

From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: 2020-00349
Date: Tuesday, April 6, 2021 12:42:00 PM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

Best Regards,

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 5, 2021 4:19 PM
To: PSC Executive Director <PSCED@ky.gov>
Subject: 2020-00349

From: Rick Cook <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Saturday, April 3, 2021 12:30 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Kilowatt hour for Kilowatt hour

Dear Sir or Madam,

I wanted to voice my opposition to the rate changes proposed by KU regarding home based solar systems.

I have a solar system on my home and it is working great. I'm encouraging my neighbors to install solar systems, especially those with all electric homes. The simplicity of grid tied systems is wonderful since there are no batteries to maintain. We are supplying renewable energy back onto the grid during peak usage hours so that KU does not need to generate as much power to supply the businesses that primarily consume during the daylight hours.

When KU exchanges power with producers like us, at the KWh for KWh rate, our home systems become financially feasible. I am able to recover my investment in seven to eight years and then reap the benefits of the solar system for the life of the system. If you allow KU to change to the \$0.02/KWh rate, then our system payback becomes 5 times longer 30 to 35

years and this makes installing home based solar systems non-feasible for homeowners. The life of a solar system is only 25 - 30 years. This will virtually end the most cost effective way to add renewable energy generation to KY.

I urge you, not to approve this aspect of their rate proposal and save the home energy solutions now available to homeowners.

Thanks,

Richard Cook
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From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
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Subject: FW: Rate Increases KU/LGE
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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
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To: PSC Executive Director <PSCED@ky.gov>
Subject: FW: Rate Increases KU/LGE

From: Jinny Sturgeon <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Sunday, April 4, 2021 11:53 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Rate Increases KU/LGE

I am a widow living on a fixed income. My electric bill has increased drastically lately. This is creating a hardship for me and many other people. I have had conversations with people who say their electric bill has doubled. My budget bill went up \$40 a month. That is substantial.

Please do not allow further hardships on citizens by granting further rate increases to KU/LGE.

Virginia Sturgeon

From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: 2020-00349 case number
Date: Tuesday, April 6, 2021 12:43:00 PM

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From: Kitty kat <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Sunday, April 4, 2021 3:19 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: 2020-00349 case number

To whom it concern,

This is a rough time for everyone. There are still a lot of people without jobs. If rates go up it will be even worse. People can't pay their bills now how do they think they will pay them later. If it goes up it will be hard for me to pay bills. Please help us

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From: Alexa Kelley [REDACTED] >
Sent: Sunday, April 4, 2021 10:55 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case # 2020-00349

Stop allowing KU to raise rates. They already estimate bills and over charge people. And they have had rate increases very recently. Force them to look internally for the money like companies bay have competitors do. It's strange that the council repeatedly allows rate increases. Be easy to run against y'all if you approve this measure.

Alexa Kelley

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Kathy Havens <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, April 5, 2021 9:03 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case #2020-00349

To whom it may concern,

I disagree with the proposed rate hike because families are still struggling to buy food and to pay bills. People are still unemployed and issues with getting unemployment funds. This is a terrible time to even think about a electric rate hike with the country in this pandemic.

Kathy Havens
Sent from my iPhone

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From: Stacy Nudd [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, April 5, 2021 12:40 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Case No. 2020-00349

I am writing to protest the proposed increase in KU's prices fo electricity. I am currently unemployed due to the pandemic and collecting unemployment. Any increase will constitute undue financial stress. Any money I have must go to shelter and food.

Stacy Nudd

From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Concern over anticipated Rate Increase: Case No. 2020-00349
Date: Tuesday, April 6, 2021 12:43:00 PM

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From: schweitzer, christopher S - Lexington, KY [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, April 5, 2021 11:28 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Concern over anticipated Rate Increase: Case No. 2020-00349

To Whom It May Concern,

I feel with the continuing pandemic effects it has caused and the local impact it has subjected Lexington residence to, the need for an increase would be counter intuitive and basically a slap in the face to the residence who have supported Lexington in its time of need of higher tax rates throughout the years.

The need to justify why there shouldn't be an increase should be of common sense especially the environment in which we are living in with high unemployment and job losses as well as restrictions on certain services which reflect on income disparity. As with any rate increase there has to be some cut backs

So, do I decide not to feed my children for the day or to not use heat or air conditioning or my stove or hot water to recoup the added expense because KU/LG&E decide its time for a rate increase whether to satisfy investors or the go to excuse of maintaining current maintenance on existing infrastructure.

The old adage goes "It's not the money that is the root of all Evil, it is the Greed for the money that is Evil", it saddens me to have to write this letter just to state the obvious that this should not even be

an issue especially at a juncture in the current conditions or any condition for that matter.
I hope this letter presses the importance of not allowing a rate increase and instills the humanity
that Lexington residence need at this pivotal time in their lives.

Christopher Schweitzer

Phone [REDACTED] | Cell [REDACTED]

From: [Bruner, Brandon S \(PSC\)](#) on behalf of [PSC Executive Director](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: KU,LGE RATE INCREASE REQUEST
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From: steve young [REDACTED] >
Sent: Saturday, April 3, 2021 11:16 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: KU,LGE RATE INCREASE REQUEST

once again this utility company is asking for average Kentucky consumer to pay for there operating expenses. It seams as though every year K.u. Claims they need a large increase to continue doing business. They should not be allowed to shift their cost of doing business to consumers every year! Yes their one of the cheapest utility company in the country. Also, cheap Ky. Coal has allowed K.u. To profit. Average customers under stand the price goes up on almost everything. But, over 10% that's gross disrespect for its customers. Even 6% will hurt the average family budget. This on top of the way the commission allowed KU to walk all over customers that brought solar panels! Now what? KU going say they lost money due to ice storm! They don't plan for that in their budget. It never ends. We all love the state of KENTUCKY, we just want these businesses to respect their customers as understand our economic Situation. Please say no to any increase 5% and above.

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