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From: Lorena Hollett on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2023 12:21 PM

To: 'ssue1995@gmail.com'
Cc: Consumer Contact

Subject: RE: Docket No. 20200181; Put us on a path to lower power bills through energy

efficiency

Good morning, Sue Safford.

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket No. 20200181, and forwarding your comments to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Regards,

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From: ssue1995@everyactioncustom.com <ssue1995@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 28, 2023 12:11 PM To: Records Clerk < CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>

Subject: Docket No. 20200181; Put us on a path to lower power bills through energy efficiency

Dear Florida PSC Commissioners,

We are paying power bills that are higher than ever. Just as we are dealing with higher housing costs and general inflation, we are being hit with record increases in charges for higher and volatile fuel costs on bills. This cannot go on! We just cannot keep up with these increases. There is hope, though, because there is a chance to pursue a better course that will lead to lower bills by adopting an energy efficient rule so that we hard working families can get greater access to energy saving programs.

Access to meaningful energy efficiency programs can help those customers who are most in need manage higher power bills. Additionally, using energy smarter saves the utility money by reducing the amount of fuel burned to generate electricity – an economic benefit for all customers. It's a win-win solution that can only be realized if you modernize your rule to discourage outdated practices that depress energy efficiency potential and reward energy waste.

Please adopt an energy efficiency rule that makes Florida a leader in capturing energy savings for families and businesses. Let's modernize our practices to put energy savings to work for Florida's families, businesses, and the state.

cc: Governor DeSantis

Sincerely, Sue Safford Tallahassee, FL 32301 ssue1995@gmail.com