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From: Hannah Barker

**Sent:** Thursday, May 27, 2021 11:22 AM **To:** Commissioner Correspondence

**Subject:** Docket Correspondence

Attachments: We Can't Afford Higher Rates; We Can't Afford Higher Rates; We Can't Afford Higher

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**Higher Rates** 

#### Good morning,

Please place the attached emails in Docket No. 20210015.

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From: ramirez.karinaf@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Karina Ramirez

<ramirez.karinaf@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 26, 2021 8:44 PM

**To:** Office of Chairman Clark **Subject:** We Can't Afford Higher Rates

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Sincerely,
Miss Karina Ramirez
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From: noemi@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of noemi lucero

<noemi@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 8:43 PM

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Sincerely,
Mrs. noemi lucero
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From: christinedolores@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Christine Tellez

<christinedolores@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 8:38 PM

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Sincerely,

Ms. Christine Tellez

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From: alifiqueroa2019@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alicia Figueroa <alifiqueroa2019

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Sincerely,
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From: jodylsfd@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of jody schenk

<jodylsfd@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 8:04 PM

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Sincerely,
Ms. jody schenk
6051 SW 12th St West Miami, FL 33144-5160 jodylsfd@aol.com

From: lcgibson01@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Lauren Gibson <lcgibson01

@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 26, 2021 8:03 PM

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Sincerely,
Ms. Lauren Gibson
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From: levine1955@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Alan Levine <levine1955

@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 26, 2021 7:55 PM

**To:** Office of Chairman Clark **Subject:** We Can't Afford Higher Rates

Dear Commissioner Gary F. Clark,

I am a customer of Florida Power & Light (FPL) and urge you to oppose its requested rate increase. The request is particularly shameful given the enormous impact of the pandemic on poor and vulnerable communities in Florida. The Florida Public Service Commission is the guardian of the interests of Florida's citizens. Those interests cannot be subordinated to FPL's desire for increased profits.

This inexcusable demand for a rate increase should be flatly rejected.

Sincerely, Alan Levine

Sincerely, Mr. Alan Levine 910 Bay Dr Apt 33 Miami Beach, FL 33141-5640 levine1955@gmail.com

From: mogaalf@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Monique Alfonso

<mogaalf@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Ms. Monique Alfonso
6530 Kendale Lakes Dr Miami, FL 33183-1823 mogaalf@gmail.com

From: unityact2@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Patrick McCann <unityact2

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 7:40 PM

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Sincerely,
Mr. Patrick McCann
6445 Cypress Ln Lake Worth, FL 33462-2035 unityact2@aol.com

From: brendaingram09@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Brenda Ingram

<bre>cbrendaingram09@everyactioncustom.com>

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Sincerely,
Mrs. Brenda Ingram
16920 NW 40th Ave Miami Gardens, FL 33055-4507 brendaingram09@gmail.com

From: b4qurl1@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Mary Graham <b4qurl1

@everyactioncustom.com>

Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 7:08 PM

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Sincerely,
Miss Mary Graham
MIRAMAR Hollywood, FL 33025
b4gurl1@outlook.com

From: effym35@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Efrain Morantes <effym35

@everyactioncustom.com>

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 26, 2021 7:07 PM

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Sincerely, Mr. Efrain Morantes 4942 White Mangrove Way E Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312-4912 effym35@gmail.com

From: clarkemargarette@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Margarette Clarke

<clarkemargarette@everyactioncustom.com>

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Ms. Margarette Clarke

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<jabaribrad@everyactioncustom.com>

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11266 SW 166th Ter Miami, FL 33157-2722 jabaribrad@aol.com

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Mr. Brant Kirby
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Frankeecheckerz@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Jennifer Ogle

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2987 Bonaventure Cir Apt 203 Palm Harbor, FL 34684-4734 Frankeecheckerz@aol.com

From: dephanie1984@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Dephanie Davis <dephanie1984

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From: micanopylady@everyactioncustom.com on behalf of Eileen Farr

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Sent: Wednesday, May 26, 2021 6:37 PM

**To:** Office of Chairman Clark **Subject:** We Can't Afford Higher Rates

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Our families need relief, real solutions to the climate crisis and fair and affordable utility rates. By raising prices, FPL is treating energy as a commodity when it's a necessity. We are demanding that Florida Power & Light halt this unfair plan and that Florida's Public Service Commission require FPL to maintain fair rates for their consumers, and prioritize the communities they serve.

Sincerely,
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