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**Dear Utility Commission of Kentucky,
Regarding Fleming Mason request to charge
more for Electricity.**

**7 VERY IMPORTANT Reasons NOT to allow
Electric companies raise their rates; FLEMING
MASON COOP IN FLEMINGSBURG, KY IN
PARTICULAR. THEY ARE TRYING TO RAISE THE
RATES ON US NOW. DON'T LET THEM.**

- 1. Wages are not going up**
- 2. Inflation is making it more expensive to
buy food and get gas**
- 3. Housing market is slowing down.**
- 4. \$69,271,576 net assets made off of us
citizens of FLEMING MASON ELECTRIC CO
OP OF FLEMINGSBURG, Kentucky.**
- 5. Joni Hazelrigg President and CEO paid
\$178,929 off of us citizens of Kentucky in
one year as published by IRS**

5. 5A. Now Brandon Hunt has taken her place.

6. It is too great a burden put on the people of Kentucky.

7. ONE OF THE MAIN AND MOST IMPORTANT REASONS IS THAT KENTUCKY DOES NOT ALLOW ENERGY INDEPENDENCE LIKE MANY OTHER STATES OF AMERICA.THERE IS A STRANGLE HOLD A MONOPOLY TO BE MORE CLEAR ON THE KENTUCKY CITIZENS HAVE TO BUY ELECTRICITY HERE IN KENTUCKY AND NOT ALLOWED TO PURCHASE ENERGY ON THE FREE MARKET FOR LOWEST COST (ENERGY DEREGULATION WHICH IS THE LAW) IN OTHER WORDS YOU ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BUY ELECTRICITY AT THE LOWEST RATE FROM OTHER ELECTRIC COMPANIES LIKE MOST OTHER STATES ALLOW ITS

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CITIZENS. KENTUCKY NEEDS TO HAVE ENERGY DEREGULATION LIKE 29 STATES THAT SURROUND KENTUCKY ALREADY HAVE. SINCE WE KENTUCKIANS ARE FORCED TO UTILIZE MONOPLIES IN KENTUCKY, WE SHOULD HAVE OUR VOICES RECOGNIZED, REPECTED, OBEYED, AND AGREED UPON BY OUR ELECTRICTY COMMISSION THAT MUST REPRESENT ITS CONSTITUENTS OVER THE INTERESTS OF THOSE WHO RULE OVER US MONETARILY.

Lastly, if you do not prevent them, you are going to force us Kentuckians to legislate in congress Energy Deregulation immediately.

Please respond back to me about this very important matter ASAP.

Thank you for your time and decision,

Bruce Wayne Cowan

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**[REDACTED] YOU CAN CUMMUNICATE
FASTER WITH ME.**

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September 2,2023