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Dear Public Utilities Commission,

It has come to my attention that DP&L plans to more than double their monthly service charges by more than 220%! This is price gouging and they should not be allowed to exploit the public in such a way. Also, instead of using the traditional coal methods they should be using renewable resources. Coal pollutes Ohio waterways. We need to protect our water and become good stewards of our land and water.

Instead of penalizing customers for reducing use they should be encouraging energy efficiency programs and also offering reduced rates to all senior citizens. Please hold DP&L to a higher standard and protect Ohio's citizens.



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