

From: [PSC Public Comment](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Public comment on PSC case #2022-00402
Date: Tuesday, September 5, 2023 9:28:00 AM

Case No. 2022-00402

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Saturday, September 2, 2023 3:41 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Public comment on PSC case #2022-00402

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Dear Kentucky Public Service Commission,

We cannot lock ourselves into paying for 40 more years of natural gas when we should be well into our transition away from fossil fuels. Please approve the coal retirements and reject the proposals for two new large scale 40-year fossil fuel plants.

LG&E/KU customers like me have struggled with paying our energy bills or are affected by the air pollution from fossil fuel power plants. Investing in energy efficiency (DSM) instead will help lower the overall demand for energy while helping keep energy affordable for us Kentuckians. It's time to invest in renewable energy.

In addition to my public comment above, please see the comment submitted by Kentuckians for Energy Democracy for important data and evidence that supports my lived experience and concerns.

Thank you for ensuring that Kentuckians' voices are an important part of the regulatory process.

Sincerely,
Ms. Lorna Mangus
6595 Cranston Rd Morehead, KY 40351-7069
[REDACTED]

From: [PSC Public Comment](#)
To:
Subject: RE: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan
Date: Tuesday, September 5, 2023 9:27:00 AM

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From: Stacey Herrington [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, September 1, 2023 8:50 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan

September 02, 2023 @ 12:32am
Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan

Dear Public Service Commissioners,

Please stop the plan by Louisville Gas & Electric and Kentucky Utilities to retire four coal-fired power plants. "Coal keeps the lights on" isn't just a slogan for a license plate or a "cutesy" phrase used to promote one of Kentucky's oldest industries. It's the truth. Coal has kept the lights on for more than two centuries and will continue to do so as long as we protect Kentucky's coal industry.

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I urge you to oppose the efforts of Louisville Gas & Electric and Kentucky Utilities to retire four coal-fired electric generating units over the next few years. Hard-working Kentuckians oppose this move, and so should you.

Sincerely,
Stacey Herrington
25410 E 1850th rd ,

Dennison, IL 62423



From: [PSC Public Comment](#)
To:
Subject: RE: 22-402
Date: Tuesday, September 5, 2023 9:27:00 AM

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From: Lutz, Charles [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, September 1, 2023 7:24 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: 22-402

[REDACTED]

Hello,

I want to comment on the LGE/KU plan to replace aging power plants with a mix of natural gas and solar.

First, great to hear that coal power is being phased out. Second, I question the need for two new natural gas plants, instead of only one plus more Solar power with increased battery backup.

1. Fracked gas with a 3% leakage rate is no better the coal plant it replaces, because methane is such a powerful greenhouse gas. The utilities need to say they will not buy gas from suppliers who leak 3% or more. LGE/KU needs to assure the public that there will be no leakage from pipelines that they manage. They need to be transparent in their reporting of this.
2. Are aero designs an option to back up additional solar generation? Will it allow you to install more solar than what you are planning.?

As last year's E. KY flooding showed, climate disasters are already upon us. We must reduce greenhouse gas emissions ASAP. Hooray for decommissioning coal. Please consider less natural gas and more solar and battery storage. And use natural gas only in a way that closely monitors and prevents leakage from the well to the power plant

Thank you.

Best wishes,
Dr. Charles T. Lutz
328 Henry Clay Blvd
Lexington, KY 40502-1024



Sent via the Samsung Galaxy S9, an AT&T 5G Evolution capable smartphone

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From: Kentuckians for Energy Democracy [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, September 1, 2023 3:13 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Public Comment in PSC Case #2022-00402

Dear Public Service Commission,

I support the comment submitted by Kentuckians for Energy Democracy. It is important to me that we not build or register any new fossil fuel plants in the state of Kentucky - doing so would be a detriment to our future and lives.

Thank you for ensuring that Kentuckians' voices are an important part of the regulatory process.

Sincerely,
Julia Gerwe

[REDACTED]
407 E Main St
Danville, KY 40422
United States

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From: [PSC Public Comment](#)
To:
Subject: RE: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan
Date: Tuesday, September 5, 2023 9:26:00 AM

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From: Robert Morgan [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2023 6:20 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan

August 31, 2023 @ 10:01pm
Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan

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I urge you to oppose the efforts of Louisville Gas & Electric and Kentucky Utilities to retire four coal-fired electric generating units over the next few years. Hard-working Kentuckians oppose this move, and so should you.

Sincerely,
Robert Morgan
45 Pine Top drive ,

Walton, KY 41094



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Subject: RE: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan
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From: Alicia Williams [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2023 3:50 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan

August 31, 2023 @ 07:31pm
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Sincerely,
Alicia Williams
Marshall,

Marshall, IL 62441



From: [PSC Public Comment](#)
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Public Comment
Date: Tuesday, September 5, 2023 9:26:00 AM

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From: Wolfe, Martha T (Elizabethtown) [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2023 11:41 AM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Public Comment

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

please support renewable energy sources in Kentucky. Coal burning plants are not sustainable and quite frankly detrimental to Kentucky, the United States and the world.

Thank you

Martha Wolfe

Retired Biology Professor

Elizabethtown, Ky.

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From: Elizabeth Graves [REDACTED]
Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2023 11:05 AM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Case 2022-00402

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Hello,

I am a Kentucky Utilities customer, and I object to the company's proposal to build gas-fired plants that will lock us into at least 40 more years of fossil fuel use. Climate change is all around us, and we must get off fossil fuels to have any hope of keeping this planet habitable by humans and most species. This requires us all to change the status quo in our decision-making. Please take the future impacts of these plants into your consideration. You hold tremendous power and responsibility in your hands.

Respectfully,
Elizabeth Graves
1859 Norfolk Dr.
Lexington, KY 40503

Sent from my iPhone

From: [PSC Public Comment](#)
To:
Subject: RE: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan
Date: Tuesday, September 5, 2023 9:25:00 AM

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From: Allen England [REDACTED]
Sent: Wednesday, August 30, 2023 11:00 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan

August 31, 2023 @ 02:36am
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Sincerely,
Allen England
1330 Sunset Dr,

Emmett, ID 83617



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To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2022-00402 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company
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From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, August 30, 2023 10:20 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2022-00402 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2022-00402 submitted by ([REDACTED]) on Wednesday, August 30, 2023 at 10:19 PM

Name: Vivian Hoke
Address: 137 William St
City: Louisville
State: KY
Zip Code: 40206

Phone number where you can be reached: [REDACTED]

Home phone: [REDACTED]

Comments: Please allow LG&E to retire coal plants as soon as possible, and convert them to renewable energy generation. Coal has a long history of damaging our region, from a health, environment and labor relations perspective. Coal is not the future for energy production and Kentucky is already behind the rest of the country for energy production (to be clear, KY is in the bottom 5).

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From: Stacie Travis [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, August 29, 2023 10:10 AM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Say "No" to LG&E and KU's Coal Retirement Plan

August 29, 2023 @ 01:51pm
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Sincerely,
Stacie Travis
124 Bobbi Lane,

Munfordville, KY 42765

