

Attn Case NO 14-0841-ELSSO

11/7/2014

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

I am writing to you about this important issue. I am greatly concerned with reducing air pollution, helping to save money on my electricity costs and working toward providing cleaner energy sources. In these hard economic times, my family shouldn't have to pay Duke Energy to continue to pollute our air with outdated technology. We need your support and we need Duke Energy to be held accountable to us, their customers!

Respectfully,

Paula Harrison

Paula Harrison

5651 Bristol Ct

Mason, OH 45040

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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
ATTN: Case No. 14-0840-EL-560
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Oh. 43215

Sirs:

I cannot and will not support Duke Energy's effort to make customers pay their outdated coal plants. To me, that is a cost of doing business.

I understand that Ohio has the third worst air quality in the U.S. This is unacceptable. I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

This bailout would cause all of our rates to go up, no matter what energy company we buy from.

Most other companies set aside monies for updating technologies and business practices. Why should Public Utilities be different? Duke Energy and other utilities must be held accountable to their customers not their shareholders.

Robert D. Inghoff
5529 Homestead Lane
Mason, Ohio 45040

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

This letter is to inform you that I do not believe my family and I should be paying for your old coal plants. That cost should come out of your profits. I would like to see you spend some more money on cleaner sources of energy as well.

I do not want to pay higher rates so you can not hurt your bottom line for the stockholders. Please be responsible and take care of the environment with the resources you already receive from selling electricity & gas. BE Leaver if that is what needs to happen!

Barley Zandy
5972 Homocraft Ln, Mason OH 45040

M-H Contractor
5942 Homestead Lane
Marion
OH 45040

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: Case No: 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 E Broad St
Columbus
OH 43215


11/7/14

Dear PUCO,

I am writing to request that Duke Energy should not get a bailout to subsidize their old coal plants. As a concerned citizen, I want to reduce air pollution for all of us.

Thanking you.

Sincerely,



(MARCUS H. CONTRACTOR)

November 7, 2014

Jennifer Braun
5859 Homecrest Lane
Mason, OH 45040

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Public Utilities Commission:

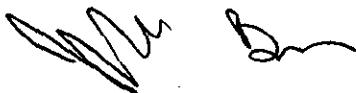
The purpose of this letter is to express my concerns about First Energy and Duke Energy requesting financial bailouts. The cost of energy is something that is being leveraged in the marketplace all over the United States. There is no reason that the customers in our region should be required to pay higher prices for our energy purchases from old power plants that are not as efficient as newer ones.

Additionally, it is important to my family that there be a reduction of pollution in the creation of energy. We are a family of 5 that tries to live responsibly not wasting energy and we desire to live in a state that has clean air to breathe.

Duke needs to not only be concerned with their bottom line and their shareholders. Please hold Duke Energy accountable to providing their customers with the best price energy.

Thank you for your consideration in denying the requests of First Energy and Duke for financial bailouts.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Jennifer Braun', written in a cursive style.

Jennifer Braun



November 7, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom it May Concern:

Supporting Duke's outdated coal plants
doesn't make sense to me.

I think it makes much more sense to
support clean energy instead for
our electricity. This will reduce
air pollution which is something I
think we should all care about.

Thank You

Mike Medina
6616 Lilly Pad Ct.
Mason, OH 45040

P. Searles
6351 Timbers Ct.
Mason, OH 45040

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

I care about this issue because I like to maintain and reduce energy prices, improve energy security, drive US employment, and reduce air pollution. I encourage you to invest in energy improvements that reduce greenhouse and smog production as listed below.

- 1) Accelerate scale-up and expansion of the Clean Coal technology currently being leveraged at your Cliffside facility in North Carolina. Additional support and adoption for The Ohio State University's successful research into Clean Coal Technology developed by Liang-Shih Fan. This technology turns the use of coal into a chemical reaction that harnesses >99% of potential energy from coal and significantly reduces emissions versus current technology.
- 2) Accelerate Nuclear power expansion through partnership with GE to build new and modernize the nuclear power facilities throughout the US. By partnering with a US based facility you will grow US jobs and have better access to local engineering expertise. Nuclear power will dramatically reduce the need for consumption of natural resources and improve energy security by enabling conservation of natural resources.
- 3) Finally, I encourage you to accelerate the modernization of the US power grid to more efficiently deliver power thereby reducing generation requirements while improving the grid security.

Thank you,
P. Searles

Gail Handes

6413 Timbers Ct.
Mason, OH 45040
November 6, 2014

Public Utilities Comm. of Ohio
attention case No. 14-0841-ELSSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom It May Concern,

I am against the bail out for Duke
energy. Our rates do not need to increase.
It will be a hardship on many families!

There also needs to be cleaner energy
sources for the environment.

Thank you!

Gail Handes

November 6, 2014

Attention Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

Dear PUCO,

I am writing this letter because I am concerned that Ohio coals plants are not taking measures to ensure our air is safe for breathing! They are polluting the air with outdated equipment. The state of Ohio is already known as terrible place to live if you have asthma or allergies and the fact that some of our coal factories are outdated and expecting customers to pay for the bailout is unacceptable! It is my understanding that Duke Energy is one of the largest contributors to the serious issue with our health!

I do not agree with Duke Energy's proposal to pass on the cost to consumers especially when they are not fixing the problem!!

Kathleen Frericks

5202 Harvestdale Dr.

Mason, OH 45040

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kathleen Frericks". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name and address.

FROM

RAMA RAGHAVA

6388 TIMBERS CT

MASON OH 45040

TO

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attn: Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 E. Broad St.
Columbus OH 43215

I'd like to ~~reduce~~ ^{see the} air pollution ^{reduced} by making
Duke update their outdated power plants and
have them invest in cleaner energy sources.

Thanks,

Rama

11/6/2014

Subject: Ohio Air Pollution & Coal-fired Power Plants

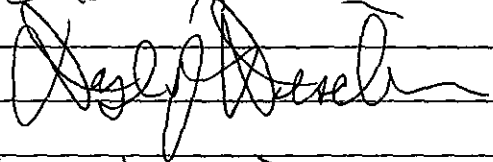
ATTN Case NO.

To: PUCO 14-0841-EL-SSO

As a citizen of the state of Ohio and an everyman of the world, I am alarmed at Duke Energy's behavior regarding extended of their coal-fired power plants. It is well-known that the toxic gases, including release of CO_2 & Methane, contribute to climate change. This is well-accepted by greater than 99% of weather climate scientists. I fully support this position and demonstrate my resolve by conservation and maximizing utilization of alternative fuels (natural gas & wind). My hope, frankly my expectation, of my energy supplier does the same.

Stop the use of coal. Support cheaper & environmental friendly alternative energy. Only then can we begin to see a slowing of the collection of these toxic pollutants in our atmosphere, and hopefully a reversal of climate change.

Sincerely,



Daryl J. Dicker

513-237-5176

11/6/14

TO: the PUCO

Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

Please do not bailout Duke's outdated
Coal plants.

Hyeslin Helligrath
5330 CRIMSON GLORY PL
MASON, OH 45040

Duke energy needs to be held accountable to their customers because

- I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill.

- My family and I should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air.

- This bailout would cause all of our rates to go up no matter what energy bill we pay from.

- My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bill by supporting clean energy instead.

5151 Harvestdale Dr.
Mason, OH 45040

Ron Khurana
5337 Lofton Ct
Mason, OH 45040

November 6, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am disappointed Duke Energy is still trying to take a short-term approach to meeting Ohio's energy needs, by trying to prolong the use of fossil fuels such as coal. Coal is responsible for over 20% of the carbon dioxide build-up which is causing global climate change.

I care about this issue because our country is already paying billions on dollars trying to help people with weather calamities such as hurricanes, tornadoes, and floods. Keeping these old plants running only makes things worse by adding toxins to the environment. Duke Energy must take a longer term approach to Ohio's energy needs by seeking out renewable or lower carbon producing sources. It may cost a bit more but it is better for Ohio residents in the long run.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ron Khurana".

Ron Khurana

Rhea Khurana
5337 Lofton Ct
Mason, OH 45040

November 6, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Sir/Madam,

Duke Energy should not spend money prolonging the use of fossil fuels such as coal. I want to reduce air pollution and save money on the electric bill in the long run by investing properly now.

My family and I care reducing toxic pollution. Duke Energy's current policy conflicts with this approach.

Sincerely,

Rhea Khurana

Rhea Khurana

Bernhard Weber

6640 Shady Oak Lane, Mason OH 45040 | 5134075915 | bernhard.weber@gmx.net

November 6, 2014


Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear PUCO:

I care about this issue because I do not want outdated coal technology to pollute our air. I am appalled at the superficial argumentation used to defend antediluvian technology while hindering needed progress in Renewables. I would like to be able to be proud of the country I live in and not be humbled and put to shame by far more foresight and leadership by Europe or even increasingly China in the matter.

It is time for us to do the right thing!

Sincerely,



Bernhard Weber

Attn Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

We care about the issue of bailing out Duke's outdated coal plants because I am concerned about our clean air and believe our man-made pollution contributes to global warming.

We feel it extremely important not to freeze Ohio's renewable energy standards and not bailout Duke Energy's use of outdated and expensive coal plants.

We want our utilities to provide cleaner alternative energy sources.

Duke Customers

Dr. Michael Schaen and Mrs. Jewel Schaen

Dr. Michael Schaen

Jewel Schaen

6619 Maiden grass Ln.
Mason, OH 45040

Nov. 6, 2014

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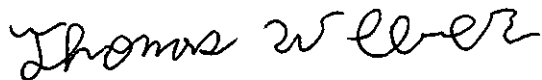
180 East Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Puco:

I care about the bailout issue because this effects everyone... in a negative way. The path that the Duke Energy Company is headed in now will increase pollution more, rates will go up, energy bills will increase, etc. Nothing positive comes out of this this for us, the consumers. Stop caring about only the shareholders and focus on the customers as a priority! Stop making excuses and **MAKE IMPROVMENTS!**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Thomas Weber".

Thomas Weber

Tara Khurana
5337 Lofton Ct
Mason, OH 45040

November 6, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Commission,

Duke Energy should not be taking a short-term approach to meeting Ohio's energy needs, by trying to prolong the use fossil fuels such as coal. Coal is responsible for over 20% of the carbon dioxide build-up which is causing global climate change.

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution, and want any utility improvement to be done with renewable or lower carbon producing energy sources.

Sincerely,

Tara Khurana

Tara Khurana

Penny Greenler
7917 Bayer Drive
West Chester, Ohio, 45069

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Case # 14-0841-El-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus Ohio 43215

Sirs:

I am writing to express my thoughts about this issue. I want to reduce air pollution and urge our utility companies to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

I have done everything I can to reduce my heating cost... extra insulation, upgraded windows and keep the house cooler in winter and don't even use my air-conditioning! Yet my costs are still rising.

Its time the utilities start finding cleaner energy. I should not have to pay for increasing rates while the utilities still use outdated technology.

Do not bailout Duke's outdated coal plants.

Sincerely



P. Greenler

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Nov. 5, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

I am writing To let you know that I do NOT want
a bailout for Duke Energy.

Duke Energy has been aware for years that they are one
of the most air polluting companies and have done very, very
little to stop the pollution.

Now that they are required to reduce pollution, they are
attempting to shift the cost to shareholders and consumers.
They have made huge profits at the expense of our air
and our health. Now Duke Energy alone must pay the
bill; not increased rates regardless of our energy company.

We must have clean air for better health and
reduced costs by using cleaner energy and technology.

Duke Energy must be held responsible and
accountable for the costs related to cleaning up their
outdated technology.

Janet Dietrich
1867 Hunters Ridge
West Chester, OH 45068
1-513-777-1246

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
I care about this issue because my
family and I should not have to pay for
Duke to continue polluting our air with
this outdated technology. I am paying
high rates in the summer and winter time.
I have a hard time keeping up with my
bills, Especially my Duke Energy bills. They
are getting higher and higher Every year.

Thank you
Joe Gammoh
7845 Kristen Dr.
Westchester, OH,
43069

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSD

11/5/14

Dear PUCO,

ATTN CASE NO: 14-0841-EZ-SS

I am writing to request you deny First Energy: Duke Energy any bailouts, free extensions, etc.

Where did we turn down the wrong road where asking for others to pay for business to run their business?

If I owned a manual machine shop and to compete in the market and/or meet regulations and standards, I needed to upgrade to CNC machines I wouldn't ask taxpayers to pay from the new, updated machines. My company would foot the bill as a cost of doing business.

If I ran a delivery service and my vans only got 15 miles to the gallon and new vans would get 22 miles per gallon: create less pollution, I wouldn't ask my customers to buy me a new van. I would plan and budget and ~~buy~~ buy as part of the cost of running my business, being a good steward of the environment and enhancing service to my customers.

People are trying to make ends meet: provide for their families. Helping a big business maintain their profits is not in my budget. Nor should it be.

Stop the madness. I'm accountable for my expenses. Make Duke: First Energy accountable for theirs.

Marty Lobaugh
6518 Middleshire Ct
West Chester OH 45069

6458 Foxview PL
West Chester, OH 45069
Attn case no 14-0841-EL-SSO

As a young individual I care about this issue because
It will affect my future in every aspect of my life.
I Enjoy spending time outside and with increased pollution,
Being out side will come with an unnecessary risk for
myself and , in the future, my children and childrens children.
It will also affect my career. As an Athletic Trainer,
I spend much of my day outside at practices dealing
with injured athletes. and If being outside becomes
hazardous to be in due to pollution my career
will also become in jeopardy.

Duke Energy needs to be held accountable
to thier customers and the people they affect
the most, not just thier shareholders.

We care about our environment. Isnt it about
time Duke should too ?

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of stylized, overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke at the bottom.

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

P.O.C.O

To whom it may concern,

I'm writing because I'm concerned about our states clean air, and the power company being involved in better contributing to the effort of making the air clean.

Our electric bill appears to be growing though our usage is decreasing. This is concerning.

My family should not have to pay for Duke electric to continue polluting our air with outdated technology.

Thank you for your attention.

Albert Harville

7868 Bayer Dr

West Chester, OH 45069

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

P.U.C.O

To whom it may concern,

I'm writing because I'm concerned about our states clean air, and the power company being involved in better contributing to the effort of making the air clean.

Our electric bill appears to be growing though our usage is decreasing. This is concerning.

My family should not have to pay for Duke electric to continue polluting our air with outdated technology.

Thank you for your attention.

Jonah Harville

7868 Bayer Dr
West Chester, Oh 45069

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

P.V.C.O

To whom it may concern,

I'm writing because I'm concerned about our states clean air, and the power company being involved in better contributing to the effort of making the air clean.

Our electric bill appears to be growing though our usage is decreasing. This is concerning.

My family should not have to pay for Duke electric to continue polluting our air with outdated technology.

Thank you for your attention.

Tami Harville

7868 Bayer Dr

West Chester, Oh 45069

Duke Energy / P.U.C.O
Attn: Case #: 14-0841; E1-SSO

I CARE ABOUT THIS ISSUE BECAUSE
THE IMPACT FINANCIALLY IS ON ME AS A CONSUMER
AND THAT COULD BE DEVASTATING IN THIS ECONOMY.
WE DO CARE ABOUT REDUCING TOXIC POLLUTION
AND SAVING MONEY. DUKE NEEDS TO CONSIDER THE
IMPACT ON ME AS A CONSUMER. DUKE, PLEASE STOP
POLLUTING OUR AIR WITH OUTDATED TECHNOLOGY.

Thomas P. MacDonald
7835 KRISTEN DR.

Public Utilities Commission
of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Duke Energy,

Please find ways to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. I have been underemployed for several years now, and the last thing we need is an increase in our electric bill. My family, my children and future grandchildren will benefit from less air pollution, so please do what you can without continuing to use outdated technology.

Sincerely,

Mary Beth Bauer
6581 Club Lane
West Chester, OH 45069

Mary Flick
8287 Miranda Place
W. Chester, OH 45069
(513) 779-4118

To: PUCO

From: Mary Flick

Subject: Case # 14-0841-EL-550

As a teacher of 36 year olds, I see the next generations of Ohioans. I want clean-renewable energy sources. I teach the children to reduce/reuse/recycle. Reducing pollution in all forms is important to protect our earth. I want clean air for my grandchildren to breath when they get born and for their life time.

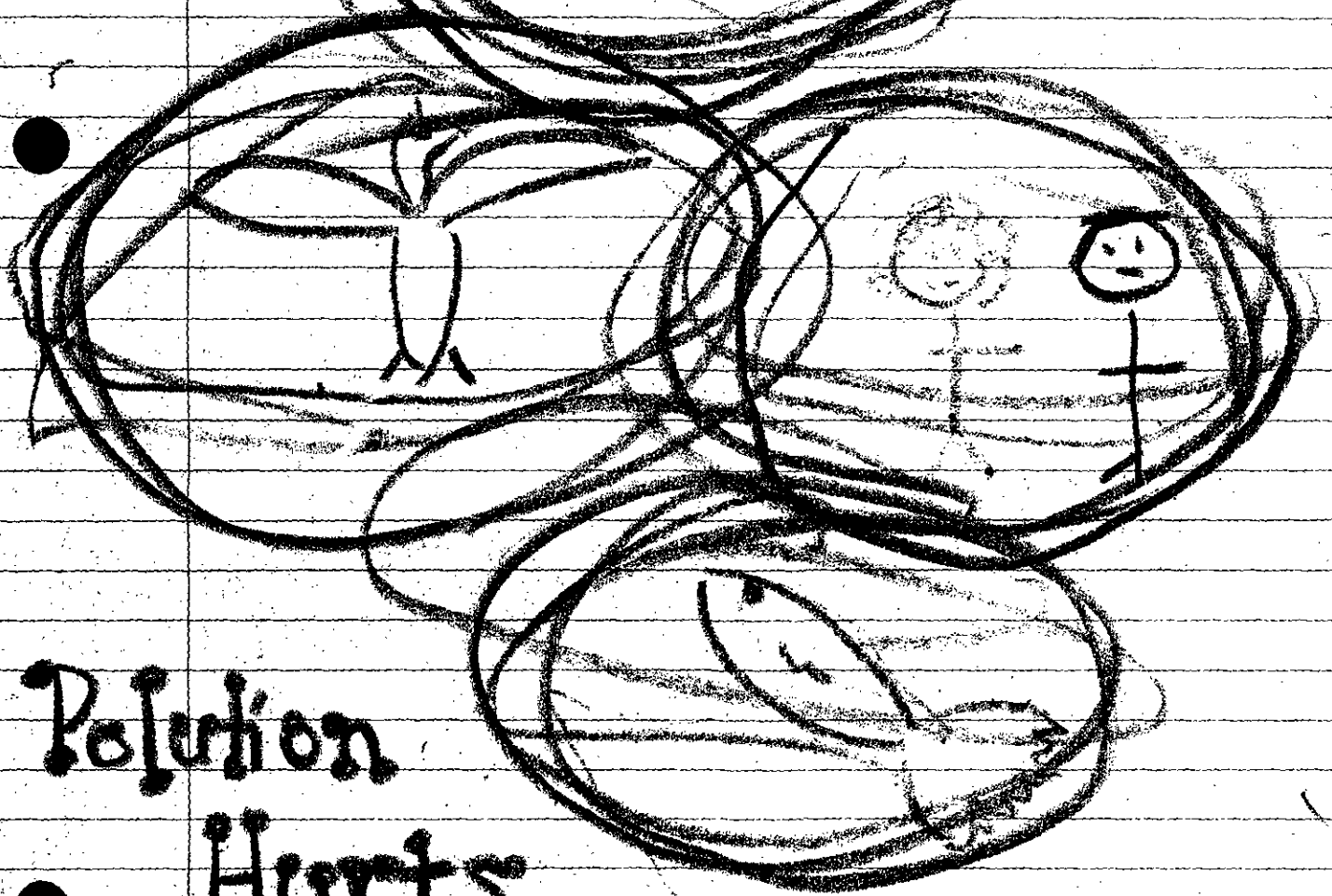
I work for a non-profit school and see cost going up much faster than my salary. I can't afford to have my utility rates go up to pay for old polluting energy plants. Please

Please care about our environment
as much as we do!

Please do not increase my energy
rates - I can't afford it.

Thank You!

Mary Flick



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● Hurts
Us All

#14-0841-EL-550
7892 Albrighton PL
West Chester OH 45069

I care about this issue because my family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. We need Duke energy to be held accountable to their customers - not their shareholders.

Attn: Case NO. 14-0841-EL-550

Courtney Herndon
7892 Albion Pl
West Chester OH 45069

Phillip Kennedy
6507 Middleshire Ct.
West Chester, OH 4506

Dear PUCO,

Regarding Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO, your proposal regarding the subsidies of monies to fund outdated coal power plants with Duke Energy, please veto this proposal.

Moving further into the 21st century we as a race need to focus on clean and renewable sources of energy. We should no longer invest into 19th Century energy standards. My family and I want to have a clean sustainable Earth for future generations and continuing with outdated coal based power is a step in the wrong direction.

Money aside, please look at the bigger picture. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Phillip Kennedy

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Ryan Helbling

Attention case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

6448 Foxview Place

180 East Broad Street

West Chester, OH

Columbus, OH 43215

45069

Dear PUCO,

Reducing air pollution is one of the most important issues facing Ohio and the world as a whole. Balling out Duke Energy's old and technologically outdated coal plants will continue to put harmful pollution and Carbon Dioxide into the atmosphere only worsening the problem of global warming. Duke need to update its coal plants with new technology to make them more efficient and cleaner for the environment. Denying them this bailout will also give them incentive to invest in renewable energy technology for the long-term outlook of the energy industry. This bailout will also force Ohio taxpayers to pay for these outdated plant which will cause all of our rates to go up. I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge out utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. That is why I ask the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio not give Duke energy this bailout.

Sincerely,


Ryan Helbling

PUBLIC UTILITIES Commission of Ohio:

I AM WRITING THIS LETTER BECAUSE MY FAMILY AND I SHOULD NOT HAVE TO PAY FOR DUKE TO CONTINUE POLLUTING OUR AIR WITH THIS OUTDATED TECHNOLOGY. WE CARE ABOUT REDUCING TOXIC POLLUTION AND SAVING MONEY ON OUR ELECTRIC BILLS BY SUPPORTING CLEAN ENERGY INSTEAD. DENY THIS REQUEST FOR FINANCIAL BAILOUT!

ERIC MARKEY
8193 GREY FOX DR
WEST CHESTER OH 45069

To whom it may concern.

My family and I should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology.

New technology should be invested to help to give future generation a better environment to live.

yours,

Mr. Ghem

6423 Tall Timbers Ct
Mason, OH 45040

ATTN case No 140841-EL-SSO

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No 14-0841-EL-SSO

I would like Duke Energy to stop raising our rates in Ohio. I would like them to use the best methods to ensure clean air. Federal standards are important to ensure that all states have clean air to preserve the country. Duke energy should use some of the outstanding profits to help the consumer and not put it in their pockets.

William Noonan

5250 Crimson Glory Place

Mason, Ohio 45040

I care about this issue because I want to reduce air pollution and save money on my electric bill.

- Kelly Kibler, 5578 Homecrest Ln. Mason OH 45040

Picture by Annalise

Case number 14-0841-EL-SSO

Public Utility Commission of Ohio

ATTN: Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

As a father of an 8 month old girl, husband, and former employee of Duke Energy I fully support renewable energy resources as traditional coal burning energy is not sustainable. I know the types of pollutants produced from coal burning units and that is not something I want my daughter to come in contact with. I would like to see PUCO deny this bailout request because by doing so it will not bring the sense of urgency to the utility companies to invest,

Sincerely,
Jake Barnhart
5435 Old Farm Dr
Mason, OH 45040

Kevin Wittman
9503 Fox Run Drive
Mason, Ohio 45040

November 7, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841 EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

To Whom It May Concern:

My family and I care about *reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills*. We would rather you hold Duke accountable to their customers and Ohioans that are exposed to the pollutants being expelled from their plants. My family and I support clean energy.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kevin Wittman', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Kevin Wittman

Dearest PUCO

CASE # 14-0841-EC-88

We want clean
energy instead

of toxic pollution
is very bad

We don't want
to pay DUK

for polluting
our air that

We cannot breathe
Please treat us
respected. Thank you

Judith

Ann

Huang

9362

Hempstead

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mission

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Caleb

I Care about this Cause because
I do not want to live in a air Polluted
place.

6053 Weber Oaks Dr.
Laurel, OH 45140

Attn: Case No. 14-0841-EL-550

11/5/14

To whom it may concern;

I am writing you about case 14-0841-EL-SB
because I care about having safe and
cost effective renewable energy in
Ohio. I want to urge our
utilities to provide affordable clean
air. we should stop subsidizing old
technology & get Duke to invest
in modern, renewable energy.

Sincerely,

Leon Meschulam

Leon Meschulam
6447 Leopard Ln
West Chester, OH 45069

FILE

Paul del Campo Hartman
9904 Winnebago Trail
Cincinnati, OH 45241

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PUCO

November 9, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

Dear Commission Members:

I have worked most of my life doing environmental consulting for industry and utilities. I am appalled that Duke Energy wants to continue to use old outdated technologies that release more emissions to the air than current air standards allow. Old plants can be retrofitted to add newer pollution controls to significantly reduce emissions. It is your job to be sure they follow the law and do the right thing.

Sincerely,



Paul del Campo Hartman
Environmental Engineer

Catherine Hartman
9904 Winnebago Trail
Cincinnati, OH 45241

November 9, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Re: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

Dear Representative:

Please deny the bailout for Duke Energy. The technology to reduce emissions has long been available, and Duke Energy has the financial means to implement better pollution controls. There is no justifiable reason to allow them to continue to operate dirty plants.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Catherine Hartman".

Catherine Hartman, CMHH
Environmental Engineer

TO: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attn: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad St

Columbus, Ohio 43215

Gentlemen

I am writing this letter to you because I am concerned about Duke Energy using citizens' money to pay for their coal plants; Like others, I want to cut down the pollution in Ohio, and I don't like the idea that I must pay for Duke's unequipped coal plants. I don't feel Duke Energy is doing enough as a private entity by continuing to use these poorly run plants.

Thank you

Robert Richards

11/11/14

7912 Crestview Dr
Mason, Ohio 45040

14-0847EH-SSO

Nov 10, 2014

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to say that Duke Energy should not receive any kind of bailout. As an Ohio taxpayer, I don't want my money supporting more of the same. Duke is a public utility and should therefore be accountable to the public, and not the shareholders.

Thank you,

Rachel Lippolis

Rachel Lippolis
9741 Oxbow Trl
Evendale, OH 45241

November 10, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broadstreet
Columbus, Ohio 43215

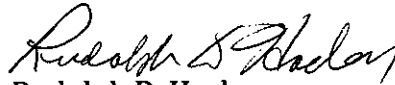
Attention: Case No. 14-0841-el-sso

I care about the concerns of Ohio Citizen Action and applaud their efforts to raise awareness of those concerns.

Of course I want clean energy, elimination of toxic pollution and low cost electricity
- WHO WOULDN'T.

I don't see any positive recommendations, however, from Ohio Citizen Action on how to do all this. So far Solar Power, wind and water power have proven very limited at best. Where are the alternatives to come from? Most likely from the present sources who have the ability to accomplish this.

I believe qualified oversight and fierce competition in the energy field can accomplish much of what is demanded.


Rudolph D. Hachey
P.O.Box 62531ati,
Cincinnati, Ohio 45262

14-0841-EL-380

We need Duke Energy to be held
accountable to their customers
not shareholders.

Sincerely, Gloria Agallo
Cincinnati OH 45241

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, Ohio 43215

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

I am writing to voice my displeasure for Duke Energy essentially being given another free pass. Year after year they are given new ways to charge new fees to their customers, while they spend their time delaying and finding new ways to avoid finding new ways to harness clean energy.

It is time for Duke to get serious about providing cleaner energy while giving their customers and affordable product. Every time I turn on my computer or look at the paper I find that another company has their hand out looking for a bailout. Their shortsightedness should not be passed on to the consumer.

It is time for Duke to be held accountable.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Adam Knight', with a stylized, cursive script.

Adam Knight

Evendale, Ohio 45241

11-10-14

Dear P.U.C.O.

I care about the issue (CASE NO 14-0841-EL-SSO) because I want to reduce air pollution, I want to save money on our electric bill and I want our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources. This bailout would cause all of our rates to go up. We need Duke to be held accountable to their customers!!

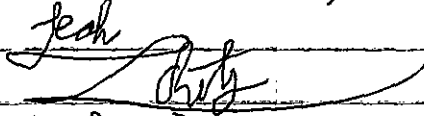
Ann Shadley

November 10/2014

To the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

I'd like to voice my request that Duke Energy stop this bailout to make customers pay for your (their) old coal plants. Moreover, I'd really love if we could start thinking long term and completely cut off energy from coal and move onto environmentally sustainable energy sources. For now, however I'll just be focusing on this more immediate issue. It is unfair that my family and I should have to pay for Duke to continue polluting the air and tearing apart the earth with this outdated technology. I believe paying with the cost of harm to our earth is too much to pay already. We would appreciate for Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers rather than their shareholders. As customers, we hold the ultimate power over the success of the company, so I feel that it's about time they start appreciating the fact that we want clean energy. No amount of money could compensate the price of the very earth we live on. Do something for humanity and hear me out.

ATTN CASE # 14-0841-EL-SSD

Thank you,
A concerned citizen,
Leah

(Leah Rute)

11/10/2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention case No. 14-0841-EL-550

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

I care about reducing toxic pollution
& saving money on electric bills!
I support clean energy!

Nancy Schutte

3321 Bristle Ln

Cincinnati OH 45241

November 4, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

I am adamantly opposed to a bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants!

I care about this issue for our Children, Grandchildren and their children. I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my utility bills and urge them to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead.

This bailout would cause all of our rates to go up no matter what energy company we buy from. Why should we have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology?

Duke Energy should be held accountable to their customers --- us ---- not their shareholders!!!!

Your Ohio Citizen,



Tom Horton
6321 Dustywind Lane
Loveland, Ohio 45140

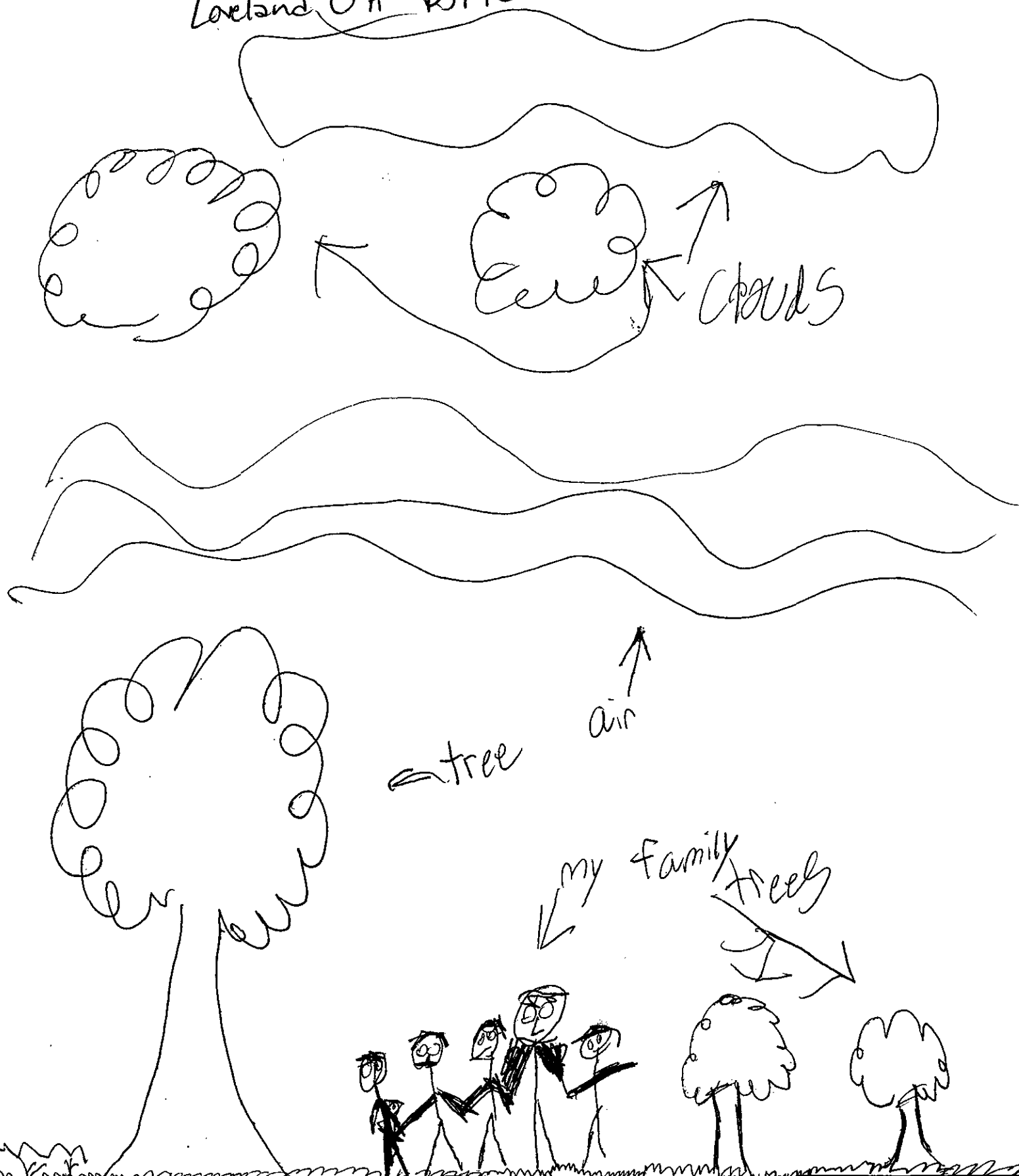
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My Family and I care about Reducing
toxic pollution!

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Lorain OH 45140

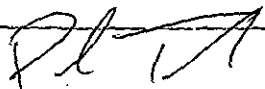
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To Public Utilities Commission of Ohio -

I am a Loveland Ohio resident and do not stand for a bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants. I care about this issue because my family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead.

Regards,



Paul Turnpugh
paul.turnpugh@gmail.com

1028 W. Bridlepath Ln
Loveland OH 45140

ATTN: Case No: 14-0841-EL-550

Attn: Case No: 14-0841-EL-SSO

November 4, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

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Duke Energy should be held accountable to their customers --- us ---- not their shareholders!!!!

Your Ohio Citizen,



Cathy Hamblen
6321 Dustywind Lane
Loveland, Ohio 45140

I care about this issue because taxpayers should not have to bail out a multi-million dollar business. Also, the business is responsible for the current air pollution levels and should adjust accordingly.

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills.

Do not bailout a multi-million dollar company at the consumers expense!

Thanks,

Joe Frejowski

Attn: Case No: 14-0841-EL-SSO

November 4, 2014

PUCO
180 E. Broad St.
Columbus, OH 45215

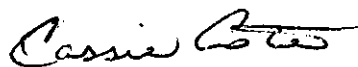
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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing about the old coal plants that Duke Energy owns. It is important to me and my family that the technology in these coal plant are brought up to date. Reducing carbon emissions is important to the environment and people of Ohio.

I do not think that the customers of Duke Energy should shoulder the burden of replacing the old technology. Many people are having trouble making ends meet in this tough economy. I am personally tired of corporate "bailouts." Duke Energy should be held accountable for the cost of updating their equipment.

Sincerely,



Cassie Cote

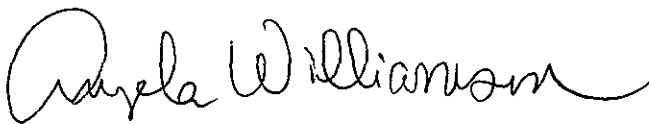
Angela Williamson
1032 W. Bridlepath Lane
Lôveland, OH 45140

November 4, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

I care about this issue because I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. My family and I should not have to pay for Duke Energy to continue polluting our air with their outdated technology. Also, this bailout would cause all of our rates to go up no matter what energy company we buy from. We need Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers, not their shareholders.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Angela Williamson". The signature is fluid and matches the printed name below it.

Angela Williamson

Public Utilities Commission

Att. Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 E. Broad St.

Columbus, OH 43215

I care about this issue because my family believes
in reducing toxic pollution and supporting clean energy.
We need to reduce our energy bills and not allow
our rates to increase.

Maggie Owens

1029 W. Bridlepath Ln

London, OH 45140

PUCO Case # 14-0841-EL-550

My Family and I would like to see reduced air pollution here in the Cincinnati area as well as the rest of the Country. We care about the environment by recycling weekly and at time do river sweeps along our Ohio waterways.

I was not aware that Duke has been creating power with out dated technology. I would hope they are investing in newer and cleaner technology to create power for its Customers.

I strongly disagree with Duke being involved with any bailout. They made poor decisions with the City of Cincinnati including with their Street Car project costing Duke millions. Now rate payers (we) are all paying for it with Duke's inflated rates. Instead of investing for cleaner energy production they chose to invest in a Ludicrous Street Car project that will be operating at a deficit ever year. Thanks for Listening.
JH/Red

Attn.: PUCO

I oppose the bailout of Duke Energy's outdated coal plants. I want to live in a cleaner world. We need Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers, not their shareholders.



Daniel Stephan

1035 west bridlem path ln.

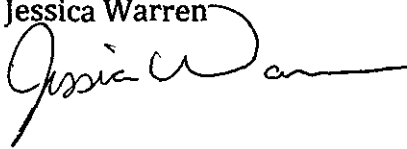
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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Jessica Warren
6332 Dustywind Lane
Loveland, OH 45140

I am writing this letter in regards to the bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants. My family and I are unhappy with this outdated technology that is polluting the air and environment for us and most importantly for our children. I want our children to grow up in a cleaner environment than we have been given.

Jessica Warren

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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Brian Warren
6332 Dustywind Lane
Loveland, OH 45140

I am writing this letter in regards to the bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants. My family and I are unhappy with this outdated technology that is polluting the air and environment for us and most importantly for our children. I want our children to grow up in a cleaner environment than we have been given.

Brian Warren

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Nov. 4, 2014

PUCO

To Whom it may concern:

I would like Ohio to become a leader in the renewable energy field. I am tired of poor air quality and support clean energy.

I oppose the bailout. Duke energy should consider our futures with technology of the cleanest & most cost efficient possible! Lets be #1 in renewable energy not last.

attention: Case # 14-0841-EH-SSO

Sue Meldon
6231 Jergelwood Dr
Londond, Ohio 45140

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case: 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, Ohio 43215

It's time to move forward on investing in cleaner energy sources for Ohio. I wish to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill, and make Ohio a cleaner, safer place for our future.

We should not have to pay Duke Energy to continue polluting our air and environment with outdated technology. Time to move forward and change!

Thank you!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lori S.', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Lori Schisler

6317 Dustywind Lane

Loveland, Ohio 45140

Nov. 3, 2014

6519 Hawk Court
Mason, OH 45040

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attn: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 E. Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear PUCO:

As a citizen of Ohio, I want to register that I want 1/use of clean energy and 2/ lower utility bills for my family. I care about this because I care about the quality of the environment now & for future generations. I also care because I want reasonable home utility bills now & for years to come.

My family & I should not bailout Duke for its use of outdated, higher polluting coal-fired power plants. We can save money and have cleaner energy!

Also, I want to "un-freeze" Ohio's renewable energy standards so we can keep the savings associated with renewable energy.

Yours Sincerely
Susan Crumpler
Ms. Susan Crumpler

Nicholas Duke
5966 Shallow Creek Drive
Milford, OH 45150
October 28, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

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To whom it may concern:

I am writing to ask you to support elimination of the freeze on Ohio's renewable energy standards and deny the bailout plan presented to PUCO by First Energy and Duke Energy. The proposed plan will prevent Ohio from complying with federal standards and lag Ohio behind the rest of the country in modernization of our energy generation infrastructure. The plan will also force Ohio citizens to pay higher rates for energy than are necessary, just to maintain profits with First Energy and Duke Energy even though they have failed to invest in new technologies and modernization of existing power plants.

I care about this issue because I want our energy infrastructure and technology to continue to be improved, both to maintain or reduce costs and to reduce environmental impact. Federal standards, technology improvements, and renewable energy sources are not new or surprising developments. The rates charged by First Energy and Duke Energy in the past should have included the costs associated with upgrading their energy plants, in addition to basic operating costs and profits. Ohio citizens should not have to pay higher bills now to maintain outdated power plants and live with higher pollution than necessary just because First Energy and Duke Energy have failed to properly plan for the future of the energy industry.

If these power companies have failed to properly budget for the capital expenditures necessary to meet federal standards to reduce emissions, maintain or reduce costs, and provide cleaner energy sources, then they must be held accountable to their customers. These companies have maintained their short-term profitability at the expense of long-term solvency and environmental and regulatory compliance, and such poor management cannot be rewarded.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,



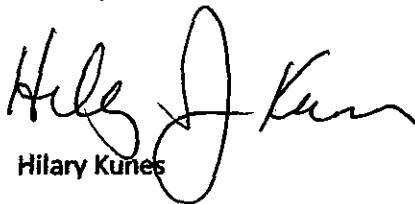
Nicholas Duke

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No 14-0841-EL-SS0
180 East Broad St
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

As a resident of Ohio I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on my electric bills by supporting clean energy. This bailout is unacceptable . We expect Duke Energy to accountable and not to participate in bailouts.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Hilary Kunes". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Hilary" and last name "Kunes" clearly distinguishable.

Hilary Kunes

5984 WoodsBend Dr
Milford, OH 45150

October 28, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
ATTN: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom It May Concern:

Duke Energy is lobbying in Ohio to make customers pay for upgrades to Duke's old and outdated energy plants - plants that should have been replaced and/or upgraded years ago. While upgrades to these plants are absolutely necessary (Ohio ranks third to last in the nation in air pollution), it's ridiculous that consumers should have to pay for a problem created and perpetuated by Duke Energy. Such a "bailout" would only increase rates for all. Replacing or upgrading existing plants will not only reduce air pollution, which is in the best interest of every Ohioan, but will save money on electric bills as well.

Please act now and take a stand - and help every day Ohioans breathe easier instead of further lining the pockets of Duke shareholders.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Amanda Schneider". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and address.

Amanda Schneider
932 Saffron Lane
Milford, OH 45150

To Public Utilities Commission of Ohio: Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

I am writing because I am very concerned about this issue because I am retired and the thought of my Duke Energy bill going higher is very disturbing to those of us on fixed incomes. I also want to see air pollution reduced significantly and for our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

I am constantly looking for ways to reduce my energy bills and this bailout is obviously not going to assist me in my quest to lower my utilities. I want Duke Energy to be accountable to the consumers like me.

Janice Kreke

933 Saffron Lane

Milford, OH 45150

Attention Case No: 14-0841-EL-SSO

Chris Day
6303 melody Ln
Mildred Ohio
45156

To Whom it may concern,

I am very concerned about old energy sources ie coal fired plants.

In the Ohio valley it is well known that we have so many cases of asthma, allergies and other respiratory diseases.

Energy companies are necessary but the continued use of coal and other polluting fuels when new clean methods are here. This is the future. No thinking person can realistically believe the will happen without cost.

I don't believe that one choice and an known danger from coal can continue.

Energy companies like Duke have the opportunity to change from shareholders to people

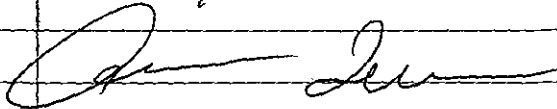
With Respect
Chris Day

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Please stop the Duke bailout.
Duke Energy needs to be accountable.

Thank you,



1762 Cottontail Dr.
Middletown, OH
45150

Clifford A Watkins
1732 Cottontail Drive
Milford, OH 45150
513-575-1074
Cliff.Watkins_13@outlook.com

October 28, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: CASE No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad St.
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

I am a long term resident of the Cincinnati area. I am writing to express my concerns over recent issues and the pending decision to allow DUKE Energy to pass along costs associated with their old, outdated and pollution creating power plants. I consider these costs a part of their business plans and should have been accounted for when they took over CG&E long ago. The only part of these issues which are public responsibility is for the PUCO to reject DUKE Energy's requests to raise our utility bills. DO NOT BAILOUT companies that are short sighted and have not moved forward toward renewable energies.

I realize that energy is a great part of our lives but I believe it should not be something which can be consolidated and brokered out by DUKE and other power companies which are shutting plants instead of investing in new technology. If our power generation and distribution system becomes controlled by too few companies and brokered out by many smaller companies, we will be at the mercy of corporate pricing set to support shareholders and not the individual customers. We will be approaching an energy monopoly on resources which are needed by everyone. Fair business requires competition and oversight by government entities like yours.

It is your first responsibility to help the people of OHIO and only then to the corporation's requests. We need your support for cleaner air, price controls and oversight into this all important part of our state's economy. Our "Energy Future" needs to continue to be based on more than just short sighted corporate financial "images" created for shareholders. Please support the citizens of Ohio with our energy needs for renewability and cost reductions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Clifford A. Watkins". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

Clifford A Watkins

Debra Guerra
1750 Cottontail Dr
Milford, OH 45150

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad St
Columbus, OH 43215

This urges you to deny requests from Duke Energy and First Energy for financial bailouts of their outdated coal plants.

We need to reduce air pollution, not continue using outdated coal plants. I believe this bailout would cause my electric rates to rise, and I do not want to pay for Duke to continue polluting the air with outdated technology.

Instead, we need to urge utility companies to provide cleaner energy sources for electricity.

Please deny the bailout request.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Debra Guerra", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Debra Guerra

Jose F Guerra
1750 Cottontail Dr
Milford, OH 45150


Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad St
Columbus, OH 43215

This urges you to deny requests from Duke Energy and First Energy for financial bailouts of their outdated coal plants.

The open market provides more economical options for customers. Keeping these coal plants opened for 15 more years will not only cause our rates to remain high but will also delay and possibly kill other energy sources which could save us money and save the environment as well.

We keep "bailing out" utilities for their lack of creative innovation, their comfort in still being a monopoly (despite electric choice in Ohio), and other decisions which wind up being paid by us.

Please deny the bailout request.



Jose F Guerra

October 27, 2014

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

Please deny the requests of First Energy and Duke for financial bailout regarding some of their most outdated and expensive coal plants.

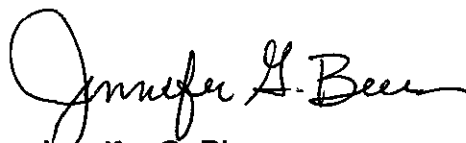
I believe the upgrade of these factories should fall solely on the shoulders of these companies. By denying their request, you can send a strong message that Ohio residents and consumers should not have to take financial responsibility for the environmental and community stewardship required of these companies.

Clean energy and being able to choose how to meet the energy needs of my family is very important to me.

As you review these requests, please carefully consider my thoughts and the future of Ohio's natural resources for my children and future grandchild .

Thank you for your service.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jennifer G. Bierer". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Jennifer" being the most prominent part.

Jennifer G. Bierer
6510 Owlwood Drive
Mason, Ohio 45040

October 27, 2014

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

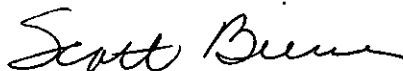
Please DO NOT approve requests from First Energy and Duke for financial bailout for their outdated and expensive factories.

Regarding the environment, these companies need to be held accountable to their customers — not their stakeholders. The impact of these factories on the environment is factual and well documented. The upgrades necessary to make these factories operate within necessary and urgent standards should be the financial responsibility of these companies. I should not have to pay directly or indirectly for these companies to meet environmental standards.

Please consider my thoughts as you review these requests.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Scott Bierer".

Scott D. Bierer
6510 Owlwood Drive
Mason, Ohio 45040

October 28, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention: case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus OH 43215

Gentlemen:

As a concerned citizen, I am writing to voice my disapproval of a bailout for First Energy and Duke that is before the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio. It is time for these utility companies to update their coal plants to more efficient facilities that reduce carbon emissions.

I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. It is time for our utility companies to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chris Herriott". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal line extending from the end of the name.

Chris Herriott
1069 Carraway Lane
Milford OH 45150

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

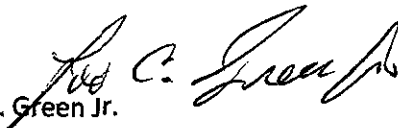
Columbus, OH 43215

To whom it may concern,

I do not think it is fair that Duke Energy wants customers to pay for their old coal plants. I refuse to pay for Duke to continue to pollute our air with outdated technology.

Please stand with consumers and hold Duke accountable to their customers, not just their shareholders.

Sincerely,


L.C. Green Jr.

6852 Hummingbird Dr.

Mason, Ohio 45040

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

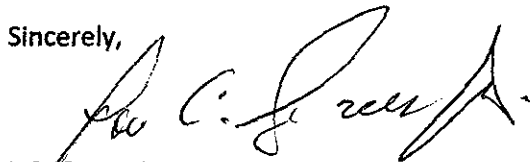
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Sincerely,

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L.C. Green Jr.

6852 Hummingbird Dr.

Mason, Ohio 45040

Attn: Case No : 14-0841-EL-JSO

Hi,

October 27, 2014

My name is Steven Thang. I lived at 9884 Montclair Dr, Mason, OH 45040. I'm writing this comments because I care about this issue. Because I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. This bailout would cause all of our rates to go up no matter what energy company we buy from.

So we need Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers not their shareholders.

Oct 28, 2014

Attention: Case No.
To The PUCO: 14-0841-EL-350

When my house isn't getting warm enough, I can't go to an employer and demand an increase in salary. If my furnace can't be fixed at a reasonable cost, then it is time to replace my furnace.

Why, then, does Deke expect their customers to pay more to keep a utility source continuing that is causing health problems and is severely outdated.

A shareholder is merely a part owner and when you own something, it is important to repair or replace what is causing the problem. Cost is part of ownership that will be temporary until the problem is handled.

Don't let Deke push through their demands. They must pay their costs just as I do.

Virginia R. Branson
976 Farragon Lane
Melford, OH 45150

Attn: Case No: 14-0841-EL-SSO

Dear P.U. Commissioners,

When is enough going to be enough? Why can't Duke Energy dig into its own pockets and pay to modernize or convert its old coal plants to clean energy. They employ plenty of high dollar engineers who should be able to think outside of the box and figure out a way to help themselves and their customers without getting a hand out. Or taxing the people who can barely keep their lights on as it is. We need the bail out. Duke + First Energy should be ashamed and embarrassed. ~~Be~~ Still using 50 plus year old technology and wanting us to pay the bill for them to bring themselves to 2014.

D. Curtis

Sincerely,

9965 Country Hill Ct

N. Chi Antea

Mason OH 45040

October 23, 2014

Case NO. 14-0841-EL-SSO

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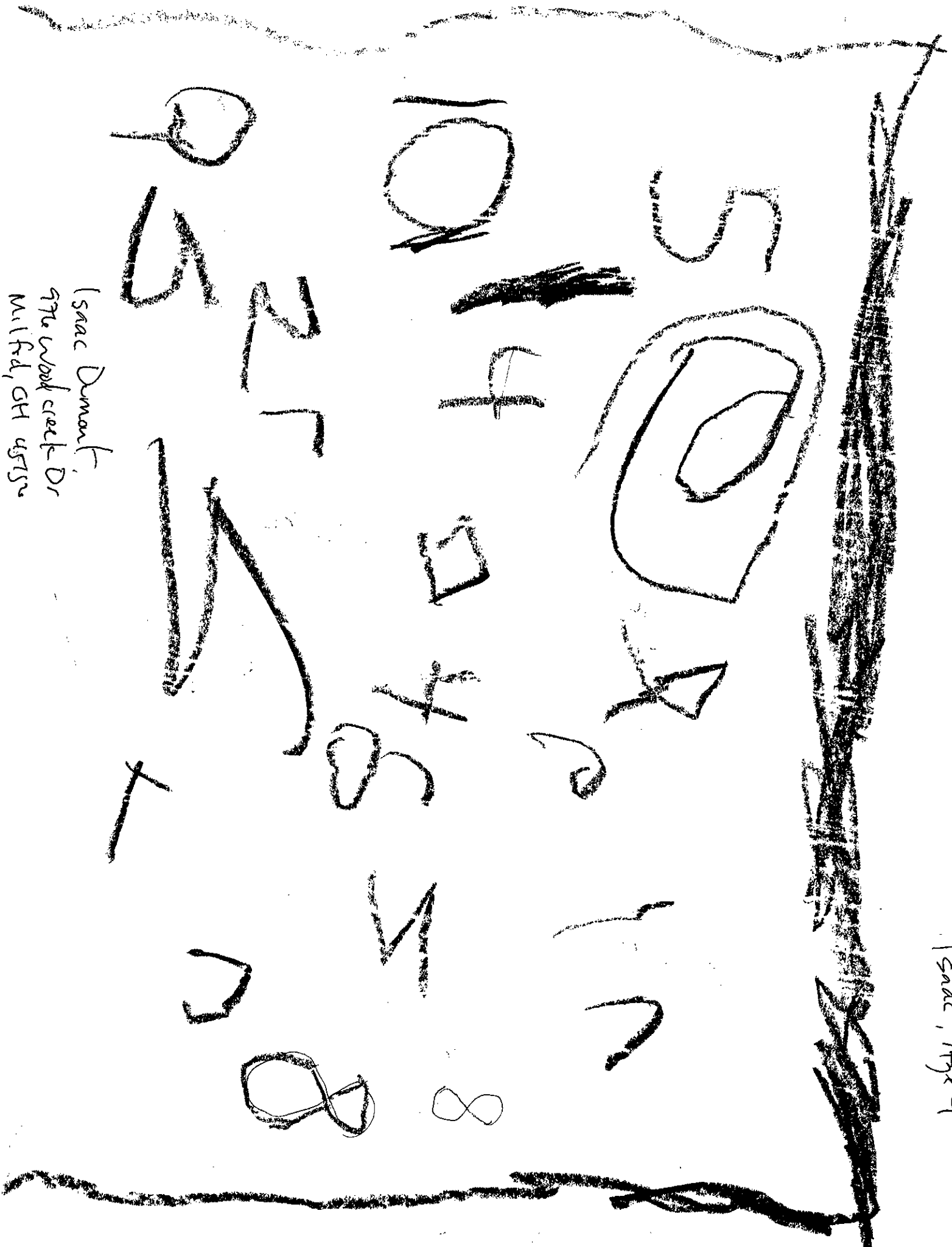
I have ZERO (0) interest in footing the bill for Duke Energy's old coal plants. This power supply is outdated and dangerous. I don't have much hope for my grandchildren, but do hope my own children will 'live out their lives' before the stark realities of climate change caused by exactly this kind of dangerous power source.

Duke Energy should be held accountable to the WORLD — along @ every other power company.

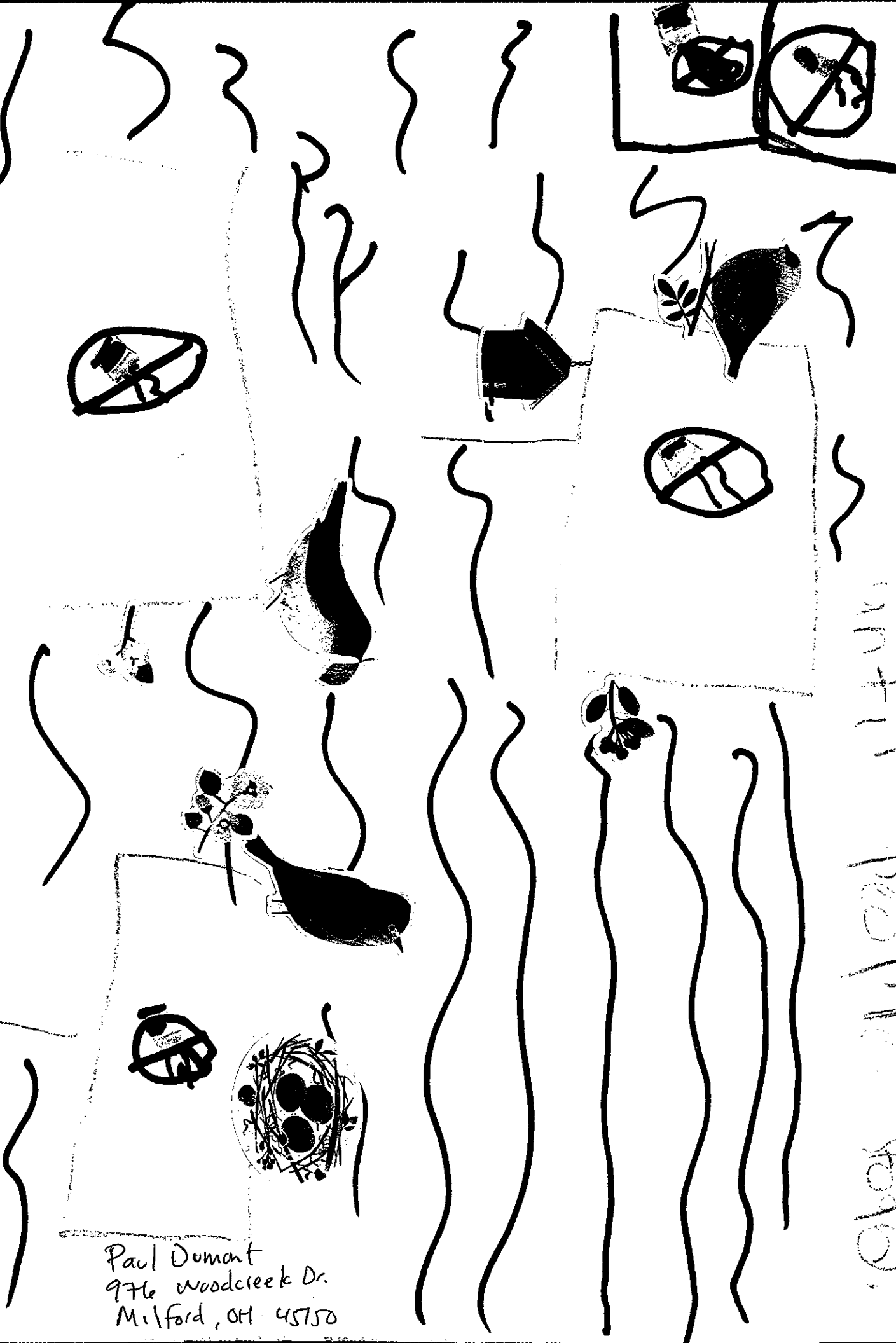
Sincerely,
Manny Cosgrove, Ranch
2112 Ralston Drive
Cincinnati, Ohio 45223

Isaac, Apr 4

Isaac Darnant,
976 Wood Creek Dr
Milford, OH 45150



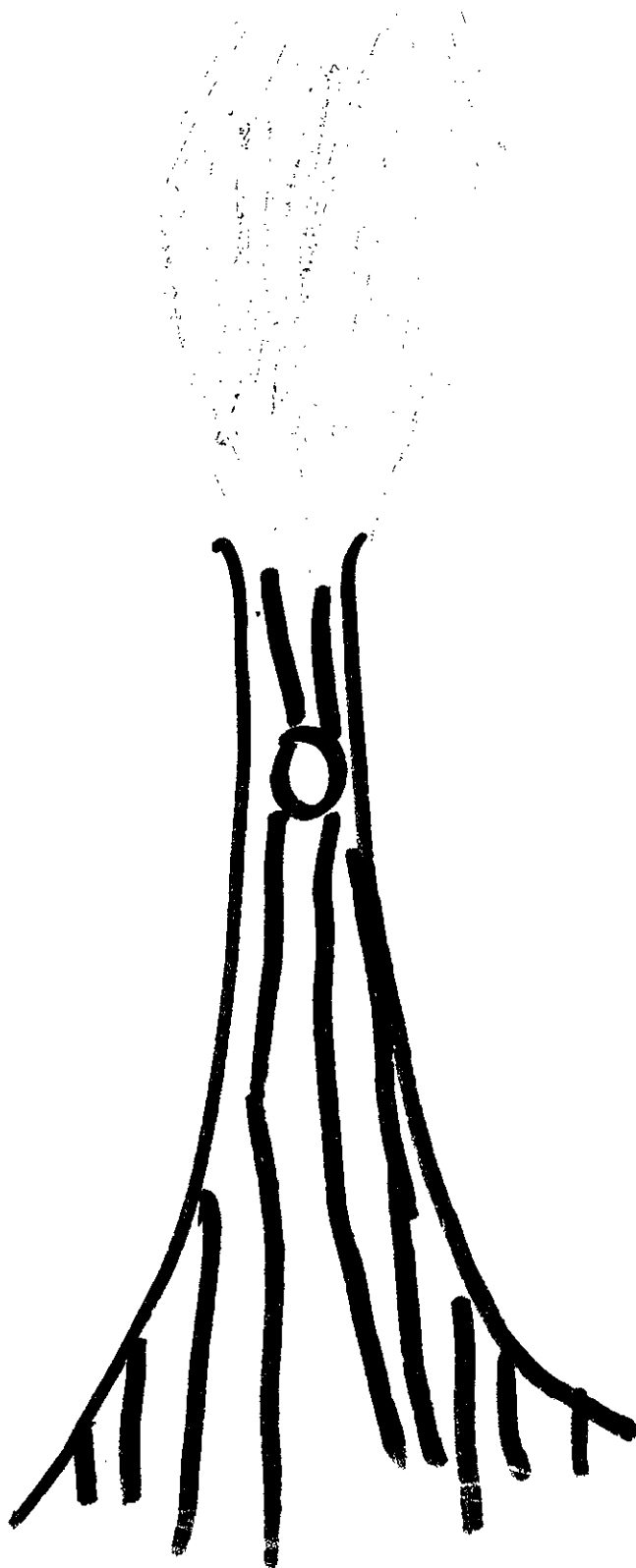
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Milford, OH 45150

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Milford, OH 45150



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Age 3

Audrey Dumont
976 Woodcreek Dr.
Melford, OH 45150



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ISAAC DUMONT
976 WOODCREST DR
MILFORD, OH 45152

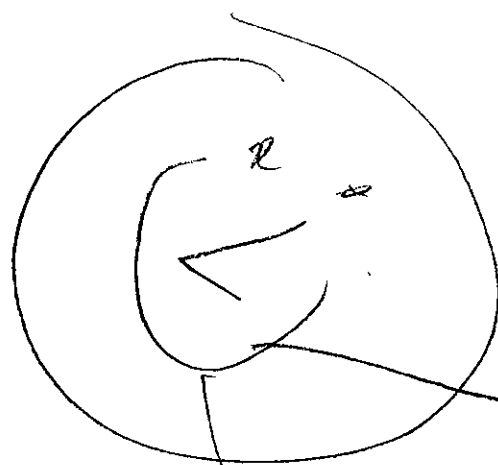
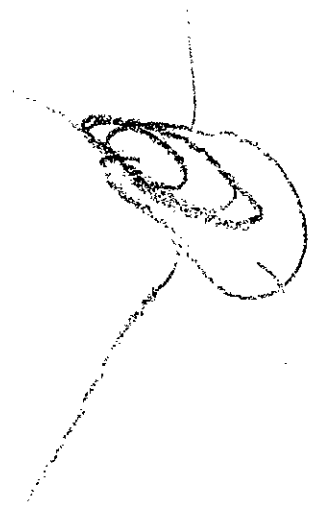
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I see
A welcome
to

Paul Dumont
976 Woodcreek Dr.
Milford, OH 45130

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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Commission Members:

Please deny the bailout requested by Duke Energy for the following:

- We need to demand and receive cleaner, less toxic pollution from all energy sources
- We need to help our recovering economy by reducing energy rates
- We need to hold our suppliers accountable for the cost of business, which includes improving technology and finding cleaner energy sources for our electricity
- Companies such as Duke must be held responsible for reducing pollution,
- Duke customers should not be responsible for funding outdated and expensive coal plants.
- What other businesses and suppliers receive a "bailout" of outdated plants while they "study" issues
- We need to improve our air quality in Ohio and leave a better atmosphere to all generations to come.

Thank you for listening,

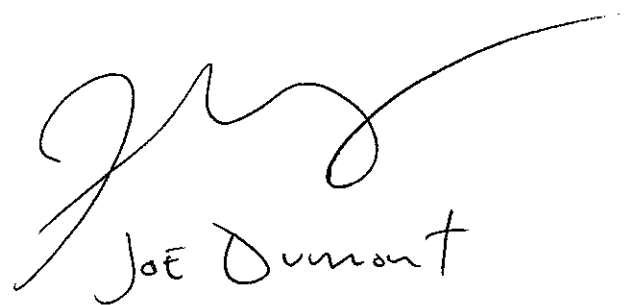
Carolyn Ethridge

Mrs. Carolyn Ethridge
980 Woodcreek Drive
Milford, OH 45150

To the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

Attn 14-0841-EL-055

I strongly encourage you to not bail out Duke Energy. A clean environment is very important to myself and my family and I do not support using taxpayer money to artificially prop up for-profit energy companies who pass on the cost of poor business choices to the consumer. Let's invest money in clean, renewable energy and not outdated, toxic mistakes.



Joe Dumont
976 Woodcreek Dr.
Mifflin, OH 45150

Nicholas Duke
5966 Shallow Creek Drive
Milford, OH 45150
October 28, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

PUCO

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To whom it may concern:

I am writing to ask you to support elimination of the freeze on Ohio's renewable energy standards and deny the bailout plan presented to PUCO by First Energy and Duke Energy. The proposed plan will prevent Ohio from complying with federal standards and lag Ohio behind the rest of the country in modernization of our energy generation infrastructure. The plan will also force Ohio citizens to pay higher rates for energy than are necessary, just to maintain profits with First Energy and Duke Energy even though they have failed to invest in new technologies and modernization of existing power plants.

I care about this issue because I want our energy infrastructure and technology to continue to be improved, both to maintain or reduce costs and to reduce environmental impact. Federal standards, technology improvements, and renewable energy sources are not new or surprising developments. The rates charged by First Energy and Duke Energy in the past should have included the costs associated with upgrading their energy plants, in addition to basic operating costs and profits. Ohio citizens should not have to pay higher bills now to maintain outdated power plants and live with higher pollution than necessary just because First Energy and Duke Energy have failed to properly plan for the future of the energy industry.

If these power companies have failed to properly budget for the capital expenditures necessary to meet federal standards to reduce emissions, maintain or reduce costs, and provide cleaner energy sources, then they must be held accountable to their customers. These companies have maintained their short-term profitability at the expense of long-term solvency and environmental and regulatory compliance, and such poor management cannot be rewarded.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,



Nicholas Duke

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No 14-0841-EL-SS0

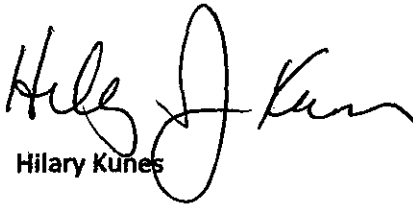
180 East Broad St

Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

As a resident of Ohio I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on my electric bills by supporting clean energy. This bailout is unacceptable . We expect Duke Energy to accountable and not to participate in bailouts.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Hilary Kunes". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Hilary" and last name "Kunes" clearly distinguishable.

Hilary Kunes

5984 WoodsBend Dr

Milford, OH 45150

October 28, 2014


Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
ATTN: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom It May Concern:

Duke Energy is lobbying in Ohio to make customers pay for upgrades to Duke's old and outdated energy plants – plants that should have been replaced and/or upgraded years ago. While upgrades to these plants are absolutely necessary (Ohio ranks third to last in the nation in air pollution), it's ridiculous that consumers should have to pay for a problem created and perpetuated by Duke Energy. Such a "bailout" would only increase rates for all. Replacing or upgrading existing plants will not only reduce air pollution, which is in the best interest of every Ohioan, but will save money on electric bills as well.

Please act now and take a stand – and help every day Ohioans breathe easier instead of further lining the pockets of Duke shareholders.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amanda Schneider". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Amanda Schneider
932 Saffron Lane
Milford, OH 45150

To Public Utilities Commission of Ohio: Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

I am writing because I am very concerned about this issue because I am retired and the thought of my Duke Energy bill going higher is very disturbing to those of us on fixed incomes. I also want to see air pollution reduced significantly and for our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

I am constantly looking for ways to reduce my energy bills and this bailout is obviously not going to assist me in my quest to lower my utilities. I want Duke Energy to be accountable to the consumers like me.

Janice Kreke

933 Saffron Lane

Milford, OH 45150

Attention Case No: 14-0841-EL-SSO

Chris Day
6303 melody Ln
Milled Ohio
45158

To Whom it may concern,

I am very concerned about old energy sources ie coal fired plants.

In the Ohio valley it is well known that we have so many cases of asthma, allergies and other respiratory diseases.

Energy companies are necessary but the continued use of coal and other polluting fuels when new clean methods are here. That is the future. No thinking person can realistically believe the will happen without cost.

I don't believe that one choice and an known danger from coal can continue.

Energy companies like Duke have the opportunity to change from shareholders to people

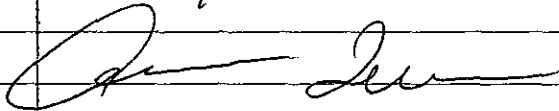
With Respect
Chris Day

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Please stop the Duke bailout.
Duke Energy needs to be accountable.

Thank you,



1762 Cottontail Dr.
Mittlerd, OH
45150

Clifford A Watkins
1732 Cottontail Drive
Milford, OH 45150
513-575-1074
Cliff.Watkins_13@outlook.com

October 28, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: CASE No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad St.
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

I am a long term resident of the Cincinnati area. I am writing to express my concerns over recent issues and the pending decision to allow DUKE Energy to pass along costs associated with their old, outdated and pollution creating power plants. I consider these costs a part of their business plans and should have been accounted for when they took over CG&E long ago. The only part of these issues which are public responsibility is for the PUCO to reject DUKE Energy's requests to raise our utility bills. DO NOT BAILOUT companies that are short sighted and have not moved forward toward renewable energies.

I realize that energy is a great part of our lives but I believe it should not be something which can be consolidated and brokered out by DUKE and other power companies which are shutting plants instead of investing in new technology. If our power generation and distribution system becomes controlled by too few companies and brokered out by many smaller companies, we will be at the mercy of corporate pricing set to support shareholders and not the individual customers. We will be approaching an energy monopoly on resources which are needed by everyone. Fair business requires competition and oversight by government entities like yours.

It is your first responsibility to help the people of OHIO and only then to the corporation's requests. We need your support for cleaner air, price controls and oversight into this all important part of our state's economy. Our "Energy Future" needs to continue to be based on more than just short sighted corporate financial "images" created for shareholders. Please support the citizens of Ohio with our energy needs for renewability and cost reductions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Clifford A. Watkins". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Clifford A Watkins

Debra Guerra
1750 Cottontail Dr
Milford, OH 45150

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad St
Columbus, OH 43215

This urges you to deny requests from Duke Energy and First Energy for financial bailouts of their outdated coal plants.

We need to reduce air pollution, not continue using outdated coal plants. I believe this bailout would cause my electric rates to rise, and I do not want to pay for Duke to continue polluting the air with outdated technology.

Instead, we need to urge utility companies to provide cleaner energy sources for electricity.

Please deny the bailout request.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Debra Guerra', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Debra Guerra

Jose F Guerra
1750 Cottontail Dr
Milford, OH 45150

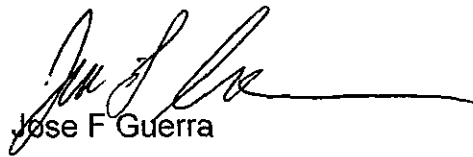
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad St
Columbus, OH 43215

This urges you to deny requests from Duke Energy and First Energy for financial bailouts of their outdated coal plants.

The open market provides more economical options for customers. Keeping these coal plants opened for 15 more years will not only cause our rates to remain high but will also delay and possibly kill other energy sources which could save us money and save the environment as well.

We keep "bailing out" utilities for their lack of creative innovation, their comfort in still being a monopoly (despite electric choice in Ohio), and other decisions which wind up being paid by us.

Please deny the bailout request.



Jose F Guerra

October 27, 2014

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

Please deny the requests of First Energy and Duke for financial bailout regarding some of their most outdated and expensive coal plants.

I believe the upgrade of these factories should fall solely on the shoulders of these companies. By denying their request, you can send a strong message that Ohio residents and consumers should not have to take financial responsibility for the environmental and community stewardship required of these companies.

Clean energy and being able to choose how to meet the energy needs of my family is very important to me.

As you review these requests, please carefully consider my thoughts and the future of Ohio's natural resources for my children and future grandchild .

Thank you for your service.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jennifer G. Bierer". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and address.

Jennifer G. Bierer
6510 Owlwood Drive
Mason, Ohio 45040

October 27, 2014

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

Please **DO NOT** approve requests from First Energy and Duke for financial bailout for their outdated and expensive factories.

Regarding the environment, these companies need to be held accountable to their customers — not their stakeholders. The impact of these factories on the environment is factual and well documented. The upgrades necessary to make these factories operate within necessary and urgent standards should be the financial responsibility of these companies. I should not have to pay directly or indirectly for these companies to meet environmental standards.

Please consider my thoughts as you review these requests.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Scott Bierer".

Scott D. Bierer
6510 Owlwood Drive
Mason, Ohio 45040

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

We need Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers not their shareholders. I do not support a bailout of Duke Energy's outdated coal plants. We need to develop and implement programs for viable natural, renewable, energy sources. Our money is better spent in these areas than in bailing out Duke's antiquated coal plants.

Please make the better decision and support renewable energy and do not continue or allocate additional resources and money to a bailout of Duke Energy.

Regards,

Alan Randall

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Alan Randall', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Alan Randall
1079 Carraway Lane
Milford, OH 45150

10-23-14

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO (PUCO)
CASE No. 14-0441-EL-550

AS THE OWNER OF A SMALL COMPANY,
I REALIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF THE
RATES ON OUR UTILITIES. DUKE
IS A VERY WEALTHY COMPANY WHO
SHOULD HAVE EMPLOYEES CAPABLE OF
SETTING ASIDE MONEY TO COVER
ANY CATASTROPHE. THEY SHOULD
ALSO HANDLE RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT
ON THEIR OWN.

Private Citizens Should NOT
BE INVOLVED IN MAKING DUKE
WEALTHY. *Jany Harris*

CP HARRIS
2140 RAEBURN DR.
CINCINNATI, OH 45223

Dear POCO,

I do not feel that a bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants is wise. These plants emit considerable pollution. When cleaner energy solutions will save me money and are a move forward, I should not continue to pay twice for outdated technology.

Sincerely,

Angie Heiman
988 Woodcreek Dr.
Milford, CT 06450

Attn No. -
H-0841-EL-550

PUCO

We do not support
Bailout because

- We want pollution
to be reduced in
Ohio.
- I like to continue to
be with dual energy
if they update their
technology and
not increase costs to
consumers.
- We want to
support cleaner
energy sources.

Balabrishna

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PUCO

Dear PUCO,

As a mother of young children I urge you to please help provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. My family & I should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology. Duke energy should be held accountable to their customers & our earth's future-not their shareholders.

Sincerely,

Allison Casper

FILE

November 3, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom it May Concern:

Most consumers understand that public utilities need to be regulated, however, utility executives should still be held accountable for operating in a fiscally sound manner. Customers and taxpayers should not have to pay for poor financial management. Senior executives at utility companies should be able to manage in a manner that allows for investment in clean energy technology along with the accompanying jobs, plan and equipment. As customers, we want reasonable utility prices, but not at the expenses of air pollution.

I'm asking that you deny the request of any utility for a financial bailout and end the freeze on Ohio's renewable energy standards. I believe that reasonable utility rates and clean air are not mutually exclusive.

Sincerely,



Thomas Howitt III
300 Banbury Road
Centerville, OH 45459

PUCO

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To: PUCO Att. Case No. 14-0841-EL-550

I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

I am appalled that my state (Ohio) is the 3rd most toxic state for toxic pollution because of old coal plants, that are outdated and expensive.

My family & I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead.

I am against the bailout that would cause all of our rates to go up no matter what energy company we buy from.

We need DUKE ENERGY to be held accountable to their customers — not their shareholders.

My family & I should not have to pay for DUKE to continue polluting our air with their outdated technology.

I as a consumer am not going to stand for a bailout of DUKE'S outdated coal plants.

Sandy Stemmetz
109 WILNCOME DR.
Dayton, OH 45459

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43261

I care about this issue because I do not want my electrical rates to go up as a result of Duke Energy continuing to pollute our air with outdated technology. We need Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers and not their shareholders. I want to see air pollution reduced, save money on my electric bill, and have my utility (Dayton Power and Light) provide cleaner energy ~~energy~~ for my electricity. My family and I should not have to pay Duke to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology. Thanks for listening. I hope Duke energy does not make Ohio customers pay for their old coal plants.

Edward A. Steinmetz
Edward A. Steinmetz

109 Winchcombe Drive
Dayton, Ohio 45459

Nov 13, 2014

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case # 14-0841-EL-850
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43265

I am sending this letter because
I am concerned about Duke's
policies and practices dealing with
coal power plants.

Please Stop Duke from
funding outdated coal plants
just for the financial gain
of them and their shareholders

Chuck Jones
530 Bandway Rd
Dayton, OH

Please Keep Our Air Clean

Attn Case: 14-0841-EL-550

Puco,

I AM writing this letter to you to
Decline Duke Energy a bailout. They
have a responsibility not pass on cost
of their expenses. Of course, I am concerned
about pollution in Ohio and we need
to hold them accountable. Again,
Puco should deny their request.

Sincerely,

JERRY DOOLAN
3013 PAUL ST.

CINCINNATI, OHIO
45208

Nov 3, 2014

To: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case # 14-0841-EL-550
180 East Broad St
Columbus, OH 43215

To All Interested Parties

I am a 11 year old boy who cares about reducing
toxic pollution and saving money on our
electric bills by supporting clean energy instead.
Please stop Duke energy in their efforts
to bail out outdated coal plants. Also I want
clean air for my kids when I am a father and
haveing clean energy.

Joey Jones
550 Banbury Rd
Dayton, OH,

Att. Case No. 14-0841-EL-550

11.3.14

As a person born & raised near
Davis-Besse on Lake Erie & study science,
I firmly believe large corporations need
to be held accountable for the wastes
that they dispose into our environment.
Concentration and/or improper disposal/dispersing
has caused an increase in ailments
such as Cbut, not limited to: Cancer, M.S.,
birth defects & autism. There are several
clinical studies to show saturation of new
allergies & asthma patients in areas around
major power plants. We feel that
these companies' gains are so grandiose that
they are completely able to comply with
new, cleaner energy guidelines and are able
to make it affordable at the same time.

Conf # 17231

Trey Locke

341 Cotswold Dr
Dayton/Centerville, OH 45459

Ashley Wonnemann

To the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

RE: Case No 14-0841-EL-SSO

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. My family and I should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology.

I ask you to strongly consider not bailing out Duke Energy and their out of date coal plants. Hold them accountable for updating their own technology, bringing their standards up to better meet the requirements of the Clean Power Plan.

Thank you,

Julia J. Martin

5209 Chapin St

Dayton OH 45429

I want to reduce air pollution
Save money on my electric bill
and urge our utilities to provide
Cleaner air energy sources
for our electricity.

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707 Parkroll

Dayton OH, 45429

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CASE # 14-0841-EL-SSO

Nov 3, 14

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills. Clean energy is the way of the future and needs to be supported. Bailouts don't help in the long run and Duke should be held accountable to their customers.

Sincerely,



Julie Ashley

3260 Banbury Rd

Centerville, Oh 45459

Attn. Case No 14-0841-EL-SSO

10/31/14

Gentlemen:

I am writing to request that you deny Duke Energy's application for a bailout. Duke Energy is a publicly held company and as such any changes in how they produce power should come from the earnings that we, the consumer, already pay to them.

To approve the bailout would mean that we are paying them twice for their services.

Respectfully,

Alice Guss

3616 Beckin Ave

Cinti OH 45208

Case No 14-0841-EL-SSO

Walker
200 Banbury Rd
Dayton Ohio 45459

ATTN: CASE NO. 14-0841-EL-SSO

To the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio -

I do want to reduce the air pollution and ~~save~~ money on my electric bill but we need options of cleaner energy sources for electricity.

My family should not have to suffer and pay for a corporation to bail out their out dated equipment. They can use their own profits to do so.

I have found it most difficult to find access to solar or wind energy - this is a new practice that should be enforced -

Duke Energy & First Energy should move towards this "free" energy & will not do so unless the PUCO makes them comply to do so.

The PUCO should be for the PUBLIC not big business.

Sincerely,
Fu Walker

Dear PUCO,

I am writing in support of Ohio Citizen Action. I want to reduce air pollution in Ohio, update industrial facilities and save money on my electric bill. By urging Duke Energy to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity, we are also asking Duke Energy to be accountable to their customers and Ohio, not just their stakeholders.

I care about bringing clean energy to Ohio and believe Duke Energy needs to be held accountable.

Please help us support these changes.

Thanks,

Matthew Wilkin

CASE NUMBER: 14-0841-ELSSO

2123 Herrick Ave

Cincinnati, OH 45208

11/3/2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-350
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

To Whom It May Concern;

I am writing this letter to voice my concern about First Energy and Duke Energy submission to PUCO for financial bailouts of some of their most outdated and expensive coal plants. They want us to be forced into buying the power from these old expensive plants for the next 15 years, even though purchasing power from the market has saved customers a lot of money.

As a nurse, I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on my electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. This bailout would cause all energy rates to go up no matter what energy company we buy from. I nor my family should have to pay for these companies to continue polluting air quality with outdated technology.

Duke Energy should be held accountable to their customers — NOT their shareholders!!

Sincerely, Valerie J. Hays
190 Chestnut Ave Dr.
Centerville, Ohio 45459

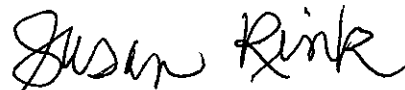
November 3, 2014

**Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215**

Protecting Mother Earth is one of my passions. I care about the health and well being of my family and future generations. We must all work together to reduce air pollution. Companies like First Energy and Duke need to be held accountable for polluting our air with outdated technology using coal plants. Clean energy should be a priority for them to develop. There should be monetary penalties assessed against them if they don't come up with a solution within a specified period of time.

Please be our voice to convince the PUCO to not allow First Energy and Duke financial bailouts of some of their most outdated and expensive coal plants. They need to be held accountable and stop lining their pockets with profits. The Ohio legislature needs to end the "freeze" on Ohio's renewable energy standards now. Our environment needs to be saved now before it's too late.

Thank you for being the voice of many and working on our behalf. Your efforts are vital to humanity.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Susan Rink". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

**Susan Rink
5753 Paddington Road
Washington Township, OH 45459**

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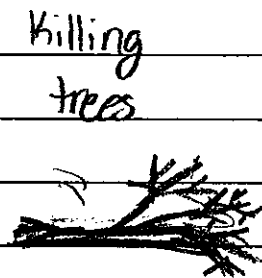
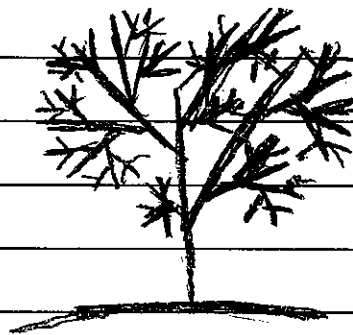
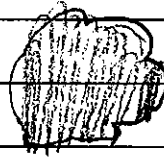
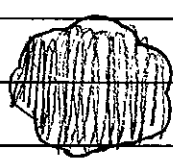
5428 Mad River Rd.
Dayton 45459.

3rd November, 2014.

My husband and I care about toxic pollution
because of the future effects it will have on our
two children.

With the challenges of employment opportunities
we do not need to have the added stress of increased
rates at no added benefit to the customer.

Helen Gridley



Killing
trees

3 Nov 2014

PUCO

Attn: Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad St.

Columbus, OH 43215

I'm writing to express my disagreement to the Proposal from Duke Energy wherein they intend to "bypass" the expenses of both SSO & renewable energy sources along to existing utility customers.

I feel a company should offer services at rates they feel will compete in the open market. The rates should not have an additional amount tacked on in order to pay for facilities they don't wish to cover as part of their regular business expense.

Respectfully yours,

David M. Nadler
DAVID M. NADLER

5728 ANNE LANE

DAYTON, OH 45459

From: The Sasanto Family, OH 4545a

TO: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Att case# 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 E Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

I care about this issue because I want to reduce air pollution. Air pollution affects our health and may cause damage to your lungs. Because of this, people may very well die. In some parts of China, the air pollution is so bad, on certain days, the people must wear face masks for protection. The air over there is yellow and is hard to breathe. My family and I don't want Ohio or the United States to become like that.

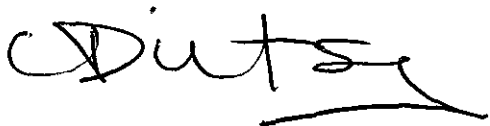
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Public Utilities Commision of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom It May Concern:

I strongly object to Duke Energy's request that PUCO support its plans to have consumers buy electricity from Duke's coal-burning power plants. This technology is outdated and burning coal is a major source of atmospheric CO₂. The economic cost of global warming is real and your responsibility extends beyond the bottom line of Duke Energy. Please deny Duke Energy's request for consumers to support their outdated coal plants.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dietsch", with a horizontal line underneath.

Dr. Craig Dietsch
3643 Archer Ave.
Cincinnati, OH 45208

DEAR SIR/MA'AM,

10 31 2014
ATTN: CASE NO. 14-0841-EL-SSC

I AM WRITING TO YOU TO LET YOU KNOW THAT I DO NOT AGREE WITH, NOR WILL I STAND FOR A BAILOUT OF DUKE ENERGY'S OUTDATED COAL PLANTS. IT IS CRUCIAL THAT DUKE UPGRADE TO CLEANER ENERGY SOURCES, ALLOWING THIER OUTDATED COAL PLANTS TO BE THE STANDARD IN THEIR ENERGY PRODUCTION WILL ONLY COST CONSUMERS MORE MONEY AND WILL FURTHER REDUCE OUR AIR QUALITY IN OHIO. TAX PAYERS SHOULD NOT BE RESPONSIBLE IN ALLOWING DUKE TO CONTINUE TO POLLUTE. NEWER TECHNOLOGY WILL BRING CHEAPER AND CLEANER ENERGY TO ALL OHIOANS. DUKE IS RESPONSIBLE TO MAKE THESE CHANGES, NOT OUR CITIZENS. WE MUST HOLD DUKE ENERGY ACCOUNTABLE FOR THIER INACTION. DO NOT GIVE THEM A BAILOUT.

SINCERELY,



JORGE MARTINEZ
3639 ARCHER AVE.
CINCINNATI, OH 45208

Tiffany Cramer
680 Selma RD
Dayton, OH 45429
November 3, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

In light of the recent UN findings regarding the current and future state of our climate, it is imperative that we work together to aid in reducing our carbon footprint. Regardless of local, state or federal status, it is essential that a combined effort be put forth to save our planet.

There are indeed many ways each and every one of us can contribute towards this effort, but we are relying on local, state and federal agencies to do their part as well. The continued financial freeze towards renewable energies is counter-productive towards these efforts. Furthermore, allocating financial subsidies for companies such as, Duke and First Energy, will do nothing more than underwrite their abilities to continue polluting our air with outdated and subpar non-renewable energies.

Tomorrow is not when we need to focus and shift our attentions towards renewable energy sources, TODAY is when that focus and shift must happen. Continuing funding for outdated and inefficient energy sources takes away from the much needed funding and support that is imperative towards reducing our carbon-footprint.

I do not want to live in a world that is riddled with polluted air and devastating climate changes, and I certainly do not want to pass this on as our legacy to future generations. It is unconscionable to force consumers to contribute financially towards further polluting our air. Rate increases, limited choice in suppliers, and limited choice in energy options benefits no one except corporation shareholders.

We must work together for the common good of our society, even if it requires foregoing lining the pockets of a few lucky individuals. PUCO, you are being challenged to show

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

November 3rd, 2014

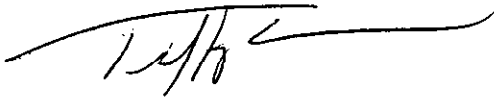
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where your interests lay, and I, as a citizen, request that you put the well-being of society in the forefront of your minds.

Please do not cater to the requests of corporations that cannot act with due diligence towards society. Consumers do not want to pay for subsidies through higher energy bills, we do not want to contribute towards the continued pollution of our environment, and we want monies invested towards renewable energy resources.

I rest assured that PUCO will make a decision based on recent UN warnings, citizen demands, and an inherent sense of social consciousness.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tiffany', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Tiffany Cramer

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FILE

November 4, 2014

Trevor Cobain
6127 Weber Oaks Drive
Loveland, OH 45140

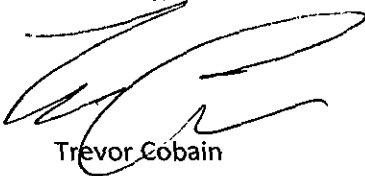
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Good day,

I am writing in reference to case number 14-0841-EL-SSO. I care about this issue because I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. We shouldn't have to pay for Duke Energy to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology. We need Duke to be held accountable to their customers – not their shareholders.

Sincerely,



Trevor Cobain

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To Whom it may Concern -

I am against a bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants & against raising our rates. I support clean energy in Ohio because I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill, & promote clean energy. My family and I should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology.

Thank you -

Amanda K. Nostrom

6122 Weber Oaks Dr.

Loveland OH 45140

ATTN:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

To whom it may concern,

We will not stand for a bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants. We need not "freeze" Ohio's renewable energy standards... we need to take action! Ohio should get ahead of the game and starting funding clean energy now. We need to hold Duke Energy accountable for providing cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Heather Chartrand". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Heather" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Chartrand".

Heather Chartrand

1699 Smoke House Way

Loveland, OH 45140

ATTN:

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

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My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kyle Chartrand', with a stylized, cursive script.

Kyle Chartrand

1699 Smoke House Way

Loveland, OH 45140

Heather Chitwood
6034 Weber Oaks Drive
Loveland, OH 45140
November 4, 2014

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180 East Broad Street
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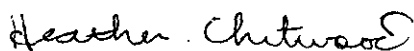
To Whom it may concern:

I do not believe it is the responsibility of the utilities customers to pay for the financial bailouts of outdated and expensive coal plants. As these plants are old and outdated, their contribution to air pollution is potentially enormous. I want to see a reduction in air pollution by reducing carbon emissions from coal-fired power plants. This can only be accomplished by supporting clean energy instead.

Duke Energy needs to be held accountable to their customers. Those customers want clean air. My family should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with outdated technology. The company should have updated their plants years ago – not just wait until they are forced to update and then rely on someone else to foot the bill. I should not be forced to pay to pollute my own air. That is not a choice that I believe any of their customers would make.

I am asking PUCO to deny their requests for financial bailouts.

Sincerely,

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Heather Chitwood

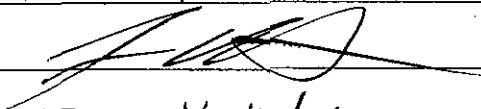
Case # 14-0841-EL-SS0

Dear PUCO,

RE: Duke Energy's desire to raise rates
to pay for their outdated infrastructure.

Please decline Duke's request. I'm
all for cheap energy, but not when it's at the
expense of people struggling to get by. I
appreciate the concept of cheap, clean, renewable
energy, but also realize the technology isn't
there yet. So for now, coal is just fine with me.
However, given the amount of money Duke
has and the amount they pay their
leadership I think it's fucking
ridiculous to ask someone living paycheck
to paycheck to pick up the cost of
their infrastructure. Shame on Duke.

Thank You For Your Time.



Jason Vontsolos

6091 Weber Oaks Drive
Loveland OH 45140

The Loeffler Family
6332 Vantaggio Circle
Loveland, Ohio 45140

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

November 4, 2014

Dear Duke Energy,

My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bill by supporting clean energy instead of coal plants.

Renewable energy is the future, coal is the past. Please work to further the creation of new and cleaner sources of energy that will serve our needs today, and far into the future when coal is long gone.

I do not want to see a hidden charge on my bill that supports this type of energy creation, and do not support coal fired plants.

I ask you to help reduce air pollution, and honor the interest of your customers.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Marc Loeffler", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Marc and Pam Loeffler

Dear PUCO,

Attention Case # 14-0841-EL-550
100 E. Broad St.
Columbus OH 43215

I am writing to you today to ask you to please reduce the air pollution and provide cleaner energy solutions for our electricity. I don't feel that my family and I should have to pay for something that I definitely do not support. On top of that we need to work on cleaner air, not polluting it.

Please consider updating the way we receive our electric and other services.

Thank you for your time.

Jessie Payne
6236 Seattle Ave CT
Columbus, OH 43215



LARAMIE COUNTY
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Christy Becker

6092 Balsam Dr.

Milford, OH 45150

November 4, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing this letter in support of the Ohio Citizen Action group. I care about this issue because my family cares about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. I am asking that you do not support the publicly funded bailout of our power plants.

Regards,

Christy Becker

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

ATTN: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill; I urge our utility providers to implement cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

Sincerely,

Andrea Vaughn

6094 Balsam Drive

Milford, OH 45150

November 4, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 E. Broad Str.
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom It May Concern:

I am concerned about clean energy here in Ohio and having to possibly use Duke's old coal plants for the production of power over the next 15 years does not seem conducive to supplying clean energy.

I feel I am already paying high utility bills and I feel it is probably due to the fact that Duke is using this obsolete and outdated mode of technology. I want to save money on my electric bill and Duke should be held accountable to come up with a feasible way of providing energy without polluting the environment as well as being cost effective to the consumer.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Linda Pynappel".

Linda Pynappel
J&L Securities Consultants
881 Blackpine Dr.
Milford, OH 45150

November 4, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street Columbus, Ohio 43215

We need Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers. I care about this issue because providing clean air, reducing toxic pollution and supporting clean energy impacts our future generations and specifically the health and well-being of our 8 year old son and 10 month old daughter.

This issue is also important to us to provide a more efficient energy source at reduced costs. Our society is currently facing hardships with unemployment and economists are predicting the situation to decrease so offering lower utilities costs is important not only to our family but also our neighbors.

I strongly discourage the bailout of Duke's outdated coal plants and appreciate you considering what matters most – our future and neighbors.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Geri Morgan", written over a printed name.

1031 West Bridlepath Lane Loveland, Ohio 45140

Kiersten Schaefer
1076 Bridlepath Ln.
Loveland, OH 45140

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Re: Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

I do not agree with any kind of bail out for Duke Energy. I care about this issue because my family is a struggling middle class family. We are providing an education for our two daughters and financing their extra curricular activities because the schools charge us for those too. Our health insurance benefits are reduced to high deductible plans by a company my husband has worked for for 30 yrs. He hasn't received a reasonable pay increase for over 10 yrs. No one is bailing our family out.

We should be provided clean air and reasonable rates for our energy. Companies should pay for their own upgrades and maintenance expenses - just like my family does.

Thank You,
Kiersten Schaefer

Catherine Stephan
1035 W. Bridle Path Ln
Loveland, OH 45140

Attn.: PUCO

I oppose the bailout of Duke Energy's outdated coal plants. I stand in support of measures to improve air quality now and in the future. My wish is for my grandchildren to live in a cleaner, healthier Ohio. Please consider the responsible choice when deciding this important matter.

Thank you,
Beth (Catherine L)
Stephan

Attn. Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

Emily Barnhart
1090 Tumbleweed Dr
Loveland Ohio 45140

November 4th 2014

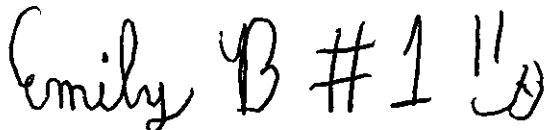
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180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom It May Concern:

- I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. Solar and other forms of renewable energy have finally reached grid parity, why on Earth should we invest in these outdated coal plants?
- My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead.
- We need strong federal regulations that each state meets locally to make it fair for all states.
- Ohio gets 70% of our electricity from coal power plants in the state.
- First Energy, Duke and AEP are working to force Ohioans to bail out their oldest most expensive coal plants and stick us with the bill. That's why we need strong federal rules – because they won't do this on their own.

Please vote against Duke Energy in regards to this case.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Emily B #1 11/4".

Emily Barnhart

Ryan Barnhart
1090 Tumbleweed Dr
Loveland Ohio 45140

November 4th 2014

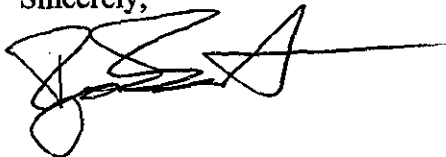
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Ryan Barnhart', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Ryan Barnhart

Gina Barnhart
1090 Tumbleweed Dr
Loveland Ohio 45140

November 4th 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: Case 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

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Sincerely,



Gina Barnhart

I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my electric bill and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. My family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy instead. My family and I should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with this outdated technology.

We need duke energy to be held accountable to their customers not their shareholders.

Sherri Edwards

1112 Tumbleweed Dr
Loveland, OH 45140

ATTN: Case NO. 14-0841-EL-SSO

WE NEED CLEAN AIR

I am writing to let the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) know that, my family and I care about reducing toxic pollution and saving money on our electric bills by supporting clean energy. My family and I should not have to pay for Duke to continue polluting our air with it's outdated technology. We need Duke Energy to be held accountable to their customers - not their shareholders.

Thank you for your consideration

Haley Rodeffer (13 years old)
6068 Weber Oaks Dr.
Loveland, OH 45140

FILE

5098 Bouchaine Way
Cincinnati, Oh 45208

To: PUCO, Attention Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

To whom it may concern:

I would like to oppose the bail out of Duke Energy. I do not support subsidizing Duke for outdated coal plant technology. We should not pay Duke to continue air pollution.

Thank you.

Dane Lumbard

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5098 Bouchaine Way

Cincinnati, Oh 45208

To: PUCO, Attention Case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

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Thank you.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Steve Dumbauld". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the "Thank you." text.

October 31, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear sirs:

Please do not bail out Duke Energy's coal plants. We do not wish our rates to be increased. We want Ohio to be focused on clean energy sources and reduction in pollution. We do not wish the continuation of outdated, polluting technologies.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ardythe L. Morrow', followed by a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Ardythe L. Morrow
4929 Bouton Street
Cincinnati Ohio 45208
513 505 1994

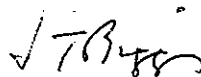
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180 East Broad St.
Columbus, Oh 43215

To whom it may concern,

I am interested in this project because I am not interested in paying for the power company to upgrade their equipment to meet current clean air standards.

Sincerely,

J T Biggs



10/31/14

2173 Grandin Rd
Cincinnati Oh 45209

MR. Jeffrey Thatcher
2018 Green Street Cincinnati Ohio
45205
CASE NO. 14-0841-EL-SSD

My FAMILY And I CARE about
Reducing TOXIC pollution and
SAVING money on our electric bills
by supporting clean energy instead.

Jeff Thatcher

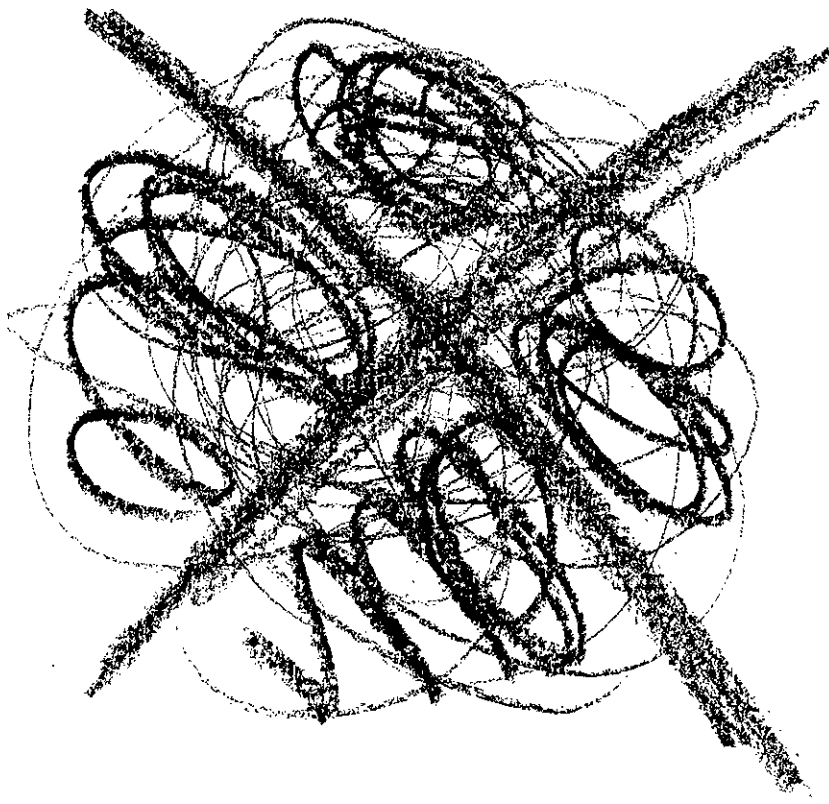
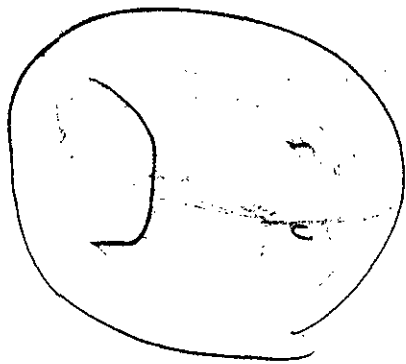
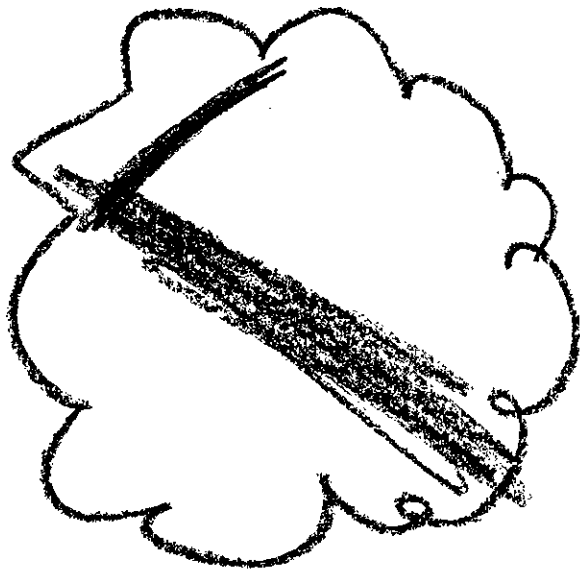
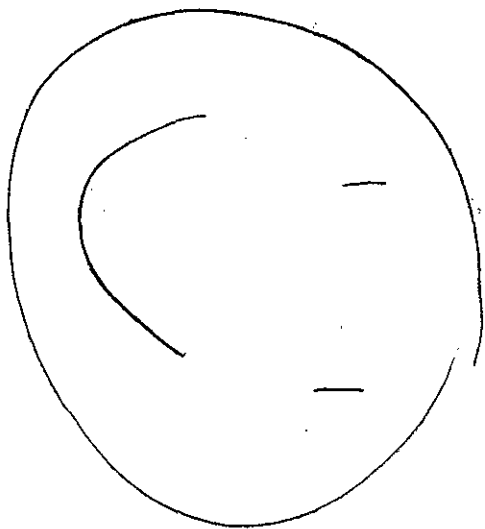
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Cheryl Landen
5666 Kirkstone Dr
Dayton, Oh 45459

I want to Reduce air pollution, save money
on my electric bill & urge our utilities
to provide cleaner energy source for our
electricity.

Thank you
Cheryl Landen

ATT: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO



Keep the
city clean.



Stop
polluting
our air!



3 November 2014

Attention: Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO)
Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Subject: Ohio Utility Bailouts

As a concerned resident of the state of Ohio, I care about this case because it should be the responsibility of utility providers to update their coal plants to meet environmental standards. It's my understanding that the bailout could also increase energy rates to cover plant upgrade costs. This issue appears to be a "band-aid" that avoids addressing the longer-term need of modern, clean, and affordable energy.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dan Y. Meyer", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Dan Y. Meyer

5780 Wilcke Way
Dayton, OH 45459

I care about this issue because future generations to have a better health environment. I support accountability of our utility sources. I personally do not believe in the basic principle of bailouts. My family & I do not believe WE should pay the consequences of poor accountability of companies like Duke Energy.

Sheila Drndorf
NE Drndorf
5740 Waterbrook Rd.
Centerville, Oh. 45459

Attn case No.
14-0841-EL-SSO

Nov. 3, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: Case No 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad St
Columbus, Oh 43215

It used to be a company cared about
their clients (customers) What happened?

I do not appreciate being forced
to help Duke or any other company that
tries to take advantage of the common
folk. We live on Social Security the
money only goes so far

My husband and I are seniors but we
care about air pollution and want
better for our grandchildren

Please deny their requests.

Gail Ellis

523 Juniper Ln

Dayton Oh 45459

FILE

10-29-14

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO
ATTN: CASE NO. 14-0841-EL-SSD
180 EAST BROAD STREET
COLUMBUS OHIO 43215

I CARE ABOUT THIS ISSUE BECAUSE MY
FAMILY AND I CARE ABOUT REDUCING TOXIC
POLLUTION AND SAVING MONEY ON OUR ELECTRIC
BILLS BY SUPPORTING CLEAN ENERGY INSTEAD.

Barbara D. Mui.
949 Tracy,
Mason OH, 45040

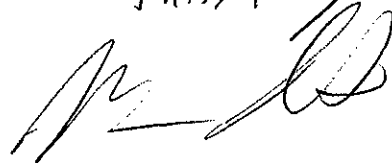
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Michael Principato
608 Jeffery Ct.
MASON OH 45040

Do not RAISE OUR RATES. Come up
with other methods to produce electric.
Wind turbine's would be a Great Method.

Thank you



October 29, 2014

I feel strongly about the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio bailing out Duke Energy's coal plants because I work in the environmental industry and know the effects that outdated coal plants can have on our environment. I would prefer that money spent to help Duke Energy keep their old coal plants alive be spent towards renewable energy sources that will help keep our area safe for the future. It is important that the customer has a say in where our energy is produced especially when there is only one provider to choose from. Duke needs to be held accountable for their outdated technology and give their customer a say in how their energy is produced. It's not just about the bottom line anymore. I support Ohio Citizen Action in their fight against the financial bailout from PUCO for Duke energy.

Thomas Lowe



ATTN: Case no: 14-0841-EL-SSO

934 Sheffield Dr
Mason, OH 45040

10-29-14 Case# 14-0841-EI-SSD

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio;

Please Stop Duke Energy from
Raising our Rates + Polluting our
Air.

We are raising Three Young Children
and the thought of paying even more
money for our electric is Anxiety
provoking; but maybe the anxiety is
caused by the polluted air we are
breathing. Please help us
keep saving money, but fix the pollution.
Update technology at Duke's expense -

Not ours!

Sincerely,

Jessica Hosterman
899 ~~Ted~~wind dr
Mason OH 45040

1032 Stafford Pl.
Mason, OH 45040
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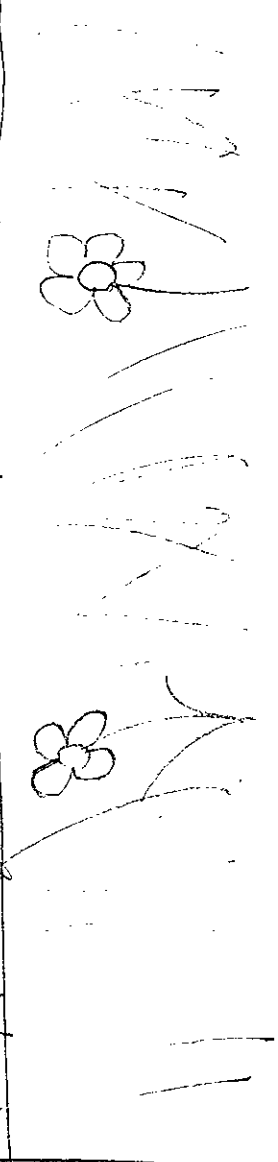
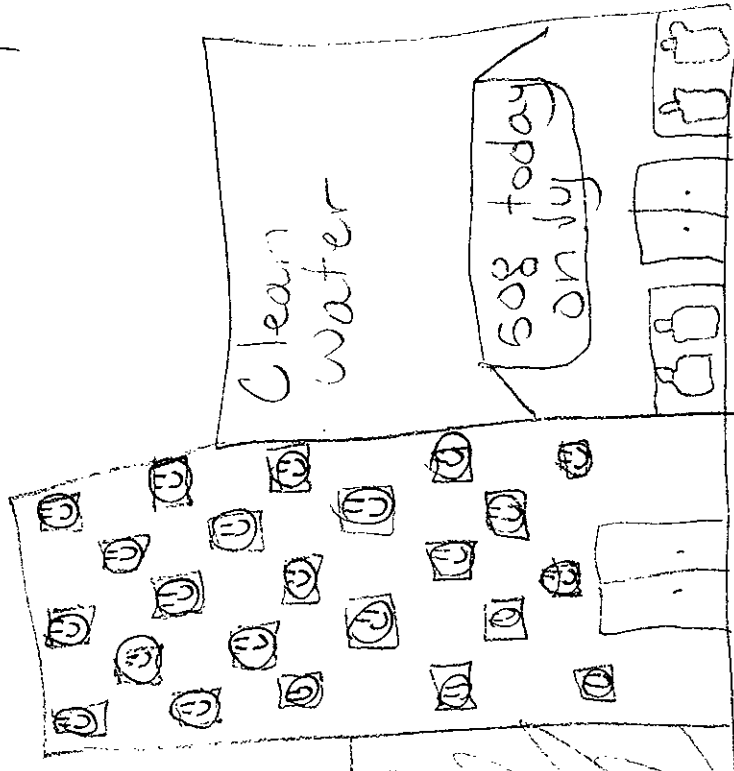
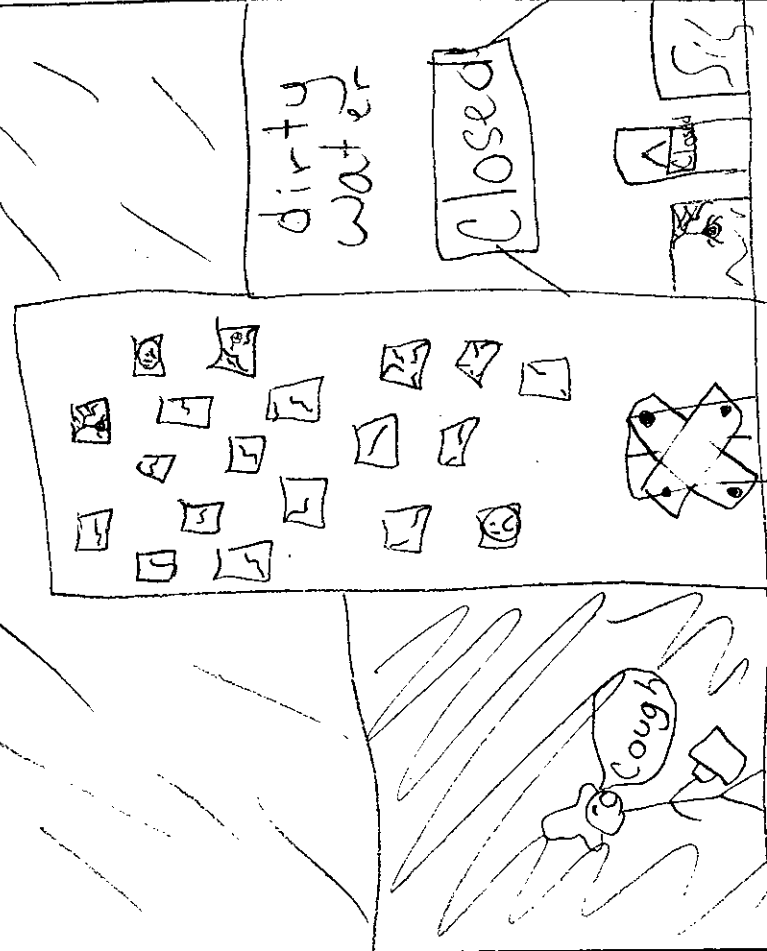
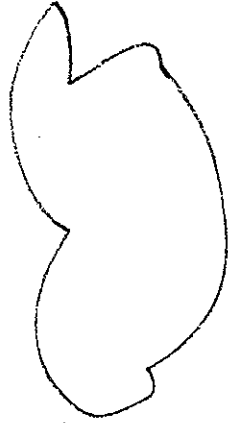
Stop pollution

pollution is 2020

now

no pollution

in 2020



Emily

If you leave your car **on** you

will put PULUSON into the sky so
please stop putting PULUSON. exsmpel

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1032 Stratford Pl.

Mason, OH 45040

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To Public Utilities Commissioners
of Ohio.

Attention Case No, 14-0841-EL SSO

180 East Broad Street

Columbus Oh. 43215

I care about this issue because
this bailout would cause all of
our rates to go up no matter
what energy company we buy from.

John Burger


908 Trany place

Mason Ohio 45040

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James

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1032 Stratford Pl.
Mason, OH 45040
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Mason OH 45040
October 29, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSo
180 E Broad St
Columbus OH 43215

I am writing because I care about increasing
utility bills. I wish not to see them.

I want to reduce air pollution, save money on my
electric bill, and urge our utility companies to invest
in cleaner energy sources for electricity.

There is no thing such as "clean" coal. It pollutes
the environment and cost more each year to produce.

My family and I should not have to pay for Duke
Energy's mistakes caused by using outdated fuel
sources and technology.

We need Duke Energy held accountable to their
customers and not their Shareholders!

Rickey R. Daters
1027 Olympia Drive
Mason OH 45040

Mason OH 45040

October 29, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 E. Broad St
Columbus OH 43215

I am writing this letter because I am sick and tired of paying continually increasing electric bills.

I want to see less air pollution, save money on my utility bill, and see all utility companies go to cleaning and less polluting sources to produce our electricity. There is no such thing as "clean coal". It's a nasty and polluting source of energy production and costs more to produce each year.

My family would love to see Duke Energy pay for its own mistakes and not the customers. Using outdated fuel sources and technology are big mistakes.

We need Duke Energy to be held accountable to us customers and not their shareholders.

Sharon R. Dotson

Krista Brouillard
1066 Sheffield Dr
Mason, Oh [45040]
513-557-6101
wistakreaver@yahoo.com
October 29, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

I am against this bailout for Duke's outdated plants. The money should be used on green energy. I should not have to pay for the continued use of this outdated technology with air pollution!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Krista Brouillard", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Krista Brouillard

TO: PUCO

Aff case NO. 14-6841-EL-SSO

SIRS

We have an Abundance of Clean Energies Available to us as a state and a Nation. We can no longer ignore the obvious issues within our environment.

We need to make the change and overhaul our energy usage it out there and the people producing the energy need to step up to the plate and close down the toxic outdated unfriendly environmental disastrous "CO2 Energies"

There will be no 15 yr Bailout while Duke Energy sits back and financial reaps from hard working young and old - its Done

We want the ~~energy~~ energy that's available - eco-friendly and cost efficient

Time for the Energy Change

No-Bailout!

Donald J. Muenich
1069 Olympia Drive
Mason, Ohio

TO: PUCO

10-29-2014

Att case # 14-0841-EL-SSO

This is A major issue for every man
woman and child of Ohio to
STAND UP TO DUKE ENERGY to STOP
the Bail out of their outdated
toxic energies from their "Coal Plants"

Time to do the right thing - it's the only thing
No More Bail outs

Time to wake up and clean up our
environment

Clean energies are available and we want
them

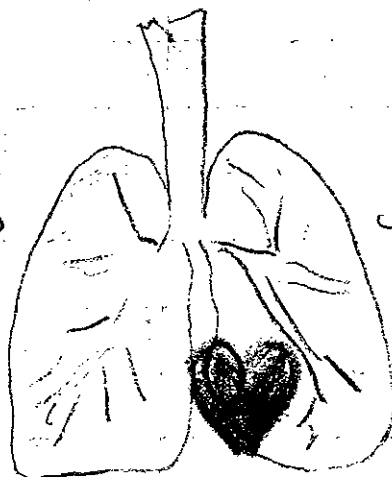
Thank You for fighting
the Fight with us

Bonnie Keough
1069 Olympia Drive
Mason OH 45040

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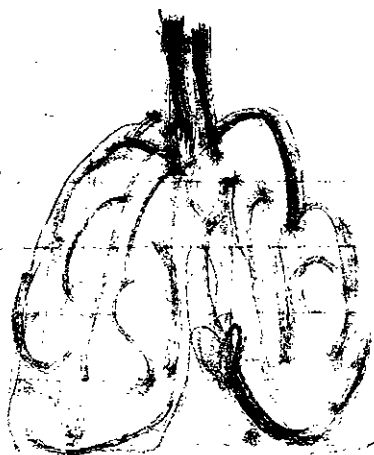
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I want my
lungs like →



healthy

Not like →

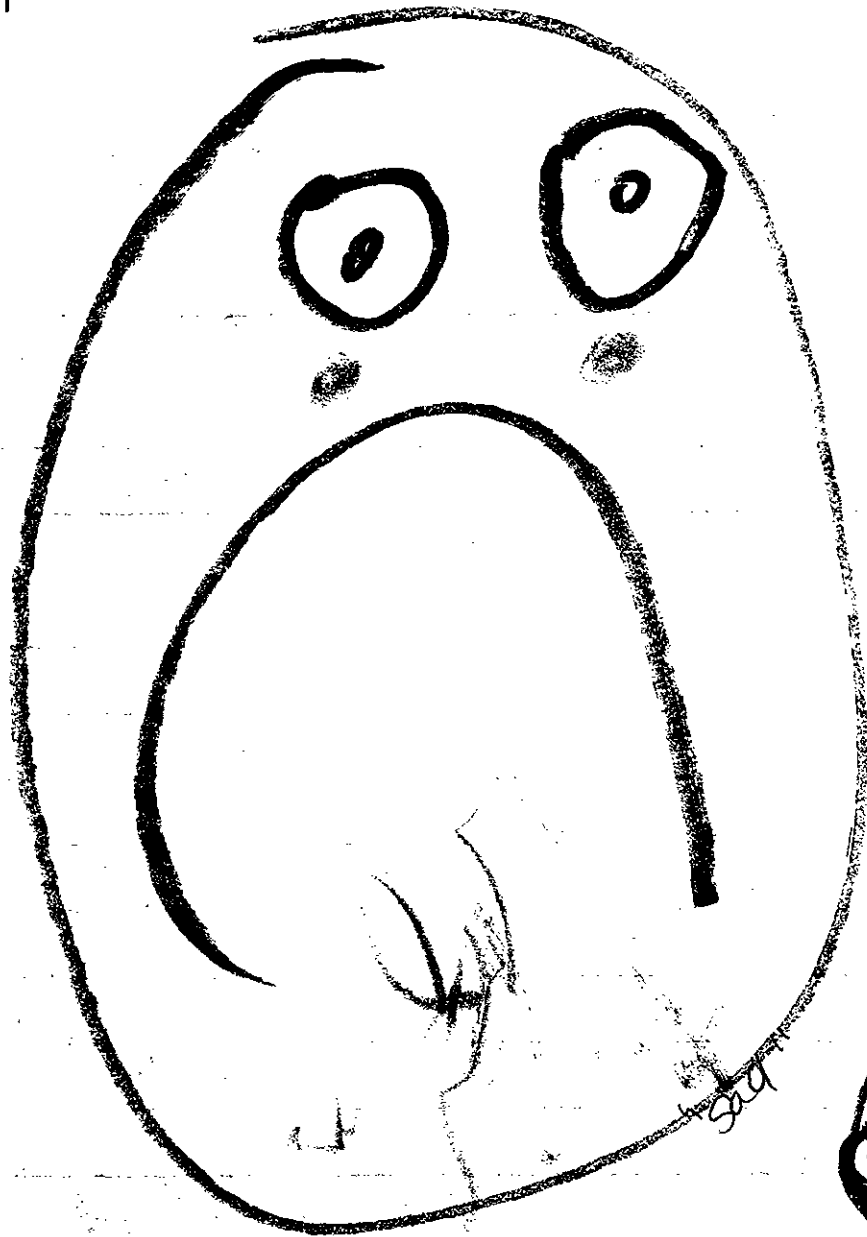


diseased

♥ Lilly Hosterman
899 Tradewind dr
Mason OH 45040

PUCO case # 14-0842-EI-SSD

Dirty Air makes me...



Clean air makes me



Jack Hosterman
899 Tradewind Dr
Mason OH 45040

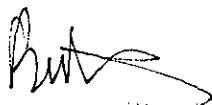
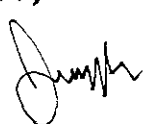
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Attn: Case NO: 14-0841-EL-SSO

Dearest PUCO,

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Love,



818 S Beech Street
Oxford, OH 45056

PUCO

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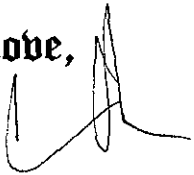
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818 S Beech Street
Oxford, OH 45056

Dear EUCO,

I believe that air pollution needs to be reduced.
Therefore, Duke Energy needs to be held
accountable to their customers - not their
shareholders! I think Ohio is a beautiful
place to live and I would like to keep it that
way. Please listen and understand our
concern about the rise in electricity costs.
We need cleaner energy sources for our electricity!!!

Thank you,

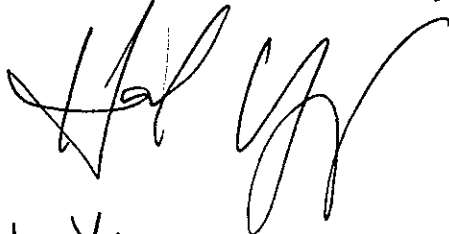
Lexi Sunberg

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attention Case No. 14-0841EL-SSD
180 East Broad Street
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PURD:

I think it is very unfair that you are putting this burden on us, your so-called "valued" customers. We should not be punished for your out-dated techniques. It should not be MY responsibility to pay for your poor choices, that's what your ~~share~~ share holders are for, right? I can't afford a higher bill and my children cannot afford to live in a polluted world. Please be kind to our Earth as well as your customers!

DO THE RIGHT THING!



Haley Younger
807 S. College Ave
Oxford, OH 45056

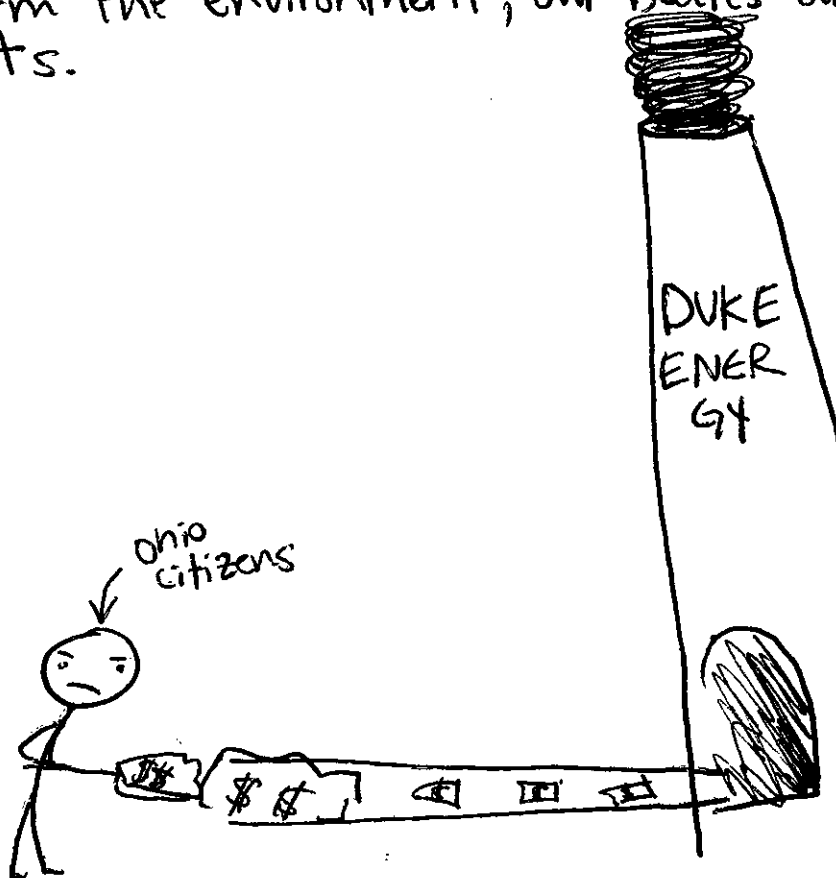
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30 October, 2014

PUCO:

Ohio ranks 3rd in the nation for air pollution!

Do not make citizens pay for Duke's irresponsible actions! We are a state that cares about the environment! Do not allow large corporations to harm the environment, our bodies and our wallets.



Signed,
Rachel
Sheets
7847 Myers Road
Middletown, OH 45042

Braedon Young

516 South Main

Oxford, OH, 45056

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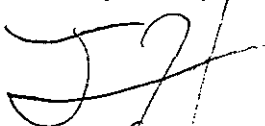
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I'm writing to make you aware of the opinion of the people on this extremely important issue. By excusing Duke Energy to continue their polluting practices when renewable energy is not just competitive but in fact currently cheaper when used on a large scale, you set a dangerous precedent that can have serious consequences. I won't give you the rant about polar ice caps, temperature change, animal habitat destruction, or any of that, I simply want you to be aware that I oppose the potential actions of allowing Duke Energy to continue their outdated coal mining and energy production methods.

Further, I want you to know that I support all actions taken to pursue clean, renewable energy such as solar, wind, or hydroelectric energy production methods. Know that this is not an opinion held by a pocket minority, it is a popular and intelligent goal held by many.

Thank you for your time,



Trevor Hall

Braedon Young

516 South Main

Oxford, OH, 45056

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Conrey Giles

Braedon Young

516 South Main

Oxford, OH, 45056

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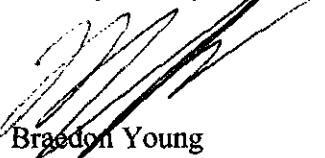
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Thank you for your time,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Braedon Young', is written over the printed name.

Braedon Young

Dear Duke Energy (Attention Case No. 14-0841-ELSS)

I was very dissapointed to hear of your plan to force customers to pay for your old coal plants. As a young college student it is extremely upsetting to think that the future of our air quality & pollution is going in the complete wrong direction. I believe we should all be held accountable for our actions, & you are no exception. The people of Ohio should not have to pay for your mistakes & I would hope that when you think of your own family living in a toxic pollution you can see how upsetting this is to the population of Ohio.

Jaimie Preschlack
2 Wooster PT
Oxford OH 45056

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

I care about this issue because of two main reasons. Firstly, the environmental impact from our outdated coal plants is staggering. Ohio is one of the top producers of Sulfur Dioxide in the nation. This is because we have allowed Duke Energy, among other companies, to continue to use power plants that are outdated and below current standards. Sulfur Dioxide is a greenhouse gas and is a major component in acid rain.

Secondly, renewable energy is the way of the future. It is starting to become economically viable to start replacing coal power plants with wind farms, geothermal, etc. We need to end the freeze on our renewable energy standards. It has saved Ohioans over a billion dollars in the past five years, and this is a trend that must continue.

As a state in the middle of the "coal belt", fossil fuels have been our traditional energy source for over a century. But this era is ending, and Ohio needs to step up and move forward. I am a proud citizen of this state I believe we need to set a precedent for others in the area to follow. The energy needs of our state cannot be sustained on outdated coal plants without destroying our environment and raising our rates. I implore PUCO to resist a bailout for Duke Energy's outdated coal plants.

Thank you,

Matthew Ferguson

618 S College Ave. 45056

ATTN: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

Dear Duke Energy,

We are writing to you as undergraduate students from Miami University because we are concerned about the practices of your company. We do not agree with the fact that your coal plants are outdated. It is best for the environment and you should be disgusted with your company's practices. We want to reduce air pollution, save money on ^{our} ~~our~~ electric bill, and urge our utilities to provide cleaner energy sources for our electricity. We should not have to pay for Duke energy to continue polluting the air with this outdated technology.

Thank you for your time in the consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

The concerned ladies of
17 E Spring Street.

October 30, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

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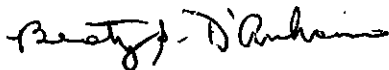
To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to voice my concern for the pollution in our state due to outdated technology used by Duke Energy. Since modern technology exists that would reduce pollution, reduce electric bills, and continue to provide customers with quality service, it seems critical that Duke Energy be held accountable and be required to use cleaner energy sources.

I defend the use of modern technology to sustain our natural resources, and clean, unpolluted air is an important part of sustaining the health of the environment. Human health is jeopardized by the high levels of toxic pollution produced by the use of outdated technology such as that found in the coal plants used by Duke Energy. To reverse the high levels of toxins in our air and avoid the worsening of these levels, it is important that Duke Energy modernize their plants and use cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

Please consider proposing the legislation necessary to hold Duke Energy accountable to their customers.

Sincerely,



Beatriz S. D'Ambrosio
406 Maxine Dr.
Oxford, OH 45056

October 30, 2014

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 East Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

Attention Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO

To Whom It May Concern:

I am a high school senior in the Tallawanda School District, in Butler County, OH. We spend quite a lot of time in high school learning about the need to conserve energy, to preserve the environment, and to assure the sustainability of life on earth by conserving our natural resources.

It is with great concern that I write to you and ask that Duke Energy be held accountable to the citizens of the state of Ohio, and be forced to use cleaner energy sources in order to provide electricity throughout the state.

Since modern technology exists that would reduce pollution, reduce electric bills, and continue to provide customers with quality service, it seems critical that Duke Energy modernize their plants using the updated technology available today.

The health of the environment should be a global priority and the State of Ohio should be doing its part to guarantee that our natural resources are preserved. For that it is important that the high levels of toxic pollution produced by the use of outdated technology such as that found in the coal plants used by Duke Energy be reduced. To reverse the high levels of toxins in our air and avoid the worsening of these levels, it is important that Duke Energy modernize their plants and use cleaner energy sources for our electricity.

Please consider proposing the legislation necessary to hold Duke Energy accountable to their customers, the citizens of Ohio.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gabriela Coelho".

Gabriela Coelho
406 Maxine Dr.
Oxford, OH 45056

**Muriel Blaisdell
410 Sandra Dr.
Oxford, OH 45056**

To the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

ATTENTION CASE NO. 14-0841-EL-SSO

Please help Ohio to move forward to reduce toxic pollution. This cannot happen if we are not forward=looking toward renewable fuels. We are aware of the toll that coal plants take on the air and water. You are to serve the public and we need imaginative leaders to provide that service. My family and I care about this and would like to see Ohio in the front instead of the back of states. We are very near the back now and hope you help that to change.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Muriel A. Blaisdell".

Muriel Blaisdell

You should not pass this bill
b/c Duke energy should be held
accountable for polluting the air.

- Courtney Ann

Oct. 30, 2014

To The Public Utilities Commission of Ohio:

Duke Energy should NOT make their
Customers pay for their old Coal Plants.

This bailout would cause my current
rates to increase, regardless of firm
which company I choose to buy my
electricity.

Thank you,

Kristen Jacobson

820 Clover Circle
Oxford, OH 45056

To the Ohio Public Utilities Commission:

Duke Energy is trying to make ~~the~~
customers & utilities pay for their old coal
plants.

We need DUKE to be held accountable to
their customers and not their shareholders

Thank you,
Armand Whiney

820 Clover Circle
Oxford, OH 45056

Dear PUCO:

I care about this issue
because we need to keep
the environment healthy.

My family and I care about
reducing pollution from coal
powered plants. We should
not have to pay for Duke to
continue polluting our air.

Sincerely,

John

820 Clover Circle
Oxford, OH 45056

Hello PUCO

I DON'T ENVY YOUR JOB, AN IMPATIENT PUBLIC, THE GREENS SHOUTNING CARRYING ON ABOUT THE FILTH IN AIR AND THEN THERE ARE THE THREE PIECE SUIT GUYS, EDUCATED, GROOMED, BIG MONEY ETC. PROTECTING THEIR CUSCHY OFFICES AND STOCK OPTIONS.

DON'T ENVY YOUR YOR JOB!

I THINK THERE IS MONEY IN GOING GREEN, YOU DON'T RAPE THE LAND, CREATE A FEW JOBS THAT DON'T INDUCE BLACK LUNG. HECK YOUR KIDS MIGHT BREATHE CLEAN AIR

SO PUT THOSE THREE PIECE SUIT GUYS ON IT (I HEAR THEYRE MAKING A FORTUNE AND MAYBE THOSE BRAINIACS CAN COME UP WITH SOMETHING BESIDES A GOLDEN PARACHUTE.

THANK YOU

JACOBUS M. SCHEERES
517 BROOKVIEW COURT
OXFROR4D, OH. 45056
OXFORD, OH 45056
~~ACCT. NO. 6116-0156-30-9~~

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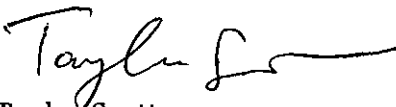
As an Ohio resident, I care about the integrity and actions of the organizations and businesses operating within the state. It has come to my attention that Duke Energy's coal plants are out of date.

It is my desire, as a customer of Duke Energy, and as a resident of Ohio to see Duke Energy update their facilities, and to better steward their impact on the Earth. It would be my desire to see Duke Energy (and other energy manufacturers/suppliers) move away from fossil fuels and explore renewable energy sources. Their long-term success, as well as the long-term health of our Earth will both benefit from this switch.

It has come to my attention that the Ohio legislature passed a two year "freeze" on Ohio's renewable energy standards. I would ask, as a resident of Ohio, that this freeze be removed so that Ohio could grow in its use of renewable energy.

Thank you for considering these desires.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Taylor Scott", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Taylor Scott
816 S. College Ave
Oxford, OH 45056

Andrew Wallis, Jr.
410 S Main St
Oxford, Ohio 45056

To:
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
Attn: Case No. 14-0841-EL-SSO
180 Broad St.
Columbus, Ohio 43215

Dear Commissioners,

This problem of who pays what is very troublesome. Since this will probably cause my rates to rise, this is a cause I care about!

I want to reduce pollution more than most. I do more than most to reach a pollution free environment.

To have anybody other than the stockholder is a crime!

Any business has to account for retiring major equipment when it has ceased its value to the company - Accounting practices require it!

Commissioners do your job.
Sincerely, Andy Wallis