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From: Office of Commissioner Fay

Sent: Monday, August 9, 2021 10:35 AM

To: Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: FW: TECO energy increase

Please place the email below in Docket No. 20210034

Thanks

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From: ddurfee09@gmail.com [mailto:ddurfee09@gmail.com]

Sent: Saturday, August 07, 2021 7:13 AM

To: Office of Commissioner Fay **Subject:** TECO energy increase

Good morning;

The desire to go green with over 20% rate increase is not in the utility customers best interest. Why.

There is not one working person in Tampa that receive a 20% increase to pay this rate increase. This is not in the public interest. TECO is not operating efficiently just look at the management structure and executive get too much compensation.

As far as solar energy, can't we take a page out of the Texas experience with solar.... While they had an ice storm we have hurricanes.... Those panels are not case harden like a generator run by natural gas.

Also the environment impact of making these panels in China is not a green alternative.

Please don't give them this increase.

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