Public Comments Received for Case Number: 2025-00257

Response Monday, October 13, 2025

Thank you for your comments. 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,2025-00257 in any further correspondence.

The documents in this case are available at: View Case Filings for: 2025-00257 (ky.gov).

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Sunday, October 12, 2025

From: Ernestine Cornett

City: Hazard State: KY Zip: 41701

Comments:

Attention: KY Public Service Commission, Angie Hatton, Chair

I join all eastern Kentuckians in strongly objecting to the 14.9% increase (or for that matter, ANY increase) in our KY Power Bills. We have already seen MAJOR increases approved in prior years sanctioned by the PSC when KY Power applied to your agency.

My father was a life-long employee and retiree of Kentucky Power and he was always proud to say where he worked. It was a different time then, when companies valued their customers. But today, it is becoming clear that the company does not "see" his customer. Should I remind them, and you, that eastern Kentucky is in the crux of a RECOVERY MODE due to two reasons: 1. We are trying our best to recover from the 1,000 year flood that recently ravaged eastern Kentucky where thousands of people were permanently displaced, having to move their families to start over. 2. We are attempting to somewhat recover from the closings of this areas largest employers, our east Kentucky coal mines companies. This was, at the very least, a catastrophic event which has certainly negatively impacted employment and the OVERALL financial health of our region, and has negatively affected an untold number of families.

I cannot fathom why the Commission would sanction this move. Why kick a horse when it is down? It is unconscionable to think that company profits override the frail condition, unique challenges, and needs of their customer/consumer.

Thank you.

3 concerned households in Lothair, KY, including:

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Ashley Vanover

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