

Sandra Soto

From: Sandra Soto on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Monday, January 30, 2017 8:46 AM
To: 'Kayla Niquet'
Subject: RE: Docket # 160186-EI

Good morning Ms. Niquet,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 160186-EI and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Sincerely,

Sandra Soto
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From: Kayla Niquet [<mailto:madysma22@gmail.com>]
Sent: Saturday, January 28, 2017 4:08 PM
To: Records Clerk
Subject: Docket # 160186-EI

To whom it may concern,

I have recently found out about Gulf Power wanting a 155 percent increase in base rates. As a customer and citizen it is extremely troublesome that my electric bill will be increasing for no reason of my own. I do not experience any power outages to constitute paying that much over. Unless they're asking me to pay for other peoples outages, which is by no means my responsibility or fault. It still does not justify that much of an increase. They also make enough money through the monopoly that they have here, that we shouldn't have to increase our bills at all. As a single parent, every single penny counts. Please take into consideration that the majority of the single parents are living with bare minimum and increasing rates for a utility that is mandatory for living could have dire repercussions for the single parents in our community. I hope and pray this request for their increased rates is not approved. Thank you so much.

Sincerely,
Kayla Niquet