

**From:** [PSC Public Comment](#)  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** RE: KY PSC Utility Inquiry  
**Date:** Thursday, July 3, 2025 8:23:00 AM

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Case No. 2025-00113

Thank you for your comments on the application of Kentucky Utilities 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, 2025-00113 in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at [View Case Filings for: 2025-00113 \(ky.gov\)](#).

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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**From:** PSC Consumer Inquiry <PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 3, 2025 7:28 AM  
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**From:** KY Public Service Commission <[pscfilings@ky.gov](mailto:pscfilings@ky.gov)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 3, 2025 1:46 AM  
**To:** PSC Consumer Inquiry <[PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov](mailto:PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov)>  
**Subject:** KY PSC Utility Inquiry

Below is the result of your feedback form. It was submitted by [REDACTED]  
on Thursday, July 3, 2025 at 1:46 AM

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Name: Martha McKnight

Address: [REDACTED]

City: Saint Charles

State: KY

Zip Code: 42453

Phone number where you can be reached: [REDACTED]

Home phone:

Utility Name: Kentucky Utilities Company

State the nature of your concern: Dear Commissioners, I am writing as a concerned resident of Hopkins County who is deeply troubled by the continued rate increases proposed by Kentucky Utilities (KU). The recent announcement of another 13.6% hike — on top of previous increases — places an unbearable burden on households across our community. Many of us live in areas where KU is the only provider available, leaving us with no choice but to accept these rising costs. Unlike member-owned cooperatives such as Kenergy, KU operates as a for-profit entity, and its repeated rate hikes feel more like profit-driven gouging than necessary infrastructure investment. This isn't just affecting those considered poor or needy — it's working-class families and middle-income earners, many of whom are living paycheck to paycheck and already stretched thin by inflation, housing costs, and medical expenses. I urge the Commission to consider the following: • Reject or reduce the proposed rate increase, especially for residential customers. • Explore pathways for utility choice in underserved areas, allowing consumers to opt into cooperative models where feasible. • Mandate transparency and accountability from KU regarding how ratepayer funds are used. • Expand energy efficiency programs and billing assistance for struggling households — not just the lowest income bracket. As you consider this decision, I encourage you to reflect on Proverbs 31:8-9: "Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute. Speak up and judge fairly; defend the rights of the poor and needy." This verse reminds us that leadership must stand for justice — not only for those on the margins, but for all who carry silent burdens. I ask you to stand with the people of Kentucky and ensure that utility service remains fair, just, and reasonable. Sincerely, Martha McKnight

Have you contacted the utility about the problem: No

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**From:** [PSC Public Comment](#)  
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**From:** KY Public Service Commission <[pscfilings@ky.gov](mailto:pscfilings@ky.gov)>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 2, 2025 6:12 PM  
**To:** PSC Consumer Inquiry <[PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov](mailto:PSC.Consumer.Inquiry@ky.gov)>  
**Subject:** KY PSC Utility Inquiry

Below is the result of your feedback form. It was submitted by  
[REDACTED] on Wednesday, July 2, 2025 at 6:12 PM

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Name: Judy Miller  
Address: [REDACTED]  
City: Richmond  
State: Ky  
Zip Code: 40475  
Phone number where you can be reached: [REDACTED]  
Home phone:  
Utility Name: Kentucky Utilities

State the nature of your concern: Case No 2025-00113 Kentucky Utilities request for an 11%-13% rate hike. This rate hike is excessive and would be hard on most customers especially seniors who are on fixed incomes. Please deny this rate request! Thank you.  
Have you contacted the utility about the problem: No

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**From:** [PSC Public Comment](#)  
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**Subject:** RE: Case # 2025-00113  
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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

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**From:** Meredith Chapman [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 3, 2025 1:45:06 AM  
**To:** PSC Public Information Officer <[PSC.Info@ky.gov](mailto:PSC.Info@ky.gov)>  
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Public Service Commission

Please do not grant this rate hike to KU. In a time of economic hardship that is deeply felt

by the working poor, please grant a reprieve to those of us who make too much for any kind of public assistance and not enough to actually live. We merely survive. There is no extra for those of us in this class, only necessity, and sometimes not even that. We are struggling to make ends meet please don't punish us further. Us the women, single mothers, children, aged, and minority.

Thank you for your time and consideration

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