To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:07:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Kathryn Johnson

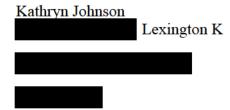
Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 12:12 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Seat Public Service Commission

With electricity costs already too high for many Kentuckians we can not allow our utilities to invest in excess generation to power unconfirmed data centers. These new power plants are unnecessary and risky. Instead of spending money to build new power plants, LG&E-KU should be investing in energy efficiency and Demand-Side Management programs that will lower our power bills and reduce the need for new power plant. The expense is unnecessary and definitely not needed.



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 From:
 PSC Public Comment

 To:
 Olivia Murphy

 Subject:
 RE: #2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:07:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Olivia Murphy

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 11:59 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: #2025-00045



Hello,

My name is Olivia Murphy. I live at Louisville, Kentucky 40203. Please be advised that I say NO to LG&E and Kentucky Utilities building two new gas plants to power a potential data center. I say NO to increased utility rates.

Respectfully submitted, Olivia Murphy

Subject: RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:06:00 AM

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From: Emily Strobel

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 11:15 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Emily Strobel , Louisville, KY, US, 40215

To: Subject: Date:

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From: Chelsae Ketchum

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 11:15 AM

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Stephen Bhoolai	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40203

 Subject:
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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Chelsey Starner-Hall

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 11:11 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Chelsey Starner-Hall
, Louisville, KY, US, 40299

To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Bonnie Jacobs

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 10:57 AM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Data centers are risky ventures and make dirty, ugly neighbors. All this proposal will do, if it succeeds, is make a few already rich people richer.

I vote NO.

Bonnie Jacobs

Lexington, KY, US, 40504

 From:
 PSC Public Comment

 To:
 Dianna Bosemer

 Subject:
 RE: Case 2024-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:04:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Dianna Bosemer

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 10:42 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case 2024-00045



I am against the LGE facility being built in Louisville. I can not breathe in this city now. Ozone pollution is terrible here.

Thank you

To:

 Subject:
 RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

 Date:
 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:04:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Duncan Cherry

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 10:30 AM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Duncan Cherry	У		
		, Louisville, KY, U	JS, 40214
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To:

Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

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From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 9:58 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company, Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on

Friday, August 1, 2025 at 9:57 AM

Name: Marianne Jones

Address:

City: Louisville

State: KY

Zip Code: 40299

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: As an LGE customer, I am AGAINST the building of the power plant in Southwest Louisville to power the data center. I, as a LGE customer, should not be responsible for paying an increase in my bill for this.

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:03:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Josh Mauser

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 8:55 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Josh Mauser

Louisville, KY, US, 40205

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Lila Render

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 8:48 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Lila Render , Louisville, KY, US, 40205

To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Kaleigh Basso

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 8:17 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Kaleigh Basso
, Louisville, KY, US, 40214

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:02:00 AM

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From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 7:13 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company, Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on

Friday, August 1, 2025 at 7:12 AM

Name: Krista Carbon

Address:

City: Fairdale State: KY

Zip Code: 40118

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: Do not build a data center in Southwest Louisville. The cons far outweighs

the pros. Care about the citizens of Louisville.

Subject: RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Rebecca Schell

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 6:40 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Rebecca Schell	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40217

To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Madeleine Hernando

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 3:44 AM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Madeleine Hernando	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40217
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To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Autumn Payne

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 1:19 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Autumn Payne , Louisivlle , MI, US, 49002

To:

Subject: Date:

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From: Aditi Kannan

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 12:25 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Aditi Kannan Louisville, KY, US, 40245 From: PSC Public Comment
To: Dylan Chadwick

 Subject:
 RE: 2025-00045 - data center

 Date:
 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:44:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Dylan Chadwick

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 4:56 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: 2025-00045 - data center



We do not want this data center. We do not need this data center. We don't want to pay more for utilities to subsidize this data center (that we don't want). All does not improve our lives and its consequences are physical and real. There is absolutely no benefit to constructing a data center that outweighs its burden it will place upon our city, environmentally and financially.

We (and other regular, non-delusional Louisvillians) strongly oppose the construction of this data center. Please consider the citizens of this city, those who live, work and pay taxes here, and not the ghoulish oligarchs who are pushing AI upon a populace that never asked for it.

Thank you.

Dylan Chadwick

From: PSC Public Comment
To: Megan Sims

Subject: RE: Case 2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:43:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Megan Sims

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 4:22 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case 2025-00045



Hello! My name is Megan Sims. I live at Louisville KY 40204. Please do not go forward with 2025-00045. The community does not want these power plants, nor do I. Please vote no on these plans.

Best,

Megan Sims

To: Rachel Blankenship; PSC Public Comment

Subject: RE: Case#2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:43:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Rachel Blankenship

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 4:00 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case#2025-00045



To Whom It May Concern:

I am absolutely against the proposed data center for the South End of Louisville. While this would bring jobs, and possible increased tax revenue for our town, it is my belief it would have a much more negative impact on our area.

We have enough noise pollution with the airport, adding this facility would increase that. Not to mention the air pollution this could possibly generate, affecting the air quality in the South End.

Property values have increased twice in the past five years in our area, and this could potentially decrease them, depending on the impacts this facility has on the area,

As a "less fortunate" area, this could potentially put a strain on our existing power and internet infrastructure.

We already have several warehouse and sterile/industrial buildings around our area, we
do not want more. This also could potentially raise environmental concerns, depending
on the way this facility will operate.

Ιa	p	oreciate [•]	your tir	ne and	l attention	to	these	concerns.
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Warm Regards,
Rachel Blankenship
South End Resident

Virus-free.www.avg.com

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:42:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Meredith McComb

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 3:19 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Meredith McComb , Louisville, KY, US, 40214

To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Deasia Beard

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 3:05 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Deasia Beard , Louisville , KY, US, 40203

To: Kelli Smith

 Subject:
 RE: Case number #2025-00045

 Date:
 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:42:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Kelli Smith

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 3:05 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case number #2025-00045



Please do not build two new power plants, families are already struggling to pay increasing bills and this will only make matters worse.

Thank you, Kelli Smith

#2025-00045

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

Date: Friday, August 1, 2025 2:25:35 PM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Brianna Lawson

Sent: Thursday, July 31, 2025 8:00 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Brianna Lawson	
	Louisville, KY, US, 40204
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To: Subject:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

Date:

Monday, August 4, 2025 8:41:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: John Perry

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 2:42 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

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John Perry Louisville, KY, USA, Louisville, KY, US, 40291

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:39:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Joyce Barbour

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 1:47 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

With electricity costs already too high for many Kentuckians we can not allow our utilities to invest in excess generation to power unconfirmed data centers. These new power plants are unneccessary and risky. The environmental impacts of these large data centers is significantly negative and directly affect those living near them. Instead of spending money to build new power plants, LG&E-KU should be investing in energy efficiency and Demand-Side Management programs that will lower our power bills and reduce the need for new power plants.

Joyce Barbour , Louisville, KY, US, 40217

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:39:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Lou Niederbruning

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 1:25 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

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Lou Niederbruning	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40218

 From:
 PSC Public Comment

 To:
 Rebekah Ryherd

 Subject:
 RE: Case #2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:38:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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From: Rebekah Ryherd

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 1:12 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case #2025-00045



Hello,

My name is Bekah Ryherd and I am a resident of Germantown-40217. I am writing to say that I absolutely oppose this build for the two new power plants. This is an unnecessary addition to our area and the residents do not want this potential data center to be built either. It comes at too great a cost for our planet, your residents, and animals in this area. I am very much opposed to our utility bills going up if these gas plants are approved. Please say no to this and do not approve of it.

Thank you, Bekah

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:38:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Rachel Lersey

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 1:06 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Rachel Lersey
, Louisville, KY, US, 40206

To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Trevor Gibson

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 1:03 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Trevor Gibson , Louisville, KY, US, 40206

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:37:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: amanda hooker

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 12:59 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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amanda hooker	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40217
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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Sven Nilsson

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 12:30 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Sven Nilsson , Louisville, KY, US, 40208

To:

 Subject:
 RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

 Date:
 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:58:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Rhonda Beck

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 11:08 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

We don't need to be building capacity for data centers tha might or might not ever be built. It's time to focus on efficiency and renewables to build a better future for all of us.

Rhonda Beck , Louisville, KY, US, 40228

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:58:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Jason Worms

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 10:49 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Jason Worms , Covington, KY, US, 41011

To:

 Subject:
 RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Meg Powers

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 8:16 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Meg Powers , Seneca Gardens, KY, US, 40205

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:57:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Roberta Burnes

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 7:55 AM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

I adamantly oppose KU's proposal to invest \$3.7 billion in new power generation for the sole purpose of powering data centers -- UNCONFIRMED data centers -- in Kentucky. I am extremely familiar with these data centers in other states, particularly Memphis, TN, where communities have been exposed to high levels of uncontrolled air emissions from data centers that have been built hastily with no pollution controls. Most importantly, by investing in new energy production for these data centers -- again, UNCONFIRMED data centers -- KU will have to raise electricity rates for regular consumers like me to foot the bill. This is unconscionable and you, the PSC, should not allow this to happen. Kentuckians are struggling as it is to cover utilities and basic living expenses, and this proposal will make things dangerously worse for so many.

KU should be investing in energy efficiency and Demand-Side Management programs that will lower our power bills and reduce the need for new power plants, not raise rates for average consumers like me.

Roberta Burnes

To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Sydonia Kinderman

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 6:42 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

Sydonia Kinderman	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40229
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To:

Subject: RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Matthew Bonfer

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 1:29 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

Matthew Bonfer	
	, Louisville , KY, US, 40208
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To: <u>Sofia Sims</u>

Subject: RE: NO TO data Center!!!

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 9:56:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Sofia Sims

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 12:01 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: NO TO data Center!!!



To whoever it main concern I live in oldham county. I have 3 children under 9 years old. We move here from IL 5 years ago. It seems like we might have to move again if this proposed Data center is built. There is no way my kids will be exposed to an even more unhealthy environment if it is built! We are in complete opposition!!!! No amount of money is worth the risk to the children of Louisville!!!

Sincerely,

Sofia

To: Sofi Soto

Subject: RE: NO TO THE Data Center!!!

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 9:55:00 AM

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From: Sofi Soto

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 11:59 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: NO TO THE Data Center!!!



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To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:53:00 AM

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From: Kalina Myers

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 11:51 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Kalina Myers , , Louisville, KY, US, 40299

To:

 Subject:
 RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

 Date:
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From: Rosemary Kent

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 9:41 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

Rosemary Kent	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40204
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To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:52:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

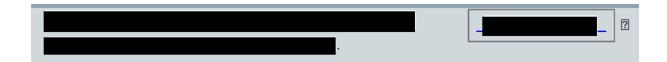
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From: Andrea Fisher

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 9:09 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Andrea Fisher



To: Subject: Date:

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From: John Boone

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 9:00 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

John Boone	_
	Lexington, KY, US, 40504
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To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:51:00 AM

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From: Salema Jenkins

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 7:23 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Salema Jenkins , Louisville, KY, US, 40213

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:50:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Jan Hellebusch

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 6:58 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

Jan Hellebusch	
	, Lexington, KY, US, 40504

 Subject:
 RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Shelby Dugan

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 5:48 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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- No blank checks for risky fossil fuel projects
- Kentuckians shouldn't pay for corporate gambles
- We need affordable, clean energy—not stranded gas plants

Shelby Dugan

Louisville, KY, US, 40204

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 9:49:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Matthew Roos

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 5:21 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

We do not want or need this. With electricity costs already too high for many Kentuckians we can not allow our utilities to invest in excess generation to power unconfirmed data centers. These new power plants are unneccessary and risky. Instead of spending money to build new power plants, LG&E-KU should be investing in energy efficiency and Demand-Side Management programs that will lower our power bills and reduce the need for new power plants.

Matthew Roos
, Louisville, KY, US, 40214

To: Ann DeV

 Subject:
 RE: My Comment for Case #2025-00045

 Date:
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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Ann DeV

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 5:04 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** My Comment for Case #2025-00045



I write with deeply felt concern for LG&E's plan to further increase already sky-high energy costs for its Kentucky customers, all in service of a plan to support a data center that hasn't yet been built. Passing the costs of supporting this business on to the most vulnerable members of our community is reprehensible, and raising rates will make our affordable housing crisis worse, straining households and subsequently the local economy. I object and formally request that the Public Service Commission, who are tasked with regulating and deciding on this proposal, reject LG&E's request for the CPCN in this case.

Thanks much and take care, Ann

Ann DeVilbiss

LG&E Customer and Kentucky Resident

, Louisville, KY 40217

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:42:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Deasia Beard

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 3:05 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Deasia Beard , Louisville , KY, US, 40203

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045

Date: Friday, August 1, 2025 2:25:35 PM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Brianna Lawson

Sent: Thursday, July 31, 2025 8:00 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

Brianna Lawson	_
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40204
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From: PSC Public Comment

To:
Subject: RE:

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 8:41:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From:

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 2:45 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject:

Original Message Attached

I am texting to voice my disapproval of LG&E building a data center in southwest Louisville. Case number#2025-000045.

This will cost taxpayers additional money as well as disturb and destroy the natural environment around that area. It is NOT in the best interest of our community or the individuals that live in that area. Please consider an alternative!

Barb Kruse

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 8:44:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Ann DeVilbiss

Sent: Friday, August 1, 2025 4:59 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

Ann De Vilbiss	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40217

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 10:26:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Ashley White

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Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 10:51 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

Ashley White	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40203

To:

Subject: RE: NO Data Centers in Jefferson County Kentucky

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:25:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From:

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 9:28 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: FW: NO Data Centers in Jefferson County Kentucky



To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing this in OPPOSITION to Data Center(s) in Jefferson County, Kentucky.

Following some research and lectures from experts on air, water, soil pollution caused by Data Centers, I am listing a few of my concerns.

- 1. Pollution to air, water, and soil.
 - a. The finer particulate matter does greater damage to the lungs than larger particles.
 - b. Noise pollution
 - c. Release of heavy metals
- 2. Huge footprint [building one in Clarksville, IN and it is enormous]
- 3. Will there be Bond Money or other type of financial security to cover the cost of remediation [clean up] of the air, soil, water from the pollution when the Data Center has outlived its usefulness?

- 4. Will this be another 'brownfield' or useless 'ghost area' once it has outlived it usefulness as a Data Center?
- 5. Data Centers usually outlive their purpose in 10 years of less.
- 6. Data Centers are known for their high energy consumption, densely packed equipment, and 24/7 operations create serious health and safety risks for workers as well as the environment.

Google lists 9 Common Data Centers Health Hazards for employees:

- 1-Heat Stress from Equipment and Environment
- 2-Air Quality issues from poor ventilation
- 3-Electromagnetic Field (EMF) Exposure
- 4-Ergonomic Risks
- 5-Noise Pollution from Machinery
- 6-Chemical Exposure Risks
- 7-Arc Flash Hazards
- 8-Gas Leaks and Fire Hazards
- 9-Physical Hazards on Construction Sites

Reference: www.JOBSITECARE.COM

ANOTHER HUGE CONCERN:

The current Federal Administration recently passed what is referred to as the Big Beautiful Bill.

Should this bill become a reality, will the people on Medicaid and possibly eventually Medicare, have the money to pay the utility bills?

Please Look at the latest technology:

- 1-Switzland turned train tracks into Solar Power Plants generating clean energy between rails without disrupting a single train.
- 2-Researchers have created solar windows that generate electricity while remaining transparent. These can turn entire skyscrapers into vertical solar farms.
- 3-Switzland's energy-positive apartments produce more electricity than they consume.
- 4-Seven countries-Albania, Bhutan, Nepal, Paraguay, Iceland, Ethiopia, and the Democratic Republic of Congo, now generate nearly all their electricity from renewable energy sources like hydro, wind, solar, and geothermal.
- 5-Martin Butler -Science and Nature, Solar panels pull drinking water from desert air-and generate power at the same time.
- 6-Australia the Byron Bay Train is the world's 1st fully solar powered train, It runs entirely

on sunshine, using solar panels and batteries-no fuel, no emissions, just clean quite energy on the tracks.

- 7-France, a solar flower device opens and follows the sun, powering entire homes with just one panel.
- 8-Dutch company makes solar powered floating schools.
- 9-Spain reaches a historic milestone by powering its entire grid with 100% renewable energy
- 10-France may have silently reinvented clean energy with a wind turbine that has NO blades, no moving parts, and No Noise. A smaller footprint.
- 11. Paris, France, company called New Wind, has developed a unique turbine designed to look like a tree called the "Wind Tree".

Thank you for reading this and denying data centers in Jefferson County and in Kentucky.

Sheron Lear Louisville, KY 40291

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

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From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 7:36 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company, Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on

Saturday, August 2, 2025 at 7:36 PM

Name: Megan Massie Ware

Address:

City: Louisville

State: KY

Zip Code: 40215

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: This project is of a massive scale and poses substantial threats to air quality, environment, and public health, and the lack of transparency and public discourse is deeply troubling. Our community deserves a voice in shaping its future.

Please do not grant a CPCN.

 From:
 Julia Preston

 To:
 PSC Public Comment

 Subject:
 Case 2025-00045

Date: Saturday, August 2, 2025 7:11:27 PM

Attachments: LGE pub com 1.pdf



To: Kentucky Public Service Commission

Subject: Public Comment on Case No. 2025-00045

From: Julia L. Preston

Location: Jeffersontown, KY

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Should these data centers ultimately choose to locate in our region, it is imperative that their parent companies bear responsibility for investing in clean, sustainable energy infrastructure to support their enormous energy needs. Many of these corporations build their profits on the data we produce—and consumers should not be expected to serve as both the product they profit from and the party who subsidizes the energy required for their success.

As someone who has lived with asthma for my entire life—here in a region already infamous for high rates of childhood respiratory illnesses—I know firsthand the toll that air pollution takes on our bodies and our communities. We should be doing everything in our power to eliminate sources that make our air harder to breathe, not expand them. Louisville consistently ranks among the most challenging U.S. cities for asthma (Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America, 2024), and Kentucky's adult asthma rate of 11.7% exceeds the national average. According to data from Kentucky Children's Hospital, over 20% of inpatient hospitalizations statewide are linked to respiratory conditions. These numbers reflect a public health crisis that fossil fuel expansion will only worsen.

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From a financial standpoint, expanding fossil fuel infrastructure in the midst of a global energy transition exposes Kentuckians to unnecessary risk. As renewable costs fall and carbon regulations tighten, these gas plants may become obsolete before they're paid off, saddling ratepayers with decades of sunk costs. It is short-sighted to build for yesterday's energy landscape while ignoring tomorrow's innovations.

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Respectfully,

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RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 10:24:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Rachel Norton

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 5:00 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Rachel Norton
, Lexington, KY, US, 40508

 From:
 PSC Public Comment

 To:
 Bri Bowers

 Subject:
 RE: #2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:24:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Bri Bowers

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 4:51 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: #2025-00045



Hello, I do not want this data center. It is extremely harmful to the environment & ads 0 value to the livelihood of any human. I'm a small business owner & my LG&E bills are already too high. AI is wasteful & extremely harmful in every capacity for our already grim future.

Bri Bowers

Louisville, KY

40203

To: Subject: Date:

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From: Scott Holston

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 4:30 PM

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Scott Holston , Louisville, KY, US, 40206

To:
Subject: RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045
Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:23:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Megan Morgan

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 4:24 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



To the Public Service Commission:

Scientists are in agreement that we have about 5 (FIVE!) more years to rein in fossil fuel consumption before we're on a runaway train barrelling toward the most catastrophic possible outcome for life on this planet, and LG&E is really out here talking about building more CITIZEN-SUBSIDIZED gas power plants to make sure that the biggest freaks and ghouls currently haunting the world (tech companies) can plan for maximum profit generation through their bullsh*t AI technology initiatives (that no one except the worst among us even asked for) because they want a power infrastructure guarantee before they even start doing the paperwork to get their hypothetical data centers built? This is peak insanity. I can tell you-as a lowly worker in tech and telecom--whatever jobs numbers they are saying will come with a new data center is a gross over-estimation of reality. Data centers do not create that many jobs! The point of the AI servers that would be hosted there is certainly not to create new jobs but to replace many. These systems are also used for police state surveillance (purchased by governmental entities from massive private corporations with our tax dollars), which is so pernicious; it genuinely makes me scared to think of the kind of future we're being dragged into. We have a chance to stop this one before it can even get off the ground. I urge the commission with every fiber of my being to reject LG&E's proposal.

As K4ED has more diplomatically stated, "LG&E-KU should be investing in energy

efficiency and Demand-Side Management programs that will lower our power bills and reduce the need for new power plants." I agree with this statement and urge the commission to push back on LG&E to focus on projects that will actually benefit Kentuckians and not the greedy billionaires who want to exploit our state for their profits. This is the people's mandate from the streets of Louisville!

-Megan Morgan from Louisville, KY 40217

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

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From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 3:25 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on

Saturday, August 2, 2025 at 3:25 PM

Name: Aleve R Douglas

Address: .

City: Louisville

State: KY

Zip Code: 40204

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: To Public Service Commission: I am an LG&E ratepayer and am writing to register my opposition to LG&E/KU's plan to build two more gas-powered power plants in Kentucky. There are many reasons why I oppose this and I am listing them out: - In the face of climate change, it doesn't make sense to build new power plants fueled by fossil fuels. We have passed a resolution in Louisville to transition to sustainable energy sources and adding another gas-powered power plant would run counter to what we have decided is right for our future. - Existing ratepayer demand is not driving this plan; the demand this plan is based on is speculative. This could lead to existing ratepayers being saddled with two huge stranded assets. - Technology is changing rapidly and this

will likely result in data centers requiring less energy than current projections. In addition, the data centers themselves are not a done deal this appears to all be based in hype and speculation giving this a very false sense of urgency. - Another gas-powered power plant will be harmful to our air quality and to the humans who live here and breathe this air. - The reports I have read indicate that data centers do not employ many people, so if these data centers actually do locate in Kentucky, it doesn't look like they will do much to create jobs. I believe we as a community need time to develop appropriate regulations for data centers this feels like it's being rushed through without proper consideration and could result in poor decisions that affect the people in our community negatively. Thank you for your consideration.

To: Subject: Date:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Halima Ali

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 2:51 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Halima Ali
, Louisville, KY, US, 40216

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 10:22:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Shamsa Ali

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 2:48 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



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Shamsa Ali	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40211

To:

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Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 2:37 PM

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Lauren Hall	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40204
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Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company, Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on

Saturday, August 2, 2025 at 2:20 PM

Name: Bridget Street

Address:

City: Louisville

State: KY

Zip Code: 40204

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: This project should not be approved. It would only be detrimental to the community. In addition to increased utility costs, we would also suffer lower air quality, increased pollution, potential blackouts, and worse. This plan also does not account for the high likelihood the AI data centers it's meant to serve will even exist. In any case, we should not try to attract such data centers as there are several examples of them wreaking havoc on communities across the country. Our energy, water, and other resources should benefit our community and not serve this project.

To: Subject: Date:

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From: Leah McClain

Sent: Saturday, August 2, 2025 1:45 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

As a Kentuckian and new homeowner, I cannot stand by this proposal. With electricity costs already too high for many Kentuckians we can not allow our utilities to invest in excess generation to power unconfirmed data centers. These new power plants are unneccessary and risky. Instead of spending money to build new power plants, LG&E-KU should be investing in energy efficiency and Demand-Side Management programs that will lower our power bills and reduce the need for new power plants.

Leah McClain	
	, Louisville, KY, US, 40217

To: Subject: Date:

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Paula Singer , Lexington, KY, US, 40504

We need our utility providers to invest in environmentally friendly and energy efficient utilities that will lower costs to consumers AND which will provide uninterrupted power to homes during natural disasters. My neighbors and I are doing all we can to reduce our energy needs! Under no circumstances do we want to pay for a future power hungry data center that may or may not come to fruition! Please vote NO on this new proposed expenditure.

To: AGENT

Subject: RE: Case 2025-00045 Public Comment- with Petition opposing LGE/KU Certificate of Public Necessity.

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:50:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kentucky Utilities Company, Louisville Gas and Electric Company. 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, 2025-00045 in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at View Case Filings for: 2025-00045 (ky.gov).

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: AGENT

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 6:07 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case 2025-00045 Public Comment- with Petition opposing LGE/KU Certificate of Public

Necessity.



Angel Hatton, PSC Commissioner and Chair,

please enter these public comments and this Petition as evidence that the People do not consent. PSC should DENY LGE/KU in case 2025-00045 and issue sanctions for their failure to disclose harm.

Further the LGE Motion to be excused from complying with PSC order for timely Notice should be DENIED for failure to comply with said Order. The ongoing issue with LGE and KU is failure to disclose and thereby continuing harm against the People. KU already announced a rate increase to residential customers to pay for the personal benefit of PPL shareholders for DATA CENTERS.

It is incumbent upon PSC as the last line of defense to DENY both LGE Motion to be excused from complying with said PSC Order to provide widespread Public Notice, and further to DENY LGE/KU application for Certificate of Public Necessity. The Public does not benefit. It is being forced upon the People as you evidenced in the Public meetings. The documents herein show that the entire process Through Louisville DRC and Planning has been defective, even deceptive, without proper oversight, without proper ordinances for evaluating a project of this magnitude and of such known hazard. The Open Records enclosed show that none of the Planners had even the most basic input, information, or knowledge, but despite such lack they forwarded the project creating great harm to the People. The enclosed Petition and Notice of Liability reflects that harm. Should PSC fail to protect the People. then such failure may incur personal liability upon each public servant including the PSC Commissioners in their individual capacities..

LGE has already harmed my property, damaged my trees by radiation, and killed my bees and butterflies by their transmitting meters radiating pulsed radiation into my property. Further they have failed to provide adequate safeguards from air pollution emanating from Mill Creek Power Generation station on Dixie Highway just north of West Point, Kentucky . Their toxic air particulate including Barium is contaminating organic farm soil in Oldham county 40 miles away. Meanwhile Pennsylvania Power and Light PPL their owner is making money in harming the people. PPL is a foreign entity.

It is incumbent upon PSC to DENY LGE/KU and to issue sanctions against LGE/KU and PPL for failure to disclose/ concealment of known harm and hazards. The hyper scale Data Centers are not needed by the People and the tax breaks for 50 years allocated by the legislature may be found to be unconstitutional per section 59(6) and 195 as conflicting with Section 26 and RAFRA and Section 5.

Done in good faith with all rights and liberties eserved without prejudice, nunc pro tunc,

By: Cf:/s/:kurt-alan:, property owner Jefferson County, harmed by LGE c/o Office of Agent PO Box 43025, Louisville Kentucky

"This matter is by the decree of the watchers, and the demand by the word of the holy ones: to the intent that the living may know that the most High ruleth in the kingdom of men, and giveth it to whomsoever he will, and setteth up over it the basest of men."

Daniel 4:17 KJV Cf. Public Law 97-280.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC OPPOSITION

Regarding the LGE/KU Request for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity

Primary Notice given at Public Service Commission Meeting – July 14, 2025 Accompanied by Petition Signatures

TO:

- Angela C. Hatton, Chair, Kentucky Public Service Commission
- Mary Pat Regan, Commissioner
- John Will Stacy (former), and Andrew W. Wood, current Commissioner,
- All current and future officers, employees, agents, and contractors of the Kentucky PSC

in your individual and official capacities.

I. INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

This document is submitted by a member of the public in **lawful exercise of First Amendment rights**, including the **right to petition the government for redress of grievances**. It concerns the proposed expansion of electric infrastructure by Louisville Gas & Electric and Kentucky Utilities (LGE/KU), under the ownership of PPL Corporation.

There is no public need. There is no public consent.

This project is **not** justified under the standard of public convenience or necessity. The people of Kentucky **oppose** this project and have expressed their concern through **the attached petition of 25 signatories** and at the July 14, 2025 Public meeting.

II. GROUNDS FOR OPPOSITION

1. Absence of Public Necessity

The proposed expansion is driven by private demand—not public necessity. The load projections hinge on future development of data centers, not residential, small business, or public service needs. LGE/KU's application serves speculative corporate growth at public expense.

2. Lack of Informed Public Consent

No formal process has demonstrated **free**, **prior**, **and informed consent** from the residents or people who will bear the financial, environmental, and societal costs. The PSC's mandate is to protect the public interest, not subsidize private foreign shareholders.

3. Corporate Profit, Public Cost

PPL Corporation—a foreign, for-profit entity—has disclosed to its investors that ratepayers will fund the infrastructure needed to serve these energy-intensive facilities. Shareholders receive dividends; People in Kentucky and residents absorb risk and suffer harm.

4. Regulatory Failure at the Local Level

Open records responses from the Louisville Metro Planning Commission and Design Review Committee reveal:

- No record of the data center operator's identity, ownership, or safety record;
- No environmental impact assessment;
- No analysis of financial, ecological, or health-related harms.

Despite this, **approvals were issued**, in absence of meaningful review, and without an adequate ordinance framework for a project of this scale. The cost of the proposed infrastructure **exceeds** the entire annual operating budget of Louisville Metro.

5. Foreseeable Harms Ignored

The following harms are foreseeable and must be fully accounted for before any approval:

- Financial harm via increased utility rates;
- Environmental harm (to air, soil, groundwater, and surface water);
- **Health impacts**, including pediatric, neonatal, and reproductive harm, infant death, cancer, developmental delays;
- Release of toxic substances including benzene, barium, xylene, arsenic, PCBs, PCAHs, and microfine particulates;
- Impact on pollinators, wildlife, and human life (including elevated cancer, early death, and harm to elderly populations);
- Infringement on constitutional protections, including surveillance, biometric collection, and control inconsistent with Kentuckians' liberties under Sections 1–26 of the Kentucky Constitution.

III. CONSTITUTIONAL DUTY AND LIABILITY

All PSC commissioners are sworn under **Section 228 of the Kentucky Constitution** to uphold the Constitution of Kentucky and of the United States. Acting without informed public consent, or contrary to the public good, undermines that oath.

Section 229 provides a constitutional remedy for failure to uphold that duty, including removal from office.

Approval of this project without fully addressing and disclosing these concerns may result in lasting **personal and professional responsibility**—in both public and private capacities.

Accordingly, responsibility for harm arising from such approval is understood by the public to rest with:

- Angela C. Hatton, Commissioner and Chair
- Mary Pat Regan, Commissioner
- Andrew W. Wood, Commissioner (successor to John Will Stacy)
 - ... and future commissioners who affirm or continue the project.

IV. PUBLIC DEMAND: BOND REQUIREMENT

You are hereby demanded, in your individual and official capacities, to:

Post and maintain a minimum \$1 billion USD bond each, held in trust for the full scope of anticipated economic, environmental, and public health harms arising from any approval of the LGE/KU energy supply expansion. This bond must be secured **prior to issuance of any certificate or authorization**.

This demand reflects the serious risks posed by this project and the solemn responsibility you bear as public officials entrusted to protect the People of Kentucky.

Failure to comply will be understood by the public as a breach of your constitutional oath and grounds for personal and official accountability.

V. CONCLUSION

- The **People of Kentucky do not consent** to this expansion.
- The public necessity is unproven and unsubstantiated.
- The project advances corporate gain over public good.

Accordingly, the undersigned **opposes** the LGE/KU Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity and respectfully **calls upon the PSC to deny** the application in full.

Submitted by a member of the public at the July 14, 2025 Kentucky PSC meeting. Petition signatures attached.

DISCLAIMER

This document is submitted as a **lawful exercise of First Amendment rights**, including the **right to petition the government for redress of grievances**. It expresses the **individual viewpoint** of the author and is not intended as legal advice. No part of this notice should be interpreted as legal counsel or instruction. Individuals seeking remedies or legal interpretation are advised to consult a qualified attorney licensed in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Notice of Liability to the Kentucky Public Service Commission and Its Members

Submitted at Public Meeting – July 14, 2025
By a member of the public with attached petition signatures

To:

- Angela C. Hatton, PSC Commissioner (Chair)
- Mary Pat Regan, PSC Commissioner
- John Will Stacy, PSC Commissioner

And to all officers, employees, contractors, and agents of the Kentucky Public Service Commission (PSC)

RE: Formal Notice of Personal and Individual Liability for Harm Arising from Data Center Projects and Related Utility Actions

This Notice is submitted by a member of the public attending the July 14, 2025 PSC meeting. I do **not claim to represent others**, nor have I been appointed to speak on their behalf. However, a **petition with 25 signatures** accompanies this Notice, representing individuals who have chosen to sign in support of the contents herein.

DUTY OF OFFICE

Each of you is reminded that, as public officers, you are duty-bound to:

- 1. Protect the rights of the People;
- 2. Limit government interference in those rights;
- 3. Provide benefit only with the consent of the People.

Consent is not present. Continuing action without informed, voluntary consent constitutes coercion, and coercion under color of law violates your Oath under Section 228 of the Kentucky Constitution.

Section 229 provides the remedy: removal from office and disqualification. Depending on the knowledge and willfulness of the violation, this may also rise to constructive treason.

PETITION FOR REMEDY AND DEMAND FOR BOND

We Petition for Remedy: Due to the grave risks associated with hyperscale data center development—including but not limited to the WHP Lincoln Project—we hereby demand that each PSC officer, Commissioner, and approver post a personal bond equal to 100x the total cost of each such data center project, to ensure remedy for:

- Injury or death from **unregulated diesel generator pollution** (up to 1,000,000++ gallons/day)
- Exposure to RF, EMF, frequency radiation
- Reproductive harm, infant mortality, neurological injury
- Harm to pollinators, trees, water, air, and land
- Noise and light pollution, subsidence, vibration
- Flooding, fire, tornadoes, earthquakes (including geoengineered)
- Loss of peaceful enjoyment, property damage, and displacement

This liability is personal, individual, and continuous.

LEGAL NOTICE

This is **public notice**, not legal advice.

- As confirmed in Marbury v. Madison, 5 U.S. 137 (1803):
 - "An act repugnant to the Constitution is void."
 - "Violation of the oath is a crime."
- As restated in Section 26 of the Kentucky Constitution, any act transgressing the People's inviolate rights is null and void.

NOTICE TO OFFICE AND OFFICE HOLDER

Liability attaches to:

- The individual officer as long as they remain alive
- The Office until remedy is provided
- Any successor who inherits or sustains unlawful action

This liability cannot be discharged by resignation, delegation, or silence.

Respectfully submitted on July 14, 2025 By an individual member of the public Accompanied by voluntary petition signatures All rights reserved, without prejudice

PETITION IN SUPPORT OF PUBLIC NOTICE OF LIABILITY

Presented to the Kentucky Public Service Commission July 14, 2025 – Louisville, Kentucky

We, the undersigned, are members of the public who support the attached Notice of Liability delivered to the Kentucky Public Service Commission on July 14, 2025.

By signing below, we affirm the following:

- We are not represented by any other person.
- We sign voluntarily and without coercion.
- We support the contents of the Notice, including the call for accountability, constitutional adherence, and protection from harmful infrastructure and environmental risks.
- We understand this is not legal action or legal representation, but a public statement of support and concern.

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PUBLIC BRIEFING and PETITION

Subject: Lincoln and Louisville Data Centers – Public Oversight, Ecological Harm, and Constitutional Safeguards

Date: June 21 2025

Prepared By: The People affected by Oldham and Jefferson Counties

Distributed To: Louisville Metro Government, State Officials, Utility Boards, and the Public

Purpose of This Briefing

This briefing is presented by the People to inform local officials, public servants, and fellow Kentuckians of grave concerns surrounding the Lincoln Data Center (Oldham County), the Louisville Data Center, and affiliated utility infrastructure operated by:

- Louisville Gas & Electric (LG&E)
- Louisville Water Company (LWC) governed by the Board of Water Works (BOWW)

These projects have raised serious and substantiated concerns about:

- EMF and diesel-related health risks
- Pollinator and ecological harm
- Mass surveillance and biometric tracking systems
- Potential misuse of public utility infrastructure for concealed federal, pharmaceutical, or AI-linked operations

This document is intended as a respectful, lawful, and collaborative request for full transparency, investigation, and constitutional accountability.

Included Exhibits

Exhibit	Title
A	Stargate Infrastructure & Surveillance Concerns – Briefing to Public Officials
В	Potential Violations: Lincoln Data Center and the May 21, 2025 TRC Meeting and June 18, 2025 DRC Meeting
C	EMF, Diesel Emissions, and Health Risk Addendum (Including Pollinator Collapse), pediatric, and reproductive harm, health harm
D	Public Trust, Jurisdictional Clarification, and Rights Framework (Including Pinkerton Doctrine)
E	Legal Remedies and Enforcement Table (Civil, Criminal, Administrative, Constitutional)

Core Rights of the People Affirmed

- Bodily autonomy, ecological stewardship, and freedom of conscience
- Right to know what technologies and emissions are placed near their homes and families
- Right to refuse biometric, AI, or EMF-based infrastructure that infringes upon unalienable liberties

These are not privileges granted by corporations or boards—they are natural and constitutional guarantees, protected under the Kentucky Constitution, the U.S. Constitution, and Divine law as affirmed in Public Law 97-280.

Primary Requests

- 1. Halt expansion or activation of related infrastructure until full investigation is complete
- 2. Formal audit by Kentucky State Auditor Allison Ball into the Louisville Data Center, LG&E, LWC, and BOWW
- 3. Public hearings and disclosure sessions by all agencies involved
- 4. Affirmation of duty to protect the health, conscience, and liberty of the People—not legal fictions, not commercial licenses

A

Exhibit A and A1 - Stargate Infrastructure & Surveillance Concerns

This briefing identifies concealed data infrastructure programs—referred to by some as "Stargate" systems—supporting:

- Biometric pattern recognition
- Predictive law enforcement modeling
- Pharmaceutical compute (e.g., mRNA)
- Massive cloud storage for social or behavior tracking

Rights Implicated:

- Bodily autonomy, religious conscience, parental rights

Remedies Sought:

- Halt deployment
- Full disclosure of infrastructure end-use

EXHIBIT A1

Briefing on Project "Stargate" Infrastructure and Surveillance Concerns
Prepared for Public Oversight – City of Louisville / Greater Jefferson-Oldham Area
Originally Presented to the People of Douglass Hills – May 2025
(Updated for Distribution on May 28, 2025)

Purpose

This briefing identifies concealed data infrastructure programs—referred to by some as "Stargate" systems—which may be present in recent data center installations across Kentucky. The information raises urgent questions about surveillance, biometric data capture, and pharmaceutical deployment systems operated without full transparency or lawful public disclosure.

Summary of Findings

Stargate Infrastructure—whether formally labeled or not—appears to support:

- Biometric pattern recognition and ingestion systems
 - o Facial scans, gait detection, voiceprint logging
- Predictive behavior modeling for law enforcement or social control
- AI model training linked to health data and social profiles¹
- · Pharmaceutical compute stacks, including simulation of mRNA payloads
- Massive data storage nodes aligned with DHS or DoD commercial cloud contractors

These nodes are frequently located near schools, neighborhoods, or municipal hubs, under the guise of commercial data centers.

Key Surveillance & Ethical Risks

Function	Risk
Facial Recognition Cameras + Networked Nodes	Enables 24/7 behavioral surveillance without consent
Voice & Gait AI Profiling	Violates right to travel, speak, assemble freely
mRNA/Pharma Compute	Enables predictive testing or modeling on population-scale health scenarios
No Disclosure of End Use	Constitutes material misrepresentation to elected officials and the People

¹ Enables predictive testing or modeling on population-scale health scenarios, and uniformed medical experimentation without consent.

B

Exhibit B - Potential Violations

Potential Violations (Lincoln TRC, May 21, 2025)

Potential Violations Include:

- Presentation of 8 buildings while submitting 7
- Concealed diesel/EMF risks
- Failure to disclose surveillance technology

Potential Violations (Louisville DRC, June 18, 2025)

Potential Violations Include:

- -failing to include the scope and impact and hyperscale data center in its Public Notice of Cat3 which failed to mention any of such to public- conditions not according to Open Meetings Act.
- -requiring name and address for anyone to speak-conditions not according to Open Meetings Act.
- -non-disclosure thereby denying full public access for participation and review for a scope of industrial project this size.
- -despite having been alerted to the potential violations above prior to the meeting June 18, 2025, DRC willfully held the meeting anyway, potentially subjecting every member and public servant to a personal penalty sum of \$100 per the Open Meetings Act. The full planning commission was also notified at the same time.
- -citing non-jurisdiction as a reason for non-disclosure of full impact of potential environmental harm, despite University of Louisville having the expertise to conduct such impact assessments through its environmental, toxicology and epidemiology and EPA centers.
- -concealed, failed to disclose diesel/EMF risks
- -failure to disclose surveillance technology.
- . failure to disclose Ku 13% increase in rates to build data centers.

Legal Frameworks Implicated:

- KRS §§ 100.211, 211.350, 367.170
- Kentucky Constitution §§ 1, 2, 4, 5, 25
- -Kentucky Open Meetings Act

has

C

Exhibit C – EMF, Diesel Emissions, Pollinator Collapse and C1 with expanded Pediatric Harm

Risks:

- Diesel generator emissions (PM2.5, NO2)
- EMF exposure from smart meters, server banks
- Mass pollinator death since smart grid expansion
- -increased fetal death, increased reproductive harm, increase neonatal harm

Utility Failures:

- LG&E, LWC, BOWW issued no public disclosures
- No health impact studies provided

Remedies Sought:

- EMF and air quality audit
- Moratorium on infrastructure deployment

EXHIBIT C with Expanded Pediatric Harm

EMF, Diesel Emission, and Health Risk Addendum

Concerning the Lincoln Data Center and Louisville Data Center and Supporting Utility Infrastructure

Prepared by and for the people affected

Date: updated June 21, 2025

Overview

This addendum outlines potential harms linked to the infrastructure supporting the Louisville Data Center (Rubbertown/ Jefferson County) and Lincoln Data Center (LDC) project (Oldham County). This includes high-voltage electrical systems, diesel generators, computer systems and RF/EMF-emitting "smart meter" technologies deployed by utilities—specifically:

- * LG&E (Louisville Gas & Electric)
- LWC (Louisville Water Company)
- · BOWW (Board of Water Works), which oversees LWC

No full disclosures have been issued by these entities regarding **environmental or health impacts**, nor have they responded to known risks already reported by affected People.

Diesel Emission Hazards - see also the Expanded Toxin Reference Table (p 5)

Diesel backup systems tied to data centers are not regulated for emission as back up generator however they emit heavy metal arsenic, benzene, and they

- · Emit PM2.5, carbon monoxide, and nitrogen dioxide
- Can cause or worsen:
 - Asthma
 - Neurological stress
 - Heart conditions

Despite this:

- LG&E has provided no public notice of the total generator count, exhaust dispersal patterns, or cumulative pollutant impact.
- No environmental impact statement or hazard zone map was included in the
 public record as of the May 21, 2025 TRC meeting (Oldham). DRC June18, 2025
 did not address the hazards adequately instead stating non-jurisdiction for
 wetlands. To date, no operator has shown the true health and environmental

hazards known to be present by the individual or composite components of the data center and power sources.

EMF and Smart Meter Risks

High-powered EMF sources in these systems include:

- Data nodes
- Switching banks
- * Smart meters mounted on homes and infrastructure

Scientific and medical studies have identified correlations between **chronic EMF exposure** and:

- Neurological symptoms (headaches, insomnia, dizziness)
- Arrhythmias
- · Behavioral irregularities in children

Collapse of Pollinator Populations

Since the **regional deployment of smart meter systems**—in tandem with infrastructure that now supports the Data Center energy grid—the People have observed:

- · Massive decline of bee and butterfly populations
- Disruption of seasonal pollination
- Increased sudden death and hive disorientation, consistent with EMF interference patterns recorded in peer-reviewed entomological research

These losses harm:

- Ecological balance
- Community gardens and food security
- · Local agriculture and biodiversity stewardship

Despite this:

- LWC and BOWW have not acknowledged the ecological risks tied to water meter telemetry systems
- LG&E has failed to address EMF emissions from grid-tied components, including smart meter antennae, transformers, and switching relays

Water & Public Utility Trust Concerns

LWC and BOWW have fiduciary and public service duties. However:

 No safeguards were announced concerning EMF leakage or vibration through buried lines shared with homes Thermal or frequency pollution may affect biological systems, household water quality, and soil microbial health

None of the utilities have published:

- EMF shielding standards
- Eco-impact data
- · Pollinator recovery initiatives
- Mitigation at point of use to mitigate RF and EMF hazards to Pollinator populations, including faraday enclosures for all smart meters.

Constitutional and Ethical Anchors

Rentucky Constitution §§ 1, 2, 19, 25 RRS § 211.350 Mandates health oversight where risks exist Public Trust Doctrine Utilities must act in service of the People and their habitat, not private data interests Moral Law / Public Law Defending life includes safeguarding pollinators and all systems under Divine ordinance

Prepared for: Kentucky State Auditor, Kentucky Attorney General's Office – Environmental and Civil Rights Divisions

I. Overview

This submission outlines violations of:

- Section 1 and Section 2 of the Kentucky Constitution (natural rights and protection from arbitrary power);
- Kentucky Administrative Code environmental protection standards;
- Public trust doctrine where air, water, and ecological systems are concerned.

II. Specific Allegations of Risk or Failure

- The approval process failed to include any environmental risk modeling for EMF emissions so far in the public process.
- No formal air quality impact assessment was disclosed to the public for generator use scenarios.
- No toxic diesel spill contingency plan has been made available, despite the largescale diesel storage facilities disclosed in prior zoning and development filings.

III. Statutory Duties of State Officials

- The **Auditor** is obligated to investigate misuse of tax-exempt industrial development bonds that result in public harm.
- The Attorney General is obligated to intervene where public resources (air, water, health) are degraded by private actors operating without sufficient oversight.

IV. Relief Requested

- · Immediate forensic audit of public cost and environmental modeling omissions.
- Injunction referral to halt generator installation until emissions impact and emergency run-time disclosures are made.
- Public health advisory issued jointly with the Kentucky Department of Public Health.

Scientific and Medical Authorities Regarding Toxic Exposure

This exhibit is submitted in support of community health to substantiate the foreseeable harms caused by exposure to fuel oil, diesel exhaust, benzene, jet fuel, and particulate matter.

The listed scientific and regulatory sources establish:

- Known carcinogenicity and liver toxicity of benzene and diesel fuels
- · Respiratory and reproductive harm from particulate exposure
- Developmental and epigenetic consequences from polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs)
- Long-term neurological, cognitive, and systemic health effects from exposure to military-grade jet fuels and combustion byproducts

These materials form the evidentiary basis for civil liability under NEPA, the Clean Air Act, and public health protection laws invoked in the present complaint.

EXPANDED TOXIC EXPOSURE REFERENCE TABLE

Toxin / Exposure Agent	Documented Health Effects	Developmental / Pediatric Harms	Sources
Xylene	Liver damage, kidney damage, lung inflammation, spleen and GI toxicity, CNS depression, sleep disturbance	Asthma. premature birth, developmental delay, brain pathology, ROP- linked neurotoxicity	ATSDR, WHO, EPA IRIS, medical toxicology literature
Diesel Exhaust & Fuel Oil	Respiratory illness, asthma, lung inflammation, cardiovascular disease, liver toxicity, cancer	Premature birth. immune disruption, sleep apnea, neurotoxicity	ATSDR Fuel Oils Profile; EPA: Brown Univ. SPH
Benzene	Leukemia, aplastic anemia, liver injury, immunosuppression, CNS depression	Fetal toxicity, low birth weight, developmental delay, cognitive impairment, blindness	ATSDR Benzene Profile: WHO; EPA IRIS
Jet Fuel / JP-8 [kerosene]	Liver/kidney damage, neurotoxicity, skin irritation, respiratory depression	Neurological harm, developmental risk, sleep apnea, learning impairment	VA/DOD Reports; WarRelatedIllness.VA.gov
Particulate Matter (PM)	Cardiopulmonary mortality, stroke, lung fibrosis, systemic inflammation	Pediatric asthma, low birth weight, neuroinflammation, ROP. ADHD	EPA, CDC, WHO
Polycyclic Aromatic HC (PAHs)	Endocrine disruption, liver toxicity, immune dysfunction, cancer	Epigenetic injury, fetal growth restriction, neurobehavioral toxicity	Peer-reviewed environmental medicine sources; ATSDR

Toxin / Exposure Agent	Documented Health Effects	Developmental / Pediatric Harms	Sources
Arsenic in Petroleum	Carcinogenic, liver damage, GI ulcers, kidney damage, cardiovascular effects	Developmental neurotoxicity, blindness, cancer, reduced fetal viability	ATSDR. CDC, WHO Environmental Health Criteria
Barium (Coal- Linked)	Gastrointestinal hemorrhage, cardiac arrhythmia, CNS excitation, muscle weakness, liver and kidney stress	Teratogenic effects, birth defects, neurotoxicity, delayed development	ATSDR Toxicological Profile for Barium; EPA; medical toxicology journals

Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP) is noted across several toxins (xylene. benzene, particulate matter, arsenic) as linked to oxidative stress, low oxygenation from respiratory damage, and systemic inflammation during critical developmental windows. ROP is a leading cause of infant blindness, particularly among premature infants exposed to toxic environmental insults during retinal vascular development.

All entries in this table are supported by scientific literature, including ATSDR Toxicological Profiles, EPA IRIS, CDC reports, peer-reviewed studies in environmental and reproductive toxicology, and Department of Veterans Affairs assessments.

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D

Exhibit D - Jurisdiction & Public Trust Obligations

Clarifications:

- PSC does not govern LWC; LWC is under BOWW & Louisville Metro Government
- Public officials may bear direct liability under Pinkerton doctrine for failure to act

Requested Oversight:

- Auditor Allison Ball to review regulatory process, compliance, and concealment risk

E

Exhibit E - Legal Remedies and Enforcement Table

Civil Remedies:

- Nuisance, trespass, fraud (KRS § 446.070)

Criminal Exposure:

- Official misconduct (KRS § 522.030)
- Deceptive practices (KRS § 367.170)
- Federal wire fraud (18 U.S.C. § 1343)
- Conspiracy (Pinkerton liability)

Administrative Avenues:

- Auditor Ball, KY CHFS, KY EEC, EPA, PSC (LG&E only as LWC is under liability of Metro)

Constitutional Rights:

- Kentucky Constitution §§ 1, 2, 5, 25; U.S. Const. Amends. 1, 4, 5, 14. Mitigation at point of use to mitigate RF and EMF hazards to pollinator populations, including Faraday enclosures for all smart meters.
- Pollinator recovery initiatives
- Eco-impact data
- EMF shielding standards

None of the utilities have published: full disclosure of the known or potential risks or the remedies, or disclosed how the energy will be provided without harm to the people and their progeny, their property, or to the bees, animals, butterflies, other pollinators, and energy or medical/wellness recovery bills.

PUBLIC PETITION SIGNATURE PAGE

Concerning: Lincoln and Louisville Data Centers - Public Oversight, Ecological Harm, and Constitutional Safeguards

Date: June 21, 2025

Prepared By: The People affected by Oldham and Jefferson Counties

[CASE NU25-CAT3-0006]

To Be Submitted To: Louisville Metro Government, State Auditor Allison Ball, LG&E, LWC, and the Board of Water Works

We, the undersigned People, affirm our natural and constitutional right to petition for redress of grievasces, to protect our bodily autonomy, conscience, ecological stewardship, and public trust infrastructure. We respectfully demand:

- 1. An immediate halt to any activation or expansion of the Lincoln and Louisville Data Center infrastructure;
- 2. A full independent audit by Kentucky State Auditor Allison Ball into regulatory conduct and utility coordination;
- 3. Public buarings, full disclosure, and remedy of health, environmental, and surveillance-related risks

Avo Print
We sign below in peaceful solidarity and lawful demand for transparency, accountability, and constitutional governance:

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Open Records Request showing lack of studies essential for a project of such magnitude

-Updated with most recent response July 3, 2025 from Planning -

From: Portwood, Stacy M. stacy.portwood@louisvilleky.gov &

Subject: RE: LM: OPEN RECORDS2 -data center

Date: July 3, 2025 at 8:59 AM

To:



Please see the below responses from the Office of Planning and Design.

1. The record of the technical review committee on the Louisville data center,

The Technical Review Committee did not have any involvement with the review of this case.

2. The record of meetings with LG and E on the Louisville data center

The Office of Planning was not involved with any meetings with LG&E regarding this case.

3. Record of planning and zoning meetings in Data Center.

The Minutes from the DRC meeting will not be approved until July 16th.

4. Record of toxic production and EMF generation by the on-site diesel fuel storage, including arsenic benzene xylene diesel particulate in the known health effects and reproductive harm and 5. record of the known EMF hazards associated with a data center fire such as PC, A,H and PFOA and water contamination, and

The Office of Planning does not have any records related to this portion of the request.

5. record of acceptance liability, presented by the operators, and the public officials who approve the data center,

We need further clarification from the requestor about their meaning of "record of acceptance liability."

6. record showing that this is not a military operation, and not connected to Dept of Defense or Homeland Security

We have no information about the proposed owner/operator of this facility.

8. record showing the source of funds for the project, including any sovereign wealth, fund, or foreign investment

We have no information about the proposed owner/operator of this facility.

9. record showing this is not part of project star gate or surveillance and biometric collections system using Al.

We have no information about the proposed owner/operator of this facility.

If you do not have the records on these issues, please show your exemption from state audit for failure to do to due diligence and perform ministerial duties,

10. Please provide the record of the oath of office of every official who gave approval for this project, such record, including a record of signature on approval and

Planning Commission members are sworn in during their first meetings. They are not required to sign any kind of oath as part of this.

11. record of participation on a review committee such as minutes with meeting members and how they voted or supported the Data Center

The Minutes will be approved at the July 16 DRC meeting.

12. Record of clearance fro Office of Foreign Asset Control (OFAC) for investors/investment/developers.

This is not applicable to what the Office of Planning will have on file.

13. Record of prior construction showing that the names developers have ever built this scale of a data center in Kentucky or on the land known as United States of America.

The Office of Planning does not have any information related to this request.

14. Record of environmental damage caused by the developers in developing their previous data centers and the location of such damage and centers.

The Office of Planning does not have any information related to this request.

Please advise on the question Planning and Design has posed regarding "record of acceptance liability" in order to proceed with your request.

Stacy Portwood

Open Records Specialist 745 W Main Street, 4th Floor Louisville, KY 40202 Phone 502.574.3981 Fax 502.588.3121



From: Open Records
Sent: Friday, June 27, 2025 4:42 PM
То:
Subject: RE: LM: OPEN RECORDS2 -data center

Regarding your open records request, we have received the following responses:

This is a response from the Louisville Air Pollution Control District to your Open Records Request received June 19, 2025. A review of our databases for records regarding your list of criteria returned no files or other materials.

LMPHW has no records.

No responsive solid waste management records.

No responsive zoning enforcement records.

We are still waiting on a response from Planning and Design. A reminder was sent

to the department this morning for a response, but we have not received anything at this time. We will follow up with them on Monday to see how long they expect it will take to fulfill your request.

Stacy Portwood

Open Records Specialist 745 W Main Street, 4th Floor Louisville, KY 40202 **Phone** 502.574.3981 **Fax** 502.588.3121



From:						
Sent: T	hursday,	June	19,	2025	11:08 AN	√I

To: Open Records < <u>openrecords2@louisvilleky.gov</u>> **Subject:** Fwd: LM: OPEN RECORDS2 -data center

CAUTION: This email came from outside of Louisville Metro. Do not click links, open attachments, or give away private information unless you recognize the sender's email address and know the content is safe.

Dear Presiding officer of agency/Open Records custodian Louisville Metro please see enclosed records request.

Begin forwarded message:

From:

Subject: LM: OPEN RECORDS-data center Date: May 31, 2025 at 11:53:35 PM EDT

To: openrecords@louisville.ky.gov

May 31, 2025

Dear Presiding officer of agency/Open Records custodian Louisville Metro

As a property owner at Kentucky and make this statement that I meet the requirements of the Open records act. For non-commercial purposes, I request the following records, concerning the Louisville Data Center

- 1. The record of the technical review committee on the Louisville data center,
- 2. The record of meetings with LG and E on the Louisville data center
- 3. Record of planning and zoning meetings in Data Center.
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The time. For the record request is from 01012001 to present until the record is provided..

The definition of records is as defined by the Kentucky open record act.

15. Louisville Metro is served notice that your Form on NextRequest requires a phone number which is in violation of the Open Records Act. Please remove the requirement and provide an email for processing as is required by the Kentucky Open Records Act. It is unclear from the Louisville Metro Website. We assume that the County Attorney is

responsbile but is unclear from the policy posted. Please bring the Louisville Metro website into compliance.
Tha *indicates a required field.
Per the Open Records Act , the phone is not required. We believe Your form is out of conformance based on prior ORD of the Attorney General/
Please provide the email link to the records, such as videos and meeting minutes or provide a copy of the record themselves by email to
If you do not have the records, please stay where I can get the records.
If for any reason, you withhold the records please cite the statutory exemption for each and every record exempted.
Done in good faith,
Without prejudice, all rights reserved.

Done in good faith with all rights liberties privileges immunities waivers guarantees remedies protections and records claimed without limitation or prejudice, nunc pro tunc,

"This matter is by the decree of the watchers, and the demand by the word of the holy ones: to the intent that the living may know that the most High ruleth in the kingdom of men, and giveth it to whomsoever he will, and setteth up over it the basest of men." Daniel 4:17 KJV

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Date:	June 29, 2025
To:	
Louisville	Metro Council
c/o Metro	Council Clerk
metroc	ouncilclerk@louisville.ky.gov

Louisville Metro Council Members (as of May 28, 2025) in their individual capacities:

Tammy Hawkins (District 1)

Date.

- Barbara Shanklin (District 2)
- Shameka Parrish-Wright (District 3)
- Ken Herndon (District 4)
- Donna Purvis (District 5)
- J.P. Lyninger (District 6)
- Paula McCraney (District 7)
- Ben Reno-Weber (District 8)
- Andrew Owen (District 9)
- Josie Raymond (District 10)
- Kevin Kramer (District 11)
- Jonathan Joseph (District 12)
- Dan Seum Jr. (District 13)
- Crystal Bast (District 14)
- Jennifer Chappell (District 15)
- Scott Reed (District 16)
- Markus Winkler (District 17)
- Marilyn Parker (District 18)
- Anthony Piagentini (District 19)
- Stuart Benson (District 20)
- Betsy Ruhe (District 21)
- Kevin Bratcher (District 22)
- Jeff Hudson (District 23)
- Ginny Mulvey-Woolridge (District 24)
- Khalil Batshon (District 25)
- Brent Ackerson (District 26)

Subject: Formal Submission of Public Briefing Packet on Louisville and Lincoln Data Centers

Dear Council Members.

We, the concerned people respectfully submit the enclosed Public Briefing and Petition

Louisville and Lincoln Data Centers – Public Oversight, Ecological Harm, and Constitutional Safeguards''

This packet includes Exhibits A through E, and a Petition Signature Page.

Our intent is to bring to your attention the pressing environmental, health, and governance concerns associated with the development and operation of the Louisville and Lincoln Data Centers, as well as the supporting utility infrastructure managed by LG&E, LWC, and BOWW.

We urge the Louisville Metro Council to:

- 1. Initiate a comprehensive review of the environmental and health impacts of the data centers.
- 2. Ensure transparency and public involvement in decision-making processes related to utility infrastructure.
- 3. Collaborate with state officials, including State Auditor Allison Ball, to conduct audits for compliance with regulatory and administrative procedures.

We appreciate your attention to this matter and stand ready to engage in constructive dialogue to address these critical issues.

Sincerely,

One of we the People Affected by Oldham and Jefferson Counties

 From:
 PSC Public Comment

 To:
 David Smith

 Subject:
 RE: 2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:49:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: David Smith

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 5:57 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: 2025-00045



PSC

We hope you listen to reason and knowledge that the additional energy capacity is not needed and these are not economically feasible plans.

Current energy users do not require more energy to be produced and should not pay for energy needs of new users.

If new energy users require large amounts of energy the new users must pay for the infrastructure and incremental energy cost required to meet the new energy users requirements.

Lynn Smith

Crestwood, KY 40014

 From:
 PSC Public Comment

 To:
 "Frederick Otto"

 Subject:
 RE: Case #2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:49:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Frederick Otto

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 5:39 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case #2025-00045



To the Commissioners:

Please add my voice to the tide of public opposition regarding the LG&E/KU request for two new power plants and extended existence for an old one in their pursuit of attracting data centers. Such businesses consume vast amounts of energy at great expense to the environment and ratepayers' bills. They contribute little to the community but greatly to corporate interests. I am an LG&E customer, and though I benefit from the advancement in high-speed data, I would rather have a cleaner, less costly, and more human-scaled community than continue to bow to the dictates of corporate technology.

Do not give in to the mindset that "These developments are inevitable because they represent progress." That thinking leads to a focus on competing with other localities for the "prize." The focus should be on the actual public you serve, who have every right to oppose being rolled over in the name of progress. If the data centers locate somewhere else, that should be seen as a sad hardship for another community whose PSC did not serve its public in a responsible way.

Frederick Otto

Subject: RE: LG&E Request for \$2.8 B for Powerplants #2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:47:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From:

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 3:33 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Cc:

Subject: LG&E Request for \$2.8 B for Powerplants #2025-00045



Ladies and Gentlemen:

As an LG&E customer, I ask you to deny the request of LG&E to allocate \$2.8 billion for new powerplants. This expenditure will not benefit the local community, yet at some point, it is we who will be required to finance the expenditure, perhaps by paying more for our power. The local utility is a necessary monopoly, but its owners should not benefit excessively on the backs of utility users! We retirees are perhaps more aware of this than others!

Thank you for your consideration.

Joanmarie McGuire

Louisville, KY 40207

To: Kyle Ellison

 Subject:
 RE: My Comment for Case 2025-00045

 Date:
 Monday, August 4, 2025 10:47:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Kyle Ellison

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 3:23 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** My Comment for Case 2025-00045



We are on a fixed income and this will raise our rates.

Do not approve this request without an ironclad guarantee that all the risks will be borne by the developers.

Kyle Ellison

Louisville Ky 40206

From: PSC Public Comment
To: Gary Watrous

 Subject:
 RE: OPPOSE - Case #2025-00045

 Date:
 Monday, August 4, 2025 10:47:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Gary Watrous

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 3:05 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Cc: watrousoffice@aol.com

Subject: OPPOSE - Case #2025-00045



Gary Watrous

Louisville, KY 40212

re: Case #2025-00045

I am opposed to the \$3.7 billion request from LG&E largely to fund Data Centers that do not exist.

Any future Data Center should be required to generate their own electricity from renewable sources.

Sincerely,
Gary Watrous
Watrous Associates Architects, PSC

Louisville, KY 40212

PSC Public Comment From:

To: Date:

Subject: RE: Case No. 2025-00045 (LG&E/KU CPCN) Monday, August 4, 2025 10:47:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From:

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 1:10 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Case No. 2025-00045 (LG&E/KU CPCN)



Case No. 2025-00045 (LG&E/KU CPCN)

Dear Kentucky Public Service Commission

Diversification of Kentucky's electric generation is crucial to staying competitive and meeting the diverse needs of customers, with the supply chain in mind.

Kentucky exports over 16% of the state's GDP, which is the third highest in the US, after Louisiana and Texas. Canada is KY's largest export market for aerospace products and parts.

"In 2024, Kentucky set a record for exports, shipping \$47.7 billion worth of products globally, which is an 18.7% increase from the previous year. This figure translates to approximately \$8,850 per capita, indicating a significant contribution to the state's economy."

Economic development and planned investment accelerated over the last four years, during the "Invest in America" initiative, which included targeted investment in variable renewable energy.

To sustain and expand planned projects and further develop export market destinations, the entire supply chain is a key competitive parameter. "How a product is produced" becomes as important as the quality of the end product itself. Exports to the EU will need to fulfill the EU's various types of "Corporate Sustainability Due Diligence Directives". These are followed by EU countries and other countries exporting to the EU. The US will need to fulfill the exact requirements.

To secure planned economic investments in Kentucky and expand exports, the state must protect and update, not downgrade, its technological infrastructure and advancements to maintain its competitive edge. One of these is a diverse and greening energy infrastructure.

<u>List of U.S. states and territories by exports and imports - Wikipedia</u>

With best regards,

Kris O'Daniel

Washington County Springfield, KY

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:46:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 12:45 PM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on

Sunday, August 3, 2025 at 12:44 PM

Name: Regina Fragneto

Address:

City: Georgetown

State: KY

Zip Code: 40324

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: I am asking that the commission not approve the KU/Louisville Gas & Electric request to build 2 gas-powered electric plants. As you know, the customers of these companies ultimately pay for the costs of building these plants in the form of increased utility rates. The companies state the need for these plants based on potential data centers being located in Kentucky. However, there has been no firm commitment or contract for such data centers to be built. Thus, citizens of the Commonwealth may ultimately pay for these plants. In addition, it is concerning that the companies are only considering fossil fuel-generated power plants rather than pursuing effective renewable energy sources for future power plants. Although some wish to deny the problem of

climate change, it is real. Not only does the data presented by expert scientists prove the presence of this problem, the increased frequency and severity of extreme weather events in Kentucky which have led to devastating consequences for many of our citizens also demonstrate the existence of climate change. This problem jeopardizes our well-being and that of our children and future generations of Kentuckians. Thank you for your consideration.

To:

RE: Docket #2025-00045

Subject: Date:

Monday, August 4, 2025 10:46:00 AM

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Yvonne And jerry

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 12:00 PM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Docket #2025-00045



If the corporation LG&E/KU wants to service data centers then they can use their own money to build the infrastructure needed.

The public needs guarantees in writing from LG&E/KU that rates will remain unaltered due to their building spree.

I fail to see the advantages of housing data centers. They employ very few people. We shouldn't have to put the bill.

Yvonne Brumleve Louisville, Ky 40204

To:

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 11:49 AM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on

Sunday, August 3, 2025 at 11:48 AM

Name: Monica Unseld

Address:

City: Louisville

State: KY

Zip Code: 40299

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: Hello, I'm writing to oppose the construction of two new power plants in order to potentially bring two new data centers to the area. I am an environmental health researcher and I have spoken with people on the African continent, as well as people here in the United States who currently live near these data centers and their power sources. In all cases, local taxpayers are not only responsible for constructing the buildings but they were responsible for building even more infrastructure as the data centers demand more water and more energy over the years. The nature of these plants also means that they will not provide many permanent jobs. There is an area in Texas where they are now advising residence near data centers and their power plants to take

shorter showers because they are running out of water. While we live near the Ohio river, an abundance of water is not promised. The Ohio river is expected to start shrinking like the Colorado river out west, as the area receives less rain and increased droughts due to climate change. That's not only will impact residents, but it will impact other businesses, potentially even the bourbon industry. There are also an increasing number of economists coming forward to say that the AI bubble may be bursting soon. These data centers are actually a quick way for energy companies to increase their profits, without pushing us away from fossil fuels which is where we need to be as climate change impacts our area more and more. It's not good planning to even build data centers reliant on fossil fuels, because again if the grid goes down then the data centers will also go down. The former GE plant showed a green way to have a data center. Before increasing energy rates and taxes for residents and reducing water supply for businesses, I hope you will all think about the realities of building two new fossil fuelbased power plants for two new data centers that may not be here or that may not be up and running for long. We know that fossil fuels are wrong for our area. And we are also learning more and more about the harms of these data centers. If the AI bubble burst we will be stuck and residents will be paying for these mistakes and judgment for decades. I am urging you to not fall to the pressure so that the energy company can make a quick profit, while furthering the destructive storms that will impact the power plants, the data centers, as well as the homes and other businesses here in the area. There are other ways for the city to boost its economy. This is not it. Thank you for your time. Monica E. Unseld, Ph.D, MPH

 From:
 PSC Public Comment

 To:
 Dianna Bosemer

 Subject:
 RE: Case 2024-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:45:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Dianna Bosemer

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 11:37 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case 2024-00045



I am against the LGE facility being built in louisville

From: PSC Public Comment
To: Greq Brown

Subject: RE: Case#2025-00045

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:45:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Greg Brown

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 11:20 AM

To: PSC Public Comment < PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

Subject: Case#2025-00045



My Name is Gregory Brown.

My address is Lagrange KY 40031

I have been a resident of Oldham County Ky for over 28 years. I am opposed to, ANY RATE INCREASE, designed to build infrastructure for data centers, or any other purpose other than to upgrade systems for consumers, that is deemed necessary!!!

Sincerely Yours

Gregory Brown.

To:

Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:45:00 AM

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From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 10:37 AM

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Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company, Louisville Gas and

Electric Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

on Sunday, August 3, 2025 at 10:36 AM

Name: Barbar Brown

Address:

City: Fisherville State: Kentucky Zip Code: 40023

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: I am totally opposed to the idea of LG&E building new power plants for the supposed Data Center. If there is ever a Data Center, let them build they own power facilities. We already pay too much to LG&E. Thank you. We are retired and on a Fixed Income. We moved from North Carolina after living a Peaceful life of 23 years! We moved back to be closer to family. My husband and I are originally from Louisville. It is More Expensive to live here. We are Very Sorry we returned to Kentucky!!! Barbara Brown

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Subject: RE: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00045 - Kentucky Utilities Company , Louisville Gas and Electric Company

Date: Monday, August 4, 2025 10:45:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kentucky Utilities Company, Louisville Gas and Electric Company. 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, 2025-00045 in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at <u>View Case Filings for: 2025-00045 (ky.gov).</u>

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: KY Public Service Commission Public Comments <psc.comment@ky.gov>

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 8:05 AM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>

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Public Comments for Case 2025-00045 submitted by

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Sunday, August 3, 2025 at 8:04 AM

Name: David Brown

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Comments: I am totally opposed to the idea of LG&E building new power plants for the supposed Data Center. If there is ever a Data Center, let them build they own power facilities. We already pay too much to LG&E. Thank you. David Brown

To: Subject: Date:

RE: Public Comment Case #2025-00045 Monday, August 4, 2025 10:44:00 AM

Case No. 2025-00045

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Mildred Butler

Sent: Sunday, August 3, 2025 12:01 AM

To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> **Subject:** Public Comment Case #2025-00045



Dear Public Service Commission,

With electricity costs already too high for many Kentuckians we can not allow our utilities to invest in excess generation to power unconfirmed data centers. These new power plants are unneccessary and risky. Instead of spending money to build new power plants, LG&E-KU should be investing in energy efficiency and Demand-Side Management programs that will lower our power bills and reduce the need for new power plants.

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