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Re: cases 14-1297-EL-SSO and 14-1693-EL-SSO

Public Utilities Commission of Ohio

180 East Broad Street

Columbus, OH 43215

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To the Public Utilities Commissioners:

Coal plants should no longer be profitable. The companies pollute, and we pay the cost of their pollution with our health and our wealth. They literally profit by selling our state poisonous temptation. The cost of coal appears cheap, but it has tremendous consequences that we and our children will pay for decades, if not centuries.

Stop helping to exacerbate the problems with burning coal.

Deny the rate increase. The coal companies should not profit unduly.

Oppose the freeze of our clean energy standards. Really? Because being one of the worst states already isn't bad enough?

Don't help bailout "failing" coal plants. Economically, they fail because they are not what the market demands.

Now, please, act appropriately and help clean up our state, lower our dependence on fossil fuels, and make me happier, all at the same time.

Thanks,


John J. D'Alessandro

3040 Lischer Ave

Cincinnati, OH 45211

Hamilton County

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Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad St.
Columbus, Ohio 43215-3793

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Re: First Energy Request for Rate Hike

Dear Sirs or Madam:

I am writing to ask that the PUCO deny the First Energy Request for a rate hike. My husband and I are retired. In spite of having had a geothermal furnace installed, good home insulation, keeping the thermostat at 69 degrees, and all other measures to save energy; including use of back up heat in the winter from a gas fireplace, our electric bill this month is \$325.84. This is lower than the past two winters. We have had bills in the \$400.00 monthly range, some approaching \$500.00/month during the past two very cold winters. A real challenge to pay on a fixed income. (No, we do not qualify for any of the heating assistance programs.)

Residents should not be held hostage by the fact that First Energy somehow managed to get approval for continuing operation of the obsolete Davis Bessie Plant, which has had emergency shut downs since approval was given. First energy does not have a strong history of good maintenance, a frightening thought when Davis Bessie sits on part of the largest body of fresh water in the world.

Our First Energy bills continue to look like a Ponzi Scheme. First Energy does not need consumer dollars to put in the bank. They need to have their feet held to the fire to invest in modernization and improve/maintain their current infrastructure. Please deny this request for a rate hike.

Thank you for your consideration.

Marilyn Harshman
Max Harshman

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Marblehead, Ohio 43440

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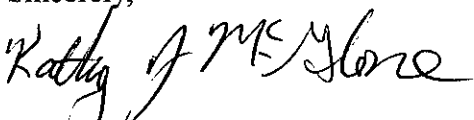
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PUCO of Ohio
Docketing Division
180 E Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215

To Whom It May Concern;

I am writing to discourage you from granting the rate hike requested by AEP. There are better ways to supply the energy needs of Ohio than burning coal and supporting Nuclear Power Plants. AEP needs to increase the green energy efforts without requesting another rate hike from their customers.

Sincerely,



Kathy J McGlone

To -

PUCO 180 EAST Broadstreet
Columbus Ohio 43215

Feb. 18th 2016

Madeline J Wargo
1973 Whinnery Road
Salem, Ohio 44460

Dear Sirs -

I'm a customer of Ohio Edison a First Energy Company. I understand First Energy wants its customers to pay extra through a rate hike or a surcharge to help them out to improve their company. I wouldn't have known about this had I not heard it on the radio!!

I am against this! I don't want any rate hike or surcharges that would increase my electricity.

Thank you
Madeline J Wargo

PUCO

I oppose the
rate increase from
1st Energy

William H. Clark
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Youngstown O
44509

The Ill. Co. definitely
does not; nor should not
get an increase in rates.
Reduce expenses
first! Eliminate expense
phant - Get rid of too
many boxes!!! Expenditures
in particular!
Mr. & Mrs. P. Howard
1825 Burnerton
Lynchburg, Ohio

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