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From: Betty Leland

Sent: Monday, November 6, 2023 10:00 AM **To:** Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: FW: Request for Public Meetings on Utility Rates

Good Morning:

Please place this email in Docket #20230000.

Thanks.

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Sent: Monday, November 06, 2023 9:12 AM
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Subject: Request for Public Meetings on Utility Rates

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Re: Request for Public Meetings on Utility Rates

Dear Art Graham,

Dear FL Public Service Commission, Hi, I am a Florida resident. I am writing to express my concern regarding our utility rates and to request that the Public Service Commission holds public meetings in counties directly impacted by your decisions. The PSC plays a critical role in deciding how much our utility companies can charge us. Yet Floridians are burdened with electricity bills that are 13% higher than the national average. I have four small children and cannot continue to afford increased utility rates. The recent ruling by Florida's Supreme Court mandates that the PSC prove why an increase of our utility rates is in the public's best interest. In order to accurately represent the interests of the people, the PSC must first understand the challenges and experiences faced by Floridians like me. Therefore, I request that the PSC organizes public meetings in all counties directly impacted by your decisions. Meeting us face-to-face will provide an opportunity for residents to share our experiences, concerns, and perspectives on utility rates. It is important that the PSC considers the views of all Floridians, particularly those who struggle with high energy costs. I firmly believe that the PSC should work diligently to ensure that utility rates are fair and just for all residents. Thank you for acting on this important issue, and I look forward to working together to achieve fair utility rates and accessible public meetings in our communities.

Sincerely, Audriana Edwards

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