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To: "Shariem Wicks" [REDACTED] [Sent You a Personal Message](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 2:08:00 PM

Dear Mr. Wicks:

Thank you for your comments on the application of Louisville Gas & Electric Company for a rate adjustment.

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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From: Shariem Wicks ([REDACTED]) [Sent You a Personal Message](#)
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Sent: Thursday, March 07, 2019 5:41 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Public Comment Dockets No. 2018-00294 and 2018-00295, Kentucky Utilities and Louisville Gas and Electric Rate Cases

Dear Kentucky Public Service Commission,

Please reject Louisville Gas and Electric and Kentucky Utilities proposed rate increases.

This is an unjust, unfair, and unreasonable proposal that is contrary to Kentucky law. I, the undersigned, call on the Public Service Commission to deny this rate change!

These proposals will hurt many customers, especially low- and fixed-income people, apartment dwellers and people who attempt to conserve energy. They will limit our ability to save money by reducing our energy use. And they will discourage many people from installing rooftop solar or energy efficient systems, steps which are needed to lower harmful pollution and protect our health and climate. These rates are unfair, unjust and a step in the wrong direction.

Sincerely,

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From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: ["Ken Brown"](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 2:07:00 PM

Dear Mr. Brown:

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From: Ken Brown [mailto: 
Sent: Saturday, March 09, 2019 9:02 AM
To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>
Subject: Re: case number 2018-00295

My place of residence is:

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Thank you

- Ken Brown

On Mar 8, 2019, at 4:23 PM, Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov> wrote:

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From: Ken Brown [<mailto:> 
Sent: Monday, March 04, 2019 4:12 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: case number 2018-00295

I am writing to express my concern with the process the Kentucky Public Services Commission is using to consider the rate restructure proposed by KU and LG&E. The proposed increase in the basic service charge by the utilities is unfair and unwarranted. All Kentuckians deserve affordable energy, the utilities request for approval of a rate restructure and increase works against the rights and needs of Kentuckians, and is an unfair attempt to circumvent what they have otherwise been unable to accomplish through maneuvering the state General Assembly. The utilities' proposed plan is both bad for consumers and undercuts efforts on the part of constituents to enact energy efficiency in their own homes. The Public Service Commission must live up to it's title and act in the service of the public - open up the approval process to the citizens of Kentucky and reject this rigged deal.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

Ken Brown

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 2:02:00 PM

Dear Ms. Boone:

Thank you for your comments on the application of Louisville Gas & Electric Company for a rate adjustment.

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Sent: Wednesday, March 06, 2019 9:18 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: 2018-00294 (KU) and 2018-00295 (LG&E)

Dear members of the Kentucky Public Service Commission:

I am writing with great concern about the proposed rate increase sought by Louisville Gas and Electric and Kentucky Utilities: Case numbers 2018-00294 (KU) and 2018-00295 (LG&E).

I am a utility customer and I want more affordable and cleaner energy options. This case moves us in the wrong direction. I call on the KY Public Service Commission to allow full and fair public participation in this case, and reject this deal.

Instead of protecting the monopoly utility by going to court to block intervention by groups representing low-income Kentuckians, the KY Public Service Commission should be a fair referee. The KY Attorney General says their input is necessary and relevant to the case. Open your doors and allow the public interest groups to intervene.

I urge the KY Public Service Commission to reject this deal and to open up your public process, as it is bad for consumers, harmful to people on low and fixed incomes, and damaging to energy efficiency and rooftop solar. We deserve better.

Sincerely,

Amy Boone
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From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: "[Annie Darst](#)"
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 2:01:00 PM

Dear Ms. Darst:

Thank you for your comments on the application of Louisville Gas & Electric Company for a rate adjustment.

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From: Annie Darst [mailto:████████████████████]
Sent: Wednesday, March 06, 2019 11:27 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: 2018-00294 (KU) and 2018-00295 (LG&E)

We invested in solar because it is the right direction to move. It is criminal how LG&E/KU are secretly trying to change the game now and reduce the credit we receive. How can they just "change the game" whenever they want to??

All Kentuckians need and deserve affordable and clean energy. This rate case moves us in the wrong direction. The LG&E and KU plan is bad for consumers, harmful to people on low and fixed incomes, and damaging to energy efficiency and rooftop solar. Kentuckians deserve so much better than this. The KY Public Service Commission must open up its public process and reject this rigged deal!

Thank you for listening!

Annie Darst

3013 Tremont Drive
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From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: ["Jim Denny"](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 2:01:00 PM

Dear Mr. Denny:

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From: Jim Denny [mailto: 
Sent: Wednesday, March 06, 2019 9:30 PM
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Subject: 2018-00294 (KU) and 2018-00295 (LG&E)
Importance: High

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Jim Denny

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From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](mailto:Melnykovych.Andrew@PSC)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 2:00:00 PM

Dear Ms. Kielkopf:

Thank you for your comments on the application of Louisville Gas & Electric Company for a rate adjustment.

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From: [REDACTED] [[mailto:\[REDACTED\]](mailto:[REDACTED])] On Behalf Of [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, March 07, 2019 11:24 AM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: 2018-00294 (KU) and 2018-00295 (LG&E)

Dear members of the Kentucky Public Service Commission:

I am writing with great concern about the proposed rate increase sought by Louisville Gas and Electric and Kentucky Utilities: Case numbers 2018-00294 (KU) and 2018-00295 (LG&E).

This case moves us in the wrong direction. LG&E and KU's proposed rate increase is bad for consumers, harmful to people on low and fixed incomes, and damaging to energy efficiency and rooftop solar.

Shifting more of the monthly bill to the fixed monthly service fee discourages customers from conserving energy or investing in rooftop solar.

It appears to be effort to kill solar net-metering, a state policy that makes space for Kentucky's growing homegrown solar industry ... which is contrary to the company's publicized efforts to conserve energy.

Please practice what you preach by encouraging energy conservation and renewable sources. I'm sure, by doing the right thing, financial benefits will win out in the long run.

Sincerely,

Helen Kielkopf

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From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [Jennifer Nunn](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 1:59:00 PM

Dear Ms. Nunn:

Thank you for your comments on the application of Louisville Gas & Electric Company for a rate adjustment.

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From: Jennifer Nunn [mailto:]
Sent: Friday, March 08, 2019 10:42 PM
To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>
Subject: Re: 2018-00294 (KU) 201800295 (LG&E)

Jennifer Mae Nunn
1011 Carlisle Ave
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On Fri, Mar 8, 2019 at 4:23 PM Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
<Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov> wrote:

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From: Jennifer Nunn [mailto: [REDACTED]]
Sent: Tuesday, March 05, 2019 1:17 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: 2018-00294 (KU) 201800295 (LG&E)

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Jennifer Mae Nunn
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From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [Ann Adamek](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Sunday, March 10, 2019 2:08:00 PM

Dear Ms. Adamek:

Thank you for your comments on the application of Louisville Gas & Electric Company for a rate adjustment.

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From: Ann Adamek [<mailto:> 
Sent: Tuesday, March 05, 2019 1:35 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Oppose LG&E Rate Increase - Case #2018-00295

I am writing to vehemently oppose the requested LG&E rate increase request. This increase would disproportionately affect low-income households, and it would discourage efforts at conservation. I am an elderly person on limited income, and I care deeply about our environment. I have always conserved energy use, and believe increasing the base rate would discourage that practice. Last December, Mayor Fischer announced that the city has set a goal to reduce its greenhouse emissions by 80% by 2050. The proposed rate increase would contradict any effort toward that goal. Please consider my strong objections to this rate increase. Ann Adamek, 1703 Lynn Way, Louisville, Ky. 40222

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