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Dear

PUCO

I'm opposed to DP&Ls plan to increase the customer charge by more than three times the current rate. To use this fee to "bail out" inefficient or unproductive fossil fuel plants is unconscionable. Do not punish citizens for choosing renewable energy.

Secondly, I realize that in Ohio a variety of fuel options is necessary (including fossil fuels) as our seasons and land vary. However, as a citizen of Ohio I highly encourage an increase in renewable energy (solar, hydro, wind) wherever this is possible. I would rather see incentives for homeowners, businesses, governments, and utilities to switch to these renewable energies when possible.

Lastly, as use of renewable energies increase and use of nonrenewable decrease it would be wise to offer skilled labor positions and training for employees to switch job positions. It is not wise to continue laying off workforce leaving individuals and families in calamity knowing fossil fuel plants are decreasing. Think of the people and the communities.

Thank you for your time,

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Sincerely.

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