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Memorandum

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Re: Gail Larson
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Notes: First Energy's case 10-01760EL-ATA, filed February 12, 2010, will not help us enough. Just capping the increases at 20% will not correct this winter's excessive costs due to the Distribution Related Component's Tariff which allows them to charge us a premium for KWHs used over 500. Besides, if they can increase our rates 20% every year, the all-electric homes will join all the other abandoned homes out here in Ashtabula county. The PUCO has created a financial hardship on us and all the other all-electric homes by approving First Energy's recent rate increase request. Please help us now! Additionally, I do not believe First energy had to charge non-all-electric homes a premium because the all-electric homes were discounted. Did those folks get a reduced bill, then, in the past few months because they were no-longer "subsidizing". I know we did not get a reduced bill and we have been paying standard rates since we purchaced our home. First energy is making money on everyone. Do not let them increase rates on small-business with this suterfuge.

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