Dear Mr. & Mrs. Vance:

Thank you for your comments regarding the rate increase proposed by Louisville Gas & Electric Co. Your comments will be placed into the case file for the Commission's review as it considers this matter. As you noted, the case number in this matter is 2009-00549. Please cite it in any future correspondence regarding this case so that your comments may be readily directed to the case file.

Thank you again for your interest.

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To whom it may concern,

For the record, I want to protest the current request of Louisville Gas & Electric to change the way they calculate utility rates and the rate increase for electric service. Ref: case # 2009-00549.

These changes would affect citizens like myself who are on a fixed income. We currently turn down our thermostat, burn wood, wear warm clothing and conserve energy. Should this go through, what would be the incentive to conserve if there is a flat charge. For us two seniors, the flat rate would be unfair.

Thank you, Gary & Charlotte Vance 7503 Pimlico Drive