From: <u>Bruner, Brandon S (PSC)</u> on behalf of <u>PSC Executive Director</u>

To:

Case Related Question

Subject: Onto

Monday, November 30, 2020 3:54:00 PM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

Best Regards,

Brandon Bruner Administrative Branch Manager Filings Branch General Administration

Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Blvd. Frankfort, KY 40601

From: Jon Jacek

Sent: Friday, November 27, 2020 12:38 PM

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

Subject: Case Related Question

Re: Case #2020-00349 Rate Increase

Sent from Mail for Windows 10

I would like the Public Service Commission to DENY the latest request by Kentucky Utilities for a general rate increase. I am on a fixed income having retired a few years ago, and find it most difficult to keep up with the constant fee and rate increases of businesses in general, and Kentucky Utilities in particular.

It seems like a losing battle every year to fight these constant requests for more money.

Please do the right thing for us as consumers, who must watch how they spend their money, to turn down this request.

Thank you for your time.

Jon Jacek 3108 Fawn Leap Drive Lawrenceburg, KY 40342

From: <u>Bruner, Brandon S (PSC)</u> on behalf of <u>PSC Executive Director</u>

To:

Subject: KU rate increase request

Date: Monday, November 30, 2020 3:54:00 PM

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From: Ken Stewart < > Sent: Wednesday, November 25, 2020 4:02 PM

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

Subject: KU rate increase request

November 25, 2020

Dear Public Service Commission:

As a resident of Kentucky, and a customer of Kentucky Utilities, I want to register my strong opposition to Kentucky Utilities' request for a rate increase. KU just received a rate increase last year, and 2017 as well. They are like hogs at the trough—just can't get enough. Needless to say in the middle of the Covid19 pandemic when many people are experiencing severe financial loss, KU's timing could not have been more ill-advised.

Now is NOT the time for an electricity rate increase for the people of Kentucky.

Sincerely,

Ken Stewart 166 Sylvan Way Lancaster, KY 40444 From: <u>Bruner, Brandon S (PSC)</u> on behalf of <u>PSC Executive Director</u>

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

Sent: Monday, November 30, 2020 9:32 AM **To:** PSC Executive Director <PSCED@ky.gov>

Subject: FW: CASE NO. 2020-00349

From: Sarah Spencer <

Sent: Sunday, November 29, 2020 3:37 PM

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

Subject: CASE NO. 2020-00349

Hi Public Service Commission,

I saw the Customer Notice of Rate Adjustment, in the <u>Herald Leader</u>, indicating that Kentucky Utilities (KU) is seeking approval for another adjustment of it electric rates and charges.

Frankly, I was shocked and disappointed that KU would be seeking a 10.67% rate increase during the pandemic. As you know, the pandemic has caused significant health and economic hardship across Kentucky. Record job losses and unemployment are causing many people to struggle to make ends meet.

On a personal level, I recently retired and it made me wonder how money saved over a life-time could possibly last for another 25 years when KU (as well as other utility companies) are constantly seeking rate increases, especially double-digit ones. I have taken steps to increase the energy efficiency of my home by adding more insulation, upgrading windows and doors, and buying Energy Star appliances. I expect to continue this practice of finding ways to reducing my energy consumption and using energy wisely, but it seems the I more I do, the higher KU's rates go up.

One final point – Have you ever noticed that KU (and other utilities) always have very nice late model vehicles and equipment. Their employees are never driving older trucks or using older equipment. You would think that sometimes they would have to tighten their belt like the rest of us.

Now is not the time for an increase in rates!

Thank you for your consideration and support.

Scott Spencer

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