

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: "Glenda Spurling"
Subject: RE: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 12:54:00 PM

Dear Ms. Spurling:

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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By Kentucky PSC at 2:29 pm, Feb 01, 2019

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From: Glenda Spurling [mailto:]
Sent: Friday, February 01, 2019 12:31 PM
To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>
Subject: Re: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates

Yes, I am a customer; mt. Washington, KY Glenda Spurling

Sent from my iPad

> On Feb 1, 2019, at 12:28 PM, Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov> wrote:

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> So we know whether the commenter resides in the service territory of the utility in question.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Glenda [mailto:]

> Sent: Friday, February 01, 2019 12:22 PM

> To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>

> Subject: Re: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates

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> I would like to have my comments placed into the case file. Why do you need my place of residence to do this?

> Glenda Spurling

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> Sent from my iPad

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>> On Feb 1, 2019, at 11:50 AM, Melnykovich, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovich@ky.gov> wrote:

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>> Dear Ms. Spurling-

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>> If you wish to have your comments placed into the case file, please REPLY TO THIS E-MAIL and provide your place of residence.

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>> -----Original Message-----

>> From: Glenda Spurling [REDACTED]

>> Sent: Monday, January 07, 2019 11:30 AM

>> To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>

>> Subject: LG&E' Basic Service Charge Increase Request

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>> This is already an outrage as it stands now without allowing a further increase AND is disguised as nothing more than a guaranteed income stream for the company. Be a conscious leader and do the right thing by protecting consumers from this predator and NOT allow this increase to become a reality. If LG&E would stop spending millions on executive perks (company cars, unlimited gas card spending, trips, bonuses, etc.), they would have more than enough money to do what they say they are going to do with this money! They are quickly becoming very greedy spoiled energy whores! It is absolutely ridiculous to have to pay a company just to be a customer! It was a huge mistake to ever allow this to start and now it's not enough; it will never end or ever be enough! What a disgrace to people who have to work hard to hand over money that is apparently unappreciated! STOP the nonsense!!

>> Glenda Spurling

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>> Sent from my iPad

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From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: ["Steve Kute"](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:33:00 AM

Dear Mr. Kute:

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

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From: Steve Kute [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, January 25, 2019 4:15 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case Number 2018-00295

Dear Kentucky PSC:

I am from Louisville and have utilities through LG&E. In case number **2018-00295** you are considering raising rates and you are considering how any approved increase should appear in my bill: in the fixed meter charge or in the usage. This is an important issue to me and those I know. Before you decide this case, please hold a public comment hearing in Louisville so we

customers can be better informed and so you can hear the concerns of the people who will be paying the bill. Thanks.

Sincerely,
Steve Kute

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:49:00 AM

Dear Mr. Hanka:

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: PSC - Consumer Web Inquiry
Sent: Monday, January 07, 2019 11:46 AM
To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>
Subject: FW: LG&E fixed rate hike.

From: Tony Hanka <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, January 7, 2019 11:04 AM
To: PSC - Consumer Web Inquiry <PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov>
Subject: LG&E fixed rate hike.

For the past two weeks, the news has had multiple stories about more rate hikes for LG&E. I just want to inform you, that as a senior living on a very small fixed income, I can't afford it. I walk around my house layered up in the winter, and barely dressed in the summer already. Another increase, and I may as well have my service cut off. Your decisions are surely helping the utility companies increase their profit lines, while making those of us living under the poverty line, have to decide whether we can afford medicines, eat more than once a day if at

all, or even consider selling our homes, and move into some dump of an apartment, in order to survive. This boards past decisions have already let MSD raise rates so high, that I am seriously having to bathe less, wear clothes three or four days in a row, to cut back on washing them and even reduce the amount of water I drink. Which certainly is not healthy. I am currently paying, because of MSD, roughly seventy-two dollars a month, for 3000 gallons of water. The MSD rate is almost 2.5 times higher for getting rid of the water, than it is for bringing it into my home. There are too many people that get their service from LG&E that are already struggling each month to make ends meet. Many of them are doing exactly the things I previously mentioned to get by on what little money they have. I am asking for the sake of those like myself, who can not afford another dollar added to their monthly expenses. Help the struggling, for once. Please, do not allow any rate increase for LG&E.

Respectfully,
A.P. Hanka

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:47:00 AM

Dear Ms. Spurling:

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From: PSC - Consumer Web Inquiry
Sent: Monday, January 07, 2019 11:48 AM
To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>
Subject: FW: KY PSC Utility Inquiry

From: KY Public Service Commission <pscfilings@ky.gov>
Sent: Monday, January 7, 2019 11:10 AM
To: PSC - Consumer Web Inquiry <PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov>
Subject: KY PSC Utility Inquiry

Below is the result of your feedback form. It was submitted by [REDACTED]
on Monday, January 7, 2019 at 11:09 AM

Name: Glenda Spurling
Address: 500 Cross Creek Lane
City: Taylorsville

State: KY

Zip Code: 40071

Phone number where you can be reached: [REDACTED]

Home phone: [REDACTED]

Utility Name: LG&E

State the nature of your concern: LG&E's Basic Service Charge INCREASE request: This is already an outrage as it stands now WITHOUT allowing an increase and is disguised as nothing more than a guaranteed income stream for the company. Be a leader and do the right thing by protecting consumers and NOT allowing this increase to become a reality. If LG&E would STOP spending millions on executive perks (company cars, unlimited gas card spending, trips, bonuses, etc), they would have the money to do what they say they are going to do with this money. It is absolutely ridiculous to have to pay a company just to be a customer!! Stop the nonsense!!

Have you contacted the utility about the problem: No

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: ["Drew Foley"](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:45:00 AM

Dear Mr. Foley:

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

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From: Drew Foley [mailto:████████████████████]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 7:17 AM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Comment on Case No. 2018-00295

Dear Sirs,

I am an LG&E customer and am very concerned about the proposed rate increase in Case Number 2018-00295.

Please **schedule a public meeting in Louisville** during February to hear the concerns of those directly affected by the proposed rate increases.

Regards,

Drew Foley



7406 Spirngvale Drive
Louisville KY 40241

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: "[Cassia Herron](#)"
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:44:00 AM

Dear Ms. Herron:

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

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From: Cassia Herron [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 12:06 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: RE: Case No. 2018-00295

I am an LG&E customer and would like the PSC to offer a public hearing on the proposed rate increase.

I recently got new service and found after the first month I was unable to pay my bill on time because I was asked to pay the bill plus part of a deposit. I was not living in the house, but nevertheless, with little service being used, my bill was around \$100. When my service was disconnected, I was told that had to pay the full bill and full deposit before my service would be reconnected. Why would LG&E with its billions of dollars expect that I would be able to pay the full deposit and the bill if I could not afford the bill? They are not treating low-income customers with respect or making decisions that would enable people to keep up with our bills. They continue to try to get rid of net-metering and refuse to offer options for people to make

energy efficiency retrofits that would lower energy consumption.

This rate hike is just another way from Lg&E to get profits without any upgrade to service. If my bill was \$100 with minimal usage, what can I expect my bill will be with this increase? There already too many charges.

Please host a public meeting and reject the request.

Sincerely,

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Cassia Herron

From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [David Dunn](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:42:00 AM

Dear Mr. Dunn:

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

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From: David Dunn [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 2:24 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Rate Increase

Dear Kentucky PSC:

I am a Louisvillian who has utilities through LG&E. In case number **2018-00295** you are considering raising rates and you are considering how any approved increase should appear in my bill: in the fixed meter charge or in the usage. This is an important issue to me and those I know. Before you decide this case, please hold a public comment hearing in Louisville so we customers can be better informed and so

you can hear the concerns of the people who will be paying the bill.
Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

Before you do any rate increases, why not install solar panels on homeowners roofs?

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David Dunn
3320 Goldsmith Ln.
Louisville KY 40220
[REDACTED]

“The care of human life and happiness, and not their destruction, is the first and only object of good government.” - Thomas Jefferson

“Make the most you can of the Indian hemp seed and sow it everywhere.” George Washington
– 1794

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: "[Lindsay Wallace](#)"
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:42:00 AM

Dear Ms. Wallace:

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

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From: Lindsay Wallace [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 2:08 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: LG&E Rate Increase

Dear Kentucky PSC:

I am a Louisvillian who has utilities through LG&E. In case number **2018-00295** you are considering raising rates and you are considering how any approved increase should appear in my bill: in the fixed meter charge or in the usage. This is an important issue to me and those I know. Before you decide this case, please hold a public comment hearing in Louisville so we customers can be better informed and so

you can hear the concerns of the people who will be paying the bill.
Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,
Lindsay Wallace

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:40:00 AM

Dear Mr. Schwartz :

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

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 4:35 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: hearing the voices of advocates

Dear Members of the Public Service Commission,

I am writing to encourage you to take testimony from low-income advocates as LG&E proposes new rates for residential customers.

Having been a volunteer and a staff for non-profits working with low resourced households it is imperative that voices that articulate their interests be represented as this rate case moves forward.

Over the many years I served in these capacities I had the opportunity to visit hundreds of homes and apartments to talk to, to listen to and to educate around energy conservation issues.

Low-income advocates are essential in rate cases. They have been before through many decades, and now when economic life is becoming ever more a challenge to a large segment of our public.

Please hear the plea of those who want to have the opportunity to address the issues being raised by this current rate case by our local utility, LG&E.

Thank you,

Frank Schwartz
1183 East Broadway #2
Louisville, KY 40204

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:38:00 AM

Dear Ms. Adams:

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

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From: PSC - Consumer Web Inquiry
Sent: Wednesday, January 23, 2019 9:11 AM
To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>
Subject: FW: Concern with proposed rate increase

From: Alice Adams [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 9:12 PM
To: PSC - Consumer Web Inquiry <PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov>
Subject: Concern with proposed rate increase

To Whom it May Concern:

I am an LG&E customer in Louisville, Kentucky. I am concerned about the proposed rate increase in Case No. 2018-00295. According to the rates listed, it would raise my bill by about \$600 for the year. I am 68 years old and such increases make difficult choices for our budget. I know it will also do so for many LG&E customers that are low-come and / or on fixed incomes. Please schedule a public meeting in Louisville during February to hear the concerns of those directly affected by the proposed rate increases. Citizens should have the right to voice their concerns and opinions and have them heard. Large corporations to not speak for the regular LG&E customer.

Thank you for your attention to this serious matter.

Jeanette Alice Adams

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows 10

From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [ellen](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:37:00 AM

Dear Ms. Friedman:

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

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From: ellen [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 23, 2019 10:12 AM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: case number 2018-00295

Dear Kentucky PSC:

I am a Louisvillian who has utilities through LG&E. In case number **2018-00295** you are considering raising rates and you are considering how any approved increase should appear in my bill: in the fixed meter charge or in the usage. This is an important issue to me and those I know. Before you decide this case, please hold a public comment hearing in Louisville so we customers can be better informed and so you can hear the concerns of the people who will be paying the bill. Thank you.

Ellen Friedman

“A mind is like a parachute. It doesn't work if it is not open.” [*Frank Zappa*](#)

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: ["christopher skye"](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:35:00 AM

Dear Mr. Skye:

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

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From: christopher skye [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 23, 2019 12:53 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: case number 2018-00295

Dear Kentucky PSC:

I am a Louisville resident who has utilities through LG&E. In case number 2018-00295, they are asking you to consider a rate increase. This is an important issue to me and those I know. Before you decide this case, please hold a public comment hearing in Louisville so we customers can be better informed and so you can hear the concerns of the people who will be paying the bill.

Thank you in advance.

Christopher Skye

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: "[Becky Roehrig](#)"
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:34:00 AM

Dear Ms. Roehrig:

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

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From: Becky Roehrig [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, January 25, 2019 11:10 AM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case 2018 - 00295 - hearing in Louisville request

To the Kentucky Public Service Commission,
I am writing to request a public hearing in Louisville so resident of Louisville can respond to case number 2018-00295. This case is proposing raising the amount of the fixed meter charge. I would like to hear the proposal and to be able to let you know how it will impact me and others in Louisville. I am a LG&E customer.

Thank you for your consideration.

Becky Roehrig
[REDACTED]

From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:32:00 AM

Dear Ms. Heinz:

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

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Saturday, January 26, 2019 8:18 AM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: public hearing

I write to request that a public hearing be scheduled for case 2018-00295.

The fixed meter charge does NOT encourage reasonable home energy conservation.

I remind you: there is no Planet B. You are in a position to make a huge difference whether we preserve or destroy.

People deserve a voice in this issue.

Rosalind Heinz
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From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [Mary](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:31:00 AM

Dear Ms. Bryan:

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

Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration.

As you noted, the case number in this matter is 2018-00295. It would be helpful if you would please refer to it in any further correspondence.

The documents in this case are available at http://psc.ky.gov/PSC_WebNet/ViewCaseFilings.aspx?case=2018-00295.

A news release on upcoming public meetings in Louisville Gas & Electric and Kentucky Utilities rate cases may be found here: https://psc.ky.gov/agencies/psc/press/012019/0131_r01.pdf

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Mary [REDACTED]
Sent: Saturday, January 26, 2019 12:01 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Proposed Utility Increase Case No. 2018-00295

I am a utility customer of Louisville Gas and Electric and am concerned about the proposed rate and fixed meter increases proposed. I am requesting that the Commission schedule a public hearing in Louisville in February to hear the concerns/impact of these proposed changes to the customers of LG&E, particularly low income customers.

Thank you,

Mary Bryan

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From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [Amanda Fuller](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:30:00 AM

Dear Ms. Fuller:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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From: Amanda Fuller [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, January 28, 2019 11:13 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Re Case No. 2018-00295

I am an LGE customer and I want to say I am opposed to the rate increase as proposed because it is most detrimental to low income consumers and small households. If you have to raise rates the fair way to raise rates is to raise the price per kilowatt hour and the price per ccf. Any other rate increase is regressive and fundamentally increases the wealth gap between rich and poor people.

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Amanda Fuller
800 Goullon Ct. 40204
[REDACTED]

From: [Melnykovych, Andrew \(PSC\)](#)
To: [Donald Feeney](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 11:29:00 AM

Dear Mr. Feeney:

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

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From: Donald Feeney [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, January 30, 2019 3:48 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Proposed Rate Increase

PSC I am a LGE customer and I am concerned about the proposed rate increase in Case No. 2018-00295. Please schedule a public meeting in Louisville during February to hear the concerns of those directly affected by the proposed rate increases. Sincerely, Don Feeney Jr. D.M.D. 1446 Hickory St Louisville, Ky 40217 [REDACTED]

From: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC)
To: ["V Lee"](#)
Subject: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates
Date: Friday, February 01, 2019 2:10:00 PM

Dear Ms. Lee:

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

Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration.

For your future reference, the case number in this matter is 2018-00295. It would be helpful if you would please refer to it in any further correspondence.

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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From: V Lee [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, February 01, 2019 1:05 PM
To: Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov>
Subject: Re: your comments in case 2018-00295 - LG&E rates

Virginia Lee

On Fri, Feb 1, 2019 at 11:41 AM Melnykovych, Andrew (PSC) <Andrew.Melnykovych@ky.gov> wrote:

If you wish to have your comments placed into the case file, please REPLY TO THIS E-MAIL and provide your full name.

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From: V Lee [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 3:26 PM
To: PSC - Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: HEARING NEEDED for Case number 2018-00295

To whom it may concern,

I am a Louisvillian who has utilities through LG&E

I understand that LG&E has proposed rate hike and there is no scheduled hearing. Why is that? This issue is important to me and we all deserve the opportunity to weigh in on such an important change.

I bet they are trying (again) to get approval for fixed meter charges. Please know that I am opposed to this structure. It is completely feasible for LG&E to raise rates through usage fees. Meter fees just hurt those who can least afford it. We need to encourage efficiency and increased meter fees do just the opposite. Relying on usage fees gives people the option, you can use all the energy you want, but if you choose to use less it can save money.

Please let me know why there will not be a public comment hearing.

Thank you,
Virginia

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