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PSC Plans Public Comment Meetings for KU Case #2025-00113 and LG&E Case #2025-00114

FRANKFORT, Ky. (September 11, 2025) – The Kentucky Public Service Commission will hold public comment hearings to provide an opportunity for the public to give comments regarding Louisville Gas & Electric (LG&E) and Kentucky Utilities' (KU) applications to adjust their tariffed rates. On May 30, 2025, LG&E and KU filed applications for a general adjustment of its base rates using a forecasted test year and included other related accounting requests and tariff changes.

LG&E and KU have proposed a rate increase for their Kentucky customers, which is the first such request since 2020. KU is seeking an 11.5% increase, while LG&E is asking for an 8.3% increase for electric service and a 14% increase for natural gas. These increases are proposed to fund infrastructure upgrades and address rising costs, including those associated with severe weather events. The potential changes could mean a monthly increase of \$18.14 for KU customers using 1,085 kWh and \$11.04 for LG&E electric customers using 866 kWh, and \$11.12 for LG&E natural gas customers using 52 Ccf, according to initial estimates.

The PSC will hold four public comment hearings to provide a local opportunity for public comment. The first meeting was held on Monday, September 8 in Louisville. The remaining meetings will be held at the following times and locations:

- Madisonville: Monday, October 13 at 5:00 pm Central Time. Location: Hopkins County Fiscal Court, 56 North Main Street, Madisonville, KY 42431
- Lexington: Tuesday, October 14 at 5:00 pm. Location: Bluegrass Community & Technical College, Newtown Campus, Keenland Room, 500 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40508



 Middlesboro: Thursday, October 16 at 5:00 pm. Location: Middlesboro Community Center, 705 N. Petersborough Ave, Middlesboro, KY 40965

Comments can be submitted at any time at https://psc.ky.gov/Case/SearchCasesPublicComments, emailed to PSC.comment@ky.gov, or mailed to 211 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, KY 40601. All comments should include the commenter's name, address, and the case number.

The complete application, a description of the review process, public comments, and other case filings are available at https://psc.ky.gov/Case/ViewCaseFilings/2025-00114.

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