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TO: Public Utilities Commission  
of Ohio

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am concerned about Duke Energy & Associates seeking permission to raise rates in order to cover costs of outdated coal plants.

I hope you will deny their request. In this critical moment of climate change, it is essential to invest our dollars & energy in efficient renewable energy options. We should not be locked into buying power from old, polluting coal plants. We should be doing all we can to reduce toxic pollution and not encourage the use of old technologies that endanger our health, welfare & pocket books.

Case # 14-1297 - EL-SSO - First Energy

Sincerely,

Dimitra Reber

180 Park Meadows Drive

Yellow Springs, Ohio 45387

Dimitra Reber

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J. Daniel Carrigan  
305 Whitehall Drive  
Yellow Springs, OH 45387

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

Dear PUCO,

I understand that Duke Energy, AEP, and First Energy(case #14-1297-EL-SSO) have filed proposals with PUCO to raise customer rates. The profit from this rate increase is to take care of their aging coal plants. Basically putting the cost of these outdated and now inefficient plants on the customer. These plants are long past their "Life Span of Use" and are no longer as viable and need to be replaced with modern technology that is CLEAN and EFFICIENT!

The only people I see benefiting are shareholders. It is time to stop avoiding their/your responsibilities- aka cost and leave the customer alone!! I DO NOT SUPPORT any rate increase and neither should you!

Respectfully yours,

J. Daniel Carrigan

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Dear Commission members,

Re: Case 14-1297-EL-SSO

Please deny the rate increase  
which will lock me and other  
consumers into buying  
power from old and dirty  
coal plants.

Virginia Paget  
205 Park Meadows Dr.  
Yellow Springs, OH  
45387

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Katherine M. Carrigan  
305 Whitehall Drive  
Yellow Springs, OH 45387

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

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Respectfully yours,

*Katherine M. Carrigan*

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Our planet, yours and mine is ~~being~~ dying. It is up to us to halt this process!

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NOW, ASAP  
I don't know  
all you can do  
& decide to do

14-1297-EL-SSO

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Yellow Springs, Oh 45367  
180 East Broad St.  
Columbus, Oh 43215

PUCO  
180 East Broad St.  
Columbus, Oh 43215  
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is important for you to know.  
I am against buying out these energy  
suppliers, even tho I know stock in Duke  
Energy. For shame. They want us to pay  
for keeping out out dated plants that  
are real killers still running.

And how about buying them out even  
tho they purchase energy from another  
source. Does this make any sense to you?

Lets do retire these plants, we must  
become leaders when the leaders  
fail to act for the people and the  
planet - our world.

Best regards for your health  
and safety.

Seamus C. McKenna

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**Hunter, Donielle**

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**From:** j p <jp3122004@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 29, 2015 11:08 PM  
**To:** Puco Docketing  
**Subject:** OPPOSITION COMMENT UNDER CASE # 14-1297-EL-SSO.

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To PUCO,

I as an Ohio resident and tax payer DO NOT support having the public pay for the aging reactor at Davis-Besse plant!

As the world's nuke reactors begin to crumble and fall, the danger of a major disaster is escalating at the decrepit Davis-Besse plant near Toledo, Ohio.

Now the plant's owners are asking the Ohio Public Utilities Commission to force the public to pay billions of dollars over the next 15 years to subsidize reactor operations.

The Davis-Besse Nuclear Power Station near Toledo, Ohio.

But Davis-Besse's astonishing history of near-miss disasters defies belief. Its shoddy construction, continual operator error and relentless owner incompetence would not be believed as fiction, let alone as the stark realities of a large commercial reactor operating in a heavily populated area.

Time and again Davis-Besse has come within a fraction of an inch and an hour of crisis management time. Today its critical shield wall is literally crumbling, with new cracks opening up every time the northern Ohio weather freezes (like this week).

The company's owners have blacked out the entire Northeast including 50 million customers—the largest such disaster in world history.

They allowed boric acid to eat within 3/16th of an inch of a Chernobyl-scale disaster that would've permanently irradiated the Great Lakes region. They have set the record for fines by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, and continue to drain billions of ratepayer dollars from Ohio's bleeding economy.

Now they want those ratepayers to fork over billions more to keep this reactor running beyond the brink.

Hear about Davis-Besse's astonishing story, by listening to this incredible hour-long interview with local attorney Terry Lodge and Kevin Kamps of Beyond Nuclear, along with Tim Judson of the Nuclear Information and Resource Service, three of the key expert activists working to get Davis-Besse shutdown.

Many wild stories have been told about atomic power over the decades, but it's hard to top the true tales from Davis-Besse. In this case, hearing is believing—and holding your head in dismay.

Sincerely,  
James Pecl  
476 Parkside Dr  
Marblehead, Ohio 43440

Hunter, Donielle

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**From:** crupperjim@yahoo.com  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 29, 2015 9:55 PM  
**To:** Puco Docketing  
**Subject:** Davis bessy

I feel for my family's safety and would like to see the nuclear power station shut down.

Sent from Yahoo Mail on Android

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**From:** Debbie Crupper <crupperdebbie@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, March 29, 2015 11:49 PM  
**To:** Puco Docketing  
**Subject:** Shut down Davis Bessie

Sent from my iPad.

Please shut this down our lives are at stake if you lived here you would risk your family or friends would you??? Ty

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