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Dear Sirs:

This is to let you know that I am totally against the proposed monthly service rate increase that Louisville Gas & Electric is asking for. It is totally insane that any company would be requesting such an enormous increase in this economy.

We have so many people who are on very <u>low</u> fixed incomes and the employed people are not receiving raises like this.

Please take this letter into consideration and <u>deny</u> LG&E's request for this horrible request. We have so many state and school employees who did not get this kind of raises and are struggling to make ends meet. Kentucky has an extremely high unemployment rate and many more whose benefits have expired. Kentucky's retirees are struggling as is everyone else trying to meet their medical and necessary expenses.

Thanking you in advance for your help in this matter, please deny their request.

Sincerely,

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