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Dear Commission Members, I'm Sixty Eight Years Old. I worked 10 years for Bell Telephone Company, and over twenty years in Law Enforcement in this County. This letter pertains to the Rate increase Case # 2023-00159 Requested by Kentucky Power Company. In June 2022 My Electric Power was interrupted from the 17th thru the 21st. In All A Total of 97 Hours! Fact is I observed that No Work was performed on the outage until Monday the 20th. I was informed by an Asplundh Tree Removal Employee on the 18th that Kentucky Power would Not Call out workers on Weekends because of having to pay overtime rates! As this Company works to clear trees from power lines I'm sure He was correct. I also encountered another outage on June 30th. Another 4 Hours, on July 27th thru 28th. Another outage lasting 9 Hours. Again for 2023, No Electric Power March 3rd 8:00 P.M. until March 4th 2:30 P.M. Another 18 Hours! April 17th No Electric Power from 2:00 A.M. thru 5:00 A.M. Another 3 Hours! That's approx. 140 Hours without Electric Service in 10 Months! You Seldom See A Kentucky Power Vehicle in our County. They Contract their work out to Elliot Glass and Electric Company. I talk to many people in our Area about this problem. Most here are on fixed incomes and can't afford another power rate increase and I ask you, as our only voice, to reject this ridiculous proposal.

Sincerely Donald McFaddin