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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 3:47 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

As we struggle with a global pandemic, an economic crisis, and an active hurricane season, it is not the time to create more uncertainty by signaling a change in solar policies that are helping to make our state a leader in clean solar power and providing good paying local jobs.

At the start of 2020, Florida was ranked 4th in the nation for solar energy production, employing thousands of people and powering the Sunshine State with clean, affordable, homegrown energy. The economic downturn has already put many of these jobs and future solar development at risk - we don't need sudden regulatory changes in solar policies to create even more uncertainty here in Florida.

Our current net metering rule allows a number of Floridians to grow a segment of the solar market by choosing to power their homes and businesses with Florida's number one natural resource, sunshine. Florida citizens and customers overwhelmingly support the current successful net metering policy allowing compensation for the solar energy they generate and provide to the electricity grid.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

Sincerely,  
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**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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USA - Lets not get left behind as the world turns to Solar - Amid a public health and economic crisis, it's clear that Florida's electric utilities should be doing a whole lot more to promote rooftop solar - a known job creator that keeps money in families' pockets.

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Florida has sunshine most of the year. Why solar is not mandated is almost criminal. Solar should be encouraged everywhere. It's good for business and it's good for the environment.

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Sincerely,  
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The utility monopolies are always crying that they lose money from those that have solar power yet they are the only companies that have a guaranteed rate of return instead of floating with the economy like all other industries. They use every reason under the sun to charge their customers for every expense they can to minimize their costs so they can keep their profits high - this time should not be one of them. Their reasoning that low income families will be hurt because they subsidize solar powered homes is ridiculous due to the low number of those homes - only 1% of the power generated in 2019.

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Sincerely,  
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**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

Don't fight solar, support it! Our future depends on it. Your statutes both allow and encourage it. Tell the utilities firmly NO, we're not opening this can of worms...and we want you to come up with ways to expand solar, not block it.

Solar creates jobs, reduces power bills, and helps clean the air and water while protecting our climate. These benefits are especially needed in the current Amid a public health and economic crisis.

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**From:** sacedric@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Bruce Carrick  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 2:27 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

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As someone who worked in the oil and gas industry for many years, and who has lost their job as a result of COVID-19, I believe switching more of our power to renewables is not only good for the planet, but for the economy.

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Sincerely,  
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I am 75 years old, have gone blind in my left eye, my nest egg is gone and I am paying almost \$300 a month for my electric bill in a 2 bedroom mobile home. My SS widows benefits would go a lot farther if i had solar so please do everything to keep solar in place. I am working on getting solar but it will take time.

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Sincerely,  
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Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

Here are my thoughts to add to the comments below:

Florida is in a unique position to benefit from solar power since we enjoy so much sunny weather - and Florida also has steeply increasing electricity needs due to the influx of population and industry to our state, as well as increased popularity of electric cars.

Rooftop solar panels, photovoltaic glass in windows, skylights and footpaths, and any other new technologies that produce electricity from solar power should be required in all new buildings (both commercial and residential) and older buildings should be transitioned to solar with incentives such as tax credits and subsidies.

It's confusing to me that Florida isn't already a leader in developing universal solar power - but now there's no excuse. The cost of photovoltaics as well as storage batteries has come down; the appearance is much more acceptable (solar roof shingles that are indistinguishable from conventional roofing), etc.

IF all buildings were converted to rooftop solar, there would not be the need to create "solar farms" on wild land -- and we need to preserve our wild lands and continue restoring them, especially the Everglades and the areas from Orlando and Lake Okeechobee south that feed the Everglades. Human life cannot continue without wildlife, all the way from insects that pollenate our food crops to scavengers who feed on what otherwise would rot all around us, to the plants that feed wildlife and filter water that becomes our clean drinking water, to the trees and grasslands that take carbon out of the air and produce the oxygen we need to breathe.

Over the last century, the electric utilities have profited abundantly from providing power which has become a necessity and not a luxury. And, in recent decades, for-profit entities have become degraded by the race for profits, at the expense of their workers, communities and environment, and producing the current extremes of wealth inequality.

Encouraging roof top solar power and energy self-sufficiency is a matter of national security and community security in many ways.

First of all, power outages, disrupting the electric grid remain a target of the US's enemies and rogue terrorists - not to mention hurricanes, natural disasters, heat waves. Having roof top solar assures homeowners, businesses and essential services like hospitals, TV/radio broadcasters, fire stations and police that their power will not go out, AND allows for the excess generated to go to the utilities relieving the excess need.

Secondly, civil unrest over financial crisis is now a real threat. Allowing for energy self sufficiency allows peace of mind for all of us.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 1:41 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Sincerely,  
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**From:** brobson@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Robert Robson Jr  
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**From:** eaf5054@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Elizabeth France <eaf5054@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 1:31 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

PLEASE KEEP THE SOLAR METERING SYSTEM. TO TAKE IT AWAY WOULD DISCOURAGE MANY HOMEOWNERS FROM GOING TO THE EXPENSE OF INSTALLING SOLAR ENRRGY. CLEAN ENERGY HELPS THE HEALTH OF PEOPLE AND OF THE EARTH.

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Sincerely,  
Elizabeth France  
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**From:** jamesj47@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jim Jackson <jamesj47@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 1:31 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

Florida should be a leader in expanding solar energy. I am a voting citizen of this state. As such, I have the right to generate solar energy on my property and offer any excess energy to go back on the power grid. I am opposed to electric utility companies and organizations dictating what I can and cannot do. The United States was founded on the principle of freedom and individual rights to all citizens. It was not founded to pander to corporations. You can check that out by reading history books.

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Sincerely,  
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**From:** fsumatt@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Matt Conrad  
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**From:** joecollins9@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Joseph Collins <joecollins9@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
Joseph Collins  
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**From:** pennykbw@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Penny Birch-Williams  
<pennykbw@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 1:22 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

I am a lifelong Florida resident of 60 years. We hope to install solar panels on our roof in the near future and we are strongly in favor of the current solar policies that help citizens. I urge the Commission to resist the power companies pressure to change policies to benefit the companies and their stockholders. Protect the citizens rights to solar energy benefits! Please!

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Sincerely,  
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**From:** tgonzale@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Tomas Gonzalez  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 1:21 PM  
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Sincerely,  
Tomas Gonzalez  
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**From:** kaitlinbockmeyer@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Kaitlin Bockmeyer  
<kaitlinbockmeyer@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
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**From:** soleral@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Al Soler  
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Sincerely,  
Al Soler  
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**From:** genejongsma@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Gene Jongsma  
<genejongsma@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 1:14 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
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Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

As a Florida resident and voter who powers his home with solar, I hope you will consider home solar users.

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Sincerely,  
Gene Jongsma  
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**From:** helokitys1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Sonja Hathaway <helokitys1@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
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Sincerely,  
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**From:** denformation@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of D H  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:58 PM  
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Sincerely,  
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Fort Pierce, FL 34945

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**From:** mg142@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Maralyn Grosswald <mg142@everyactioncustom.com>  
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**From:** segreen2@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of STEVEN GREEN <segreen2@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:55 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

I would like to voice my opposition to any changes to the current net metering policy in place in Florida. I have invested in a rooftop solar array to power my home under the premise that I will be reimbursed for the electricity I send back to the grid at a set rate. As you are likely aware, this initial investment is expensive and any change to the net metering policy that eliminates or reduces the return on that investment would be financially devastating. I urge you to consider this issue with fairness in mind. Please do not allow the utility companies to pull the rug out from under us.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration.

Sincerely,  
STEVEN GREEN  
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**From:** jradin2000@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jonathan Radin <jradin2000@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:50 PM  
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Sincerely,  
Jonathan Radin  
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**From:** gomerlu11@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Elsy Shallman <gomerlu11@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:52 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
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Elsy Shallman  
Loxahatchee, FL 33470



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**From:** cal@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Clarence Fox <cal@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:46 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
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Sincerely,  
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**From:** paulaym@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Paula Morgan  
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**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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**From:** maryesmart@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Smart  
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**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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My husband and I attended a meeting about a solar cooperative in our county. The only reason I wasn't interested in joining is that I learned that, if we had solar panels, we could not use that power our panels generated and a storage battery to maintain electricity during an outage.

But I believe strongly in solar -- in getting off of nonrenewable forms of energy.

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Sincerely,  
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**From:** doranne.spano@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Doranne Spano  
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Sincerely,  
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**From:** yeckmary2@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Yeck <yeckmary2@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
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**From:** Ifresquez2000@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Luis Fresquez <lfresquez2000@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:35 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

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Sincerely,  
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**From:** herickdeharo@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Herick de Haro Pineda  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:30 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

Dear Commissioners.

I have supported renewable energy since I was 16 years old and now I am 46, that is, for 40 years. About 3 years ago we put up panels at home, to our surprise not only did the cost of electricity increase, but we also increased property taxes. If that is an incentive? We are doomed. The program in my opinion is a scam and I would not recommend it to anyone. I call the company and they tell me it is the fault of FPL I call FPL and they tell me it is the fault of the company. It's a mafia

Sincerely,  
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**From:** molitar@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Marvin Gage  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:29 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
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What I do want to see is better regulations as I was taken by the Solar Seller and now can not get service on a product that I purchased on a 20 year loan on. These solar programs are great and all but please regulate this industry so people like me do not get cheated. I was lied to about the type of inverters they were installing and about the size of the system and the only option I have which is tough to do in this Covid situation is to sue the company.

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Sincerely,  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:28 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** I support Solar Choice in the Sunshine State - Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

As we struggle with a global pandemic, an economic crisis, and an active hurricane season, it is not the time to create more uncertainty by signaling a change in solar policies that are helping to make our state a leader in clean solar power and providing good paying local jobs.

At the start of 2020, Florida was ranked 4th in the nation for solar energy production, employing thousands of people and powering the Sunshine State with clean, affordable, homegrown energy. The economic downturn has already put many of these jobs and future solar development at risk - we don't need sudden regulatory changes in solar policies to create even more uncertainty here in Florida.

Our current net metering rule allows a number of Floridians to grow a segment of the solar market by choosing to power their homes and businesses with Florida's number one natural resource, sunshine. Florida citizens and customers overwhelmingly support the current successful net metering policy allowing compensation for the solar energy they generate and provide to the electricity grid.

Please protect the opportunity for business and homeowners to generate clean solar power and support local jobs by preserving our successful net metering rules here in Florida.

Sincerely,  
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**From:** ayj2@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Agnes Johnson <ayj2@everyactioncustom.com>  
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Sincerely,  
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**From:** glennwhitworthjr@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Wade Whitworth Jr  
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**From:** mjcannon@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Margaret J Cannon  
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**From:** munizrodriguezfirm@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Cristino Acevedo  
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**From:** cajemian@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Cynthia Ajemian  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:13 PM  
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**From:** corbettkroehler@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Corbett Kroehler  
<corbettkroehler@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:07 PM  
**To:** Office of Commissioner Fay  
**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

Dear Commissioner Andrew Giles Fay,

Adding a photovoltaic array to my home has been a sweeping benefit to my family budget, especially during the hot months. I have several neighbors who are equally thrilled with the improvement.

I wish to see my tax dollars used to EXPAND the adoption of solar in the Sunshine State, not impede it. It we are proud of our state's nickname, its public policy should share that pride!

Sincerely,  
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**From:** kafibo7@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Karen Bond <kafibo7@everyactioncustom.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:10 PM  
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**Subject:** Protect our solar rights! Docket: 2020-0000

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Karen Bond  
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**From:** obattat@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Ovid Battat  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2020 12:08 PM  
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