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From: Sierra Club <information@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Patricia Bylica
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Sent: Tuesday, September 08, 2015 5:31 PM
To: Puco Docketing
Subject: No bailouts for coal

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PUCO Commissioners

Dear Commissioners,

I do not support Ohio's electric utilities' attempt to bail out their old coal plants on my dime. These plants are not competitive with today's market prices for electricity, and they spew toxic pollution into our air and water.

Coal, which generates nearly 70 percent of electricity in Ohio, is known to cause major air pollution and negatively impact public health while contributing to climate disruption. Due to Ohio's heavy reliance on coal, we have some of the worst air in the nation.

Ohio's utilities' request to bail out coal plants that are no longer economically feasible is bad public policy that, in addition to costing Ohio electric customers more, will prevent Ohio from reducing dangerous emissions of carbon, soot, smog and mercury pollution.

Sincerely,

Patricia Bylica

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From: Judy Polk
To: PUCO ContactThePUCO
Subject: First Energy
Received: 9/8/2015 11:35:18 AM
Message:
Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Andre Porter,

Senior citizens of Ohio cannot afford to bail out multi-million dollar businesses like First Energy. We can't afford any increase in our monthly expenses!

Sincerely,

Judy Polk

Hunter, Donielle

From: Sierra Club <information@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Frank Stivers
<sierra@sierraclub.org>
Sent: Monday, September 07, 2015 7:42 PM
To: Puco Docketing
Subject: No bailouts for coal

Sep 7, 2015

PUCO Commissioners

Dear Commissioners,

I agree with the Cleveland Plain Dealer's editorial on July 18 "PUCO should reject FirstEnergy rate request" and do not support FirstEnergy's attempt to bail out its old plants on the backs of consumers. These plants are not competitive with today's market prices for electricity, and they spew toxic pollution into our air and water.

As the Plain Dealer stated, FirstEnergy's plan sounds more like "Protecting FirstEnergy Management" than anything that would be in the public interest.

Furthermore, coal, which generates nearly 70 percent of electricity in Ohio, is known to cause major air pollution and negatively impact public health while contributing to climate disruption. Due to Ohio's heavy reliance on coal, we have some of the worst air in the nation.

FirstEnergy's request to bail out plants that are no longer economically feasible is bad public policy that, in addition to costing Ohio electric customers more, will prevent Ohio from reducing dangerous emissions of carbon, soot, smog and mercury pollution.

I reject FirstEnergy's request to bailout their plants and I hope you will as well.

Funny ... I donated forty Greenpeace calendars to school s and county commissioners ... Now the schools , the county and the other areas are getting solar panels and other types of clean energy ...

Sincerely,

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Hunter, Donielle

From: Jerry Alter <jerryalter1950@gmail.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 09, 2015 4:06 PM
To: Puco Docketing
Subject: Rate hike

Dear Chair Public Utilities Commission Ohio Andre Porter,

I am opposed to a rate hike to bail out First Energy.

Sincerely,

Jerry Alter