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

To:

Subject: Case Related Question Case#2021-00214

Date: Monday, August 2, 2021 10:26:00 AM

Thank you for your comments on the application of Atmos Energy Corporation. Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2021-00214, in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at <u>View Case Filings for: 2021-00214 (kv.gov)</u>.

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

Best Regards,

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Regarding Atmos Energy Corporation request for price increase.

I fail to understand why the monthly base charge for residential customers needs to increase by 18%.\$248.16 per.year for the privilege of being connected to and buying natural gas which is already excessive let alone being increased to \$292.80 per year.

With regard to the residential monthly commodity charge increases there is more than ample natural gas supplies in the US. Suppliers are gouging domestic users by shipping supplies off shore. Even with that there is still no justification for an increase.

TO SUMMARISE:

How do you justify having to pay almost \$300 per. year to be connected to a natural gas supply?

How do you justify an increase in natural gas prices when there is more natural gas supplies in the US than in past years?

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