

From: [Porter, Andre](#)
To: [Puco Docketing](#)
Subject: FW: Protect Ohioans from Utility Power Plays
Date: Thursday, February 23, 2017 7:10:06 AM

From: Marie Heath
Sent: Thursday, February 23, 2017 7:02:02 AM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
To: Porter, Andre
Subject: Protect Ohioans from Utility Power Plays

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Please protect hard-working Ohioans, seniors on fixed incomes, and small business owners from ridiculous and totally unnecessary rate hikes. Please tell the PUCO to put a stop to this corporate welfare.

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From: Environmental Defense Fund On Behalf Of Helen Hrinko
Sent: Wednesday, February 22, 2017 9:59:10 PM (UTC-05:00) Eastern Time (US & Canada)
To: Johnson, Thomas
Subject: Reject the FirstEnergy Bailout

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Commissioner Thomas Johnson

Dear Commissioner Johnson,

I'm writing today to ask you to say no to FirstEnergy's request for the PUCO to authorize substantial, customer-funded subsidies to bail out its uneconomic power plants.

Please reject FirstEnergy's proposals so that a powerful utility can no longer block competition and progress for the sake of its own profits. Refusing to rubber-stamp FirstEnergy's requests would send a clear message to businesses, entrepreneurs, investors, and residents that Ohio is ready for a new era--one in which Ohioans' best interest is placed ahead of maintaining the status quo, and electricity is clean, reliable, and affordable.

Please reject FirstEnergy's request. It's what's right for Ohio's customers and clean energy future.

Thank you,

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Please safeguard market competition and reject FirstEnergy's proposal. Doing so would send a clear message to Ohio's businesses, entrepreneurs, investors, and residents: We favor innovation and competition over reigning power players and political clout. Utility profits should not be placed ahead of Ohioans' best interests, and especially not at their personal expense.

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Summary: Public Comment in opposition filed on behalf of various concerned consumers electronically filed by Ms. Donielle M Hunter on behalf of PUCO Staff