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From: Nickalus Holmes on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2019 4:45 PM
To: 'Les Claxton'
Cc: Consumer Contact
Subject: RE: Docket 20190038| Comments from a Panhandle resident and Gulf Power consumer

Good Afternoon Mr. Claxton,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20190038-EI and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you!

Sincerely,

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-----Original Message-----

From: AARP [<mailto:aarpwebact@action.aarp.org>]
Sent: Thursday, February 14, 2019 3:43 PM
To: Records Clerk
Subject: Docket 20190038| Comments from a Panhandle resident and Gulf Power consumer

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Public Service Commission PSC PSC
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Dear Public Service Commission PSC,

As a Floridian age 65, along with financial hardships from Hurricane Michael, as well as skyrocketing healthcare and minimal increases in Social Security, an increase in monthly bills add up for people, like myself, who are on fixed incomes.

This proposed increase will have a direct impact of about \$75.00 based on my 2018 usage. Even a \$75.00 increase for me and my wife will be a

noticeable impact.

I ask you to find other ways to fund these repairs. Over the next five years, there may be other similar storms. Would that mean additional \$8.00 surcharges per 1,000 kwh?

I would agree to a surcharge if it meant you were not hanging wire on poles. The coastal area needs to have more buried power and cable lines. That is one way to reduce the storm impact on the electric distribution.

Thanks for your consideration,

Sincerely,

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