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Dear Public Utilities Commission of Ohio,

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Utility bills are skyrocketing. Ratepayers across Ohio are struggling to pay their bills, while utilities like AEP reap billions in profit. Please do not allow AEP to increase our distribution charges, when they can find those funds elsewhere.

Instead of using ratepayer money to pay for generators and other equipment AEP would own, ensure those assets for reliability in vulnerable neighborhoods would be community owned.

Do not approve deferral authority for cost recovery of the OVEC coal plants.

Do approve the energy efficiency programs which save us money, decrease burden on our electric grid, and reduce overall emissions.

Sincerely,

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