

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 6

VOTE SHEET

July 9, 2019

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- Docket No. 20180144-EI – Review of 2019-2021 storm hardening plan, Florida Power & Light Company.
- Docket No. 20180145-EI – Review of 2019-2021 storm hardening plan, Tampa Electric Company.
- Docket No. 20180146-EI – Review of 2019-2021 storm hardening plan, Duke Energy Florida, LLC.
- Docket No. 20180147-EI – Review of 2019-2021 storm hardening plan, Gulf Power Company.
- Docket No. 20180148-EI – Review of 2019-2021 storm hardening plan, Florida Public Utilities Company.

**Issue 1:** Should the Commission approve Florida Power and Light’s 2019-2021 storm hardening plan filed in Docket No. 20180144-EI?

**Recommendation:** Yes. FPL’s updated plan is largely a continuation of its current Commission-approved plan. A review of FPL’s plan shows that it has the information required by the Commission’s rule and orders. Staff notes that approval of FPL’s plan does not mean approval for cost recovery. FPL should consider the rate impact before taking proactive steps to improve its system to withstand severe weather events.

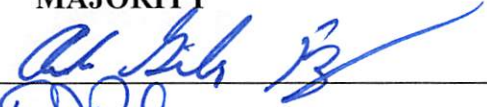
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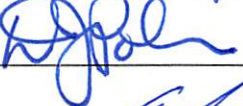
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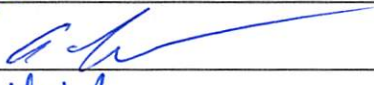
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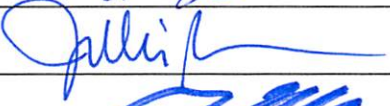

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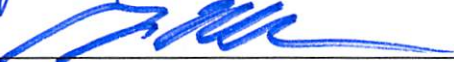

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REMARKS/DISSENTING COMMENTS:

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**Issue 2:** Should the Commission approve Tampa Electric Company’s 2019-2021 storm hardening plan filed in Docket No. 20180145-EI?

**Recommendation:** Yes. TECO updated plan is largely a continuation of its current Commission-approved plan. A review of TECO’s plan shows that it has the information required by the Commission’s rule and orders. Staff notes that approval of TECO’s plan does not mean approval for cost recovery. TECO should consider the rate impact before taking proactive steps to improve its system to withstand severe weather events.

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**Issue 3:** Should the Commission approve Duke Energy Florida, LLC’s 2019-2021 storm hardening plan filed in Docket No. 20180146-EI?

**Recommendation:** Yes. DEF’s updated plan is largely a continuation of its current Commission-approved plan. A review of DEF’s plan shows that it has the information required by the Commission’s rule and orders. Staff notes that approval of DEF’s plan does not mean approval for cost recovery. DEF should consider the rate impact before taking proactive steps to improve its system to withstand severe weather events.

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**Issue 4:** Should the Commission approve Gulf Power Company’s 2019-2021 storm hardening plan filed in Docket No. 20180147-EI?

**Recommendation:** Yes. Gulf’s updated plan is largely a continuation of its current Commission-approved plan. A review of Gulf’s plan shows that it has the information required by the Commission’s rule and orders. Staff notes that approval of Gulf’s plan does not mean approval for cost recovery. Gulf should consider the rate impact before taking proactive steps to improve its system to withstand severe weather events.

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**Issue 5:** Should the Commission approve Florida Public Utilities Company's 2019-2021 storm hardening plan filed in Docket No. 20180148-EI?

**Recommendation:** Yes. FPUC's updated plan is largely a continuation of its current Commission-approved plan. A review of FPUC's plan shows that it has the information required by the Commission's rule and orders. Staff notes that approval of FPUC's plan does not mean approval for cost recovery. FPUC should consider the rate impact before taking proactive steps to improve its system to withstand severe weather events.

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**Issue 6:** Should these dockets be closed?

**Recommendation:** Yes. At the conclusion of the protest period, if no protest is filed these dockets should be closed upon the issuance of the consummating orders. Separate orders will be issued for each docket to reflect the Commission's vote. For each such order, if no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the respective docket's order, that docket should be closed upon issuance of a separate consummating order. A protest by an affected person in a docket will not preclude the non-protested dockets from closing.

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