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Sep 30, 2014

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Sincerely,
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Anne Fry
135 Forest Ave
Delaware, OH 43015-1220

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Sincerely,
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Rev Curt Miner
10481 Plattsburg Rd
South Charleston, OH 45368-9342

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Phyllis Smith
7776 S Ridge Rd
Madison, OH 44057-9747

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Jesse Bryant Wilder
5017 Archmere Ave
Cleveland, OH 44144-4006

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Jesse Bryant Wilder

Angel Lincewicz
600 Overlook Dr
Columbus, OH 43214-2926

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Angel Lincewicz

Douglas Thatcher
1023 Osborn Ave
Lorain, OH 44052-1225

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Barbara Rowes
5358 Santorini Dr
New Albany, OH 43054-7608

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We need to invest in clean energy not throw good money after bad technology.

Sincerely,
Barbara Rowes

Alice Frazier
4477 Chapman Rd
Delaware, OH 43015-9373

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Sincerely,
Alice Frazier

Kathleen Dixon
1058 Melrose St
Bowling Green, OH 43402-3550

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Dear PUCO Commissioners,

I am writing today to express my strong opposition to Ohio's electric utilities' attempt to bail out their old coal plants at tax payers' expense. These plants are not competitive with today's market prices for electricity, and they spew toxic pollution into our air and water. It's high time that industries that profited from pollution have to offer those who were adversely affected compensation. They should also be on the hook for costs for clean up.

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Sincerely,
Kathleen Dixon

Mark Brown
PO Box 10083
Columbus, OH 43201-0583

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Sincerely,
Mark Brown

James Runkle
56 Wiltshire Blvd
Oakwood, OH 45419-2519

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Sincerely,
James Runkle

Edwin J Martz
12517 Jeffries Rd
Milan, OH 44846-9451

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Mary Rose Mccrate
250 Allen St Apt 313e
Dayton, OH 45410-1848

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Sincerely,
Mary Rose Mccrate

Jeff Neikirk
1914 Westwood Rd
Troy, OH 45373-8739

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Marie Beckner
2540 Chagrin Dr
Willoughby Hills, OH 44094-9632

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Ohio residents want to go forward and not backwards. Please invest funds in renewable energy rather than coal. Supporting the coal industry is so backwards in view of our current problems with the earth's climate.

Sincerely,
Marie Beckner

Charlotte Clark
270 Luedella Ct
Akron, OH 44310-3241

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Sincerely,
Charlotte Clark

Jerry Dolcini
308 Bellus Rd
Hinckley, OH 44233-9310

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Sincerely,
Jerry Dolcini

Kenneth Miller
9278 Woodworth Rd Unit 302
North Lima, OH 44452-8520

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Sincerely,
Kenneth Miller

Phillip May
7
Athens, OH 45701-2017

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Nicole McAtee
5103 Ford Ave
Toledo, OH 43612-3015

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Sincerely,
Nicole McAtee

Robin Craft
PO Box 126
Plain City, OH 43064-0126

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Robin Craft

Paul Baumann
99 Blenheim Rd
Columbus, OH 43214-3229

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Amy Schumacher
4127 Middlebrook Dr
Beavercreek, OH 45440-3311

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Sincerely,
Amy Schumacher

Brooke King
PO Box 552
Kingston, OH 45644-0552

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Sincerely,
Brooke King

Robert Koehler

Powell, OH 43065-7679

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Paul Feldman
555 S Selby Blvd
Worthington, OH 43085-3727

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Randa Quale
141 East Dr
Centerville, OH 45458-2417

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Sincerely,
Randa Quale

Teresa Reno
3831 Mahoning Rd NE
Canton, OH 44705-4667

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Ed Sisson
3586 Etna St
Columbus, OH 43213-1725

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Ed Sisson

Maryellen Fargey
4143 Meadowsweet Dr
Dayton, OH 45424-4840

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Maryellen Fargey

Ronald Hedges
323 Hetrick Dr
Galion, OH 44833-1848

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Ronald Hedges

Terry Radford
5632 Courage Dr Unit B
New Albany, OH 43054-7641

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Sincerely,
Terry Radford

Joan Lang
3430 Rocky River Dr
Cleveland, OH 44111-2954

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Sincerely,
Joan Lang

Stephen Duncan
26373 Township Road 41
Warsaw, OH 43844-9303

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Garry Burroughs II
2273 Summit St
Columbus, OH 43202-3131

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Sincerely,
Chris Waddell

Tim Kovach
2071 Fulton Rd Frnt
Cleveland, OH 44113-3942

Sep 30, 2014

PUCO Commissioners

Subject: Please scrap utilities' efforts to get bailouts for aging coal plants

Dear PUCO Commissioners,

Enough is enough. For decades, Ohio's major utilities have had their run of things. The PUCO has, by and large, allowed them to plug along, continually making a sizable profit by selling an ever-increasing amount of electricity.

But those days are over. Americans, including Ohioans, are no longer continuing to use more and more electricity, and the utilities are scared. Their business models are an anachronism in a market where natural gas is cheaper than coal for electricity generation, renewable energy is rapidly approaching (or already achieving) price parity, and energy efficiency is the cheapest source of generation available.

The utility heads may claim that they value a free market, but that's utter nonsense. It is clear that the electric utility sector is far from a "free" market. All of those false proclamations about picking winners and losers and keeping the government out of the market go out the window when the utilities cannot keep up with the times and see their profit shares threatened.

Nothing about this request makes any sense. Coal, which accounts for two-thirds of Ohio's electricity generation (twice the national average), is the dirtiest fuel on Earth. From its heavy metals to its criteria air pollutants to its greenhouse gases that are driving climate disruption, coal is as dirty as it gets. Research from MIT and Harvard show that the external costs from coal reach into the hundreds of billions every year for this country, ensuring that it provides a net cost to our society at large. Moreover, research from a variety of sources, including General Electric, the PJM interface, and Ohio State University show that energy efficiency and renewable energy are far better investments for Ohio. We already know that efficiency is the cheapest energy source available, costing less than \$0.02 per kWh in Ohio, a total that is more five times cheaper than the market price of electricity. But, as OSU's research has shown, Ohio's investment in renewables has also driven down the cost of retail electric prices and improved grid performance and reliability.

These requests to prop up the dirtiest, most underperforming coal-fired power plants in Ohio amounts to little more than a bailout for polluters on the backs of ordinary Ohioans. I will not further subsidize our state's filthy air that drives up rates of asthma, chronic respiratory illness, heart disease, and lung cancer. Nor will I continue to pay a royalty to the companies that are changing the very climate that has fostered the development of human civilization. Ohio

needs to take a stand.

We may not be able to undo all the damage caused by SB 310, but we can stem the bleeding. And that starts by saying NO to bailouts for coal-fired power plants.

Sincerely,
Tim Kovach

Mary Costello
24 Northwood Dr
Athens, OH 45701-1341

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