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Thank you for taking time out to read my concerns. I have recently learned on Jan 1, 25 Peoples have asked that our rates be increased 40% for residential and 29.5% for small residential. Peoples chose to purchase Delta Natural Gas. Why should your customers be responsible to pay for that purchase. When our local office in Corbin Ky closed it caused alot of issues. We can no longer communicate or pay our bills local. We have to mail out or to pay over the phone which is a service fee to pay over phone. Most of us appreciate the availability to communicate or have the option to pay local. Raising the rates will be a burden on several people. Many are barely getting by, some are on fixed income. Having gas as a heat source is already expensive, raising the rates will really put alot of people without heat or struggling to pay bills. I ask that you take into consideration the effect it will have on many of your customers.