consumer Protection Week

Consumer protections are a priority at the Florida Public Service Commission (FPSC) and each spring the FPSC reinforces this by celebrating National Consumer Protection Week (NCPW). This year, during NCPW's 20th anniversary, March 4-10, Commissioner Gary Clark accompanied FPSC staff to a community event in his hometown of Chipley, Florida to help consumers avoid scams and fraud, conserve water and energy, and manage utility bills.

During his presentation, Commissioner Clark explained how consumers can learn about the FPSC and its proceedings. He also shared FPSC consumer brochures to help event participants learn about the federal Lifeline Assistance telephone/broadband discount program and other relevant topics.

He also discussed the importance of having an energy audit to assess how much energy your home consumes and to evaluate what measures you can take to make your home more energy efficient. An audit, he said, will identify problems that may, when corrected, reduce your energy bill and save you money over time.

Commissioner Clark said he spent the majority of his professional career at West Florida Electric, where he served as the Vice President of Member Services. As an FPSC Commissioner, he remains passionate about consumers and their issues.

During NCPW, the FPSC also held consumer events in Hillsborough and Leon Counties.

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