Hiep Nguyen

From:	Hiep Nguyen on behalf of Records Clerk
Sent:	Thursday, October 20, 2022 9:32 AM
То:	'slkwright@yahoo.com'
Subject:	RE: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

Good morning Kathleen Wright,

We will be placing your comments below in consumer correspondence in Docket Number 20220001-EI, and forwarding them to the Office of Consumer Assistance and Outreach.

Thank you,

Hiep Nguyer

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From: Kathleen Wright <info@email.actionnetwork.org>
Sent: Thursday, October 20, 2022 6:03 AM
To: Records Clerk <CLERK@PSC.STATE.FL.US>
Subject: Docket No. 20220001-EI: Reject the new electric rate hikes!

Florida Public Service Commission Clerk,

Docket No. 20220001-EI

I am writing as a concerned Florida resident, senior citizen and an electricity customer. I received notification that FPL, Duke and Tampa Electric intend to increase rates for customers like me. I am urging you to reject these proposals and not increase our bills by the amounts they are requesting.

This past year has been extremely challenging financially for many people in the state of Florida while it was very profitable for the utilities. A double digit rate increase is the last thing we need, especially for vulnerable folks who may be on a fixed income or struggling to recover financially from the pandemic. We are all inundated with price increases on everything, but a much more moderate rate increase would be more appropriate.

I urge you to reject these rate increases at this time.

Your own mission of setting fair rates and balancing the needs of the citizens of Florida and the utility companies has never been more important.

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