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We are writing to ask why we are being discriminated against. Everyone is getting the all-electric home discount except those of us who helped the economy, First Energy/Ohio Edison & the builders by building an all-electric home after Jan. 07.

Homeowners who have received the discount for years still get it, plus if they sell their homes, the new buyer also gets it. Why is that granted when 1st time home owners like us who built in Feb 08 do not qualify? Please tell us how that is fair. One street over from us & the same type cluster built in 2006 have the discount. If we would sell our home & one on the next street is for sale, we would have zero chance to compete for the sale & our property value greatly declines through absolutely no fault of ours.

This is completely unfair to be singled out as the only group of home owners not qualified for the discount & it is unbelievable that this discrimination is allowed.

Our home is 1924 sq. ft, kept at 67° all winter, 2 adults, no dogs going in & out, no ice-maker in freezer, 2 - 32" TVs & minimum computer use, & our winter bills are close to \$300.⁰⁰ per month. Certainly you would have to agree this is way out of line.

It's very disappointing that we are the victims of this pure discrimination and it is very necessary that the representatives in Ohio

Who are supposed to prevent unfair practices
step up & fight for the same rates and same
discounts for AHL ^{all} electric homeowners. That's
the only fair way, equal rates for all.

When forced with unfair treatment by
a monopoly, we must depend on our elected
officials for our only source of help. So we
are asking you to please accomplish this
for us, we absolutely need your help.

Thank you very much
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