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We Want Cost-Effective Energy Efficiency 10-503-EL-FOR

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Please protect my electricity rates and Ohio's future!

Duke Energy is proposing to build an expensive nuclear power facility; yet the company fails to properly estimate the amount of low-cost energy efficiency in Ohio.

Unless and until Duke Energy seriously achieves all economically available energy efficiency and renewable energy, a new, expensive nuclear facility should be completely off limits.

Energy efficiency costs on average 3 cents per kwh; while nuclear energy will cost upwards of 15 cents per kwh; we can't afford to leave any low cost energy efficiency on the table, unutilized.

Please ensure that Duke Energy properly estimates, examines, and captures all the cost effective energy efficiency options available before looking to expensive, new alternatives generation.

I look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,

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