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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov> Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 7:01 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: KU rate increase

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From: Bronze E John Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 7:00:11 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU rate increase

reference case number: 2025-00113

No rate increase! You(KU) just had a rate increase stating the same things about infrastructure

upgrades and so on. Every day living has increase. Please explain how in details exactly how this rste increase will benefit your customers. You will start a problem with customers having problems paying their bill.

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From: Kevin L Steele Sr Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 6:47:48 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Rate hike



I understand that KU is asking for a rate. I live in Lexington KY on a fixed income. Corporations have to be stopped from raising rates at their will. Please, please turn the request down or at least give us a reason for the hike. Thank you, Kevin Steele. 40517

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov> Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 6:15 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: KU rate increases

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From: ron jones Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 6:13:14 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU rate increases

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Did not KU just get a rate increase?

My bill is \$5 dollars a month more than last year Sent from my iPhone

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov> Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:52 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: case 2025-00113

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Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:51:36 PM	
To: PSC Public Information Officer < <u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u>	
Subject: reference 2025-00113	

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The Kentucky Utilities Co. here in Lexington, KY does not need another increase. Enough is enough.

G. Randall

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov> Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:50 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: Rate increase case no. 2025-00113

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From:
Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 1:14:57 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer < <u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u>
Subject: Rate increase case no. 2025-00113
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Case No. 2025-00113

Regarding the rate increase requested by KU we pray that you do not allow this to take place since it would add more burdens and hardships on already struggling folks. We are living in a time that buying food and paying bills is difficult enough. We pray that you will not allow KU to make life harder for us.

Thank you.

Sylvia Davis Porter Edward A. Porter

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From: Rita Davega Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 1:50:38 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU Case 2025-00113

Hello PSC,

I am writing to you concerning the rate increase KU has requested, which estimates to raise my monthly bill by approximately 13% if I understand correctly. Of course, I am AGAINST this increase.

I don't want to be just another consumer crying about high bills, but that's what I am today !!! I do not have a money tree in my backyard!

I have not seen their application so I do not know what the increase is for. But I would hope the PSC sides with the public and protects my money. You have to pay these higher bills too, so protect yourself also.

If a total denial is not possible, please award them 1% of their request. I know they ask for more than they really want. The battle here is corporate vs the little man - the public. I'm hoping the PSC remembers that public is part of their name.

Respectfully,

Rita DaVega

Sent from my iPhone

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov> Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:49 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: Case Number: 2025-00113

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From: Ron Lewis	
Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 2:25:28 PM	
To: PSC Public Information Officer < <u>PSC.Info@ky.gov</u>	>
Subject: Case Number: 2025-00113	

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Dear Commissioners,

I am writing as a concerned Kentucky Utilities (KU) customer to express my opposition to the

proposed rate increase under Case No. 2025-00113.

While I understand the importance of maintaining a reliable energy infrastructure, the scope of this requested increase—particularly the proposed 13.5% rise in residential rates—feels excessive and poorly timed. Many of us are already facing higher costs across the board, and a double-digit increase in electric rates would impose a significant burden, especially on fixed- and moderate-income households.

KU cites the need for weather resilience and infrastructure upgrades, which are important goals. However, I respectfully question whether such a large increase in one step is necessary or reasonable. I urge the Commission to require KU to explore more cost-effective, phased, or transparent solutions before placing the full financial weight of these upgrades on its residential customers.

Please consider this email as my formal comment in opposition to the proposed rate increase.

Sincerely, Ron Lewis

Lexington, KY. 40509

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From: Danita Morris-Slatery Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 3:07:18 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: 2025-00113

Hello,

I am a single mother who lives in Lexington, 40513 zip code area. I object to KU prices going up, over 13%. We do not get our electricity from Canada, only people in

New York State and along the upper eastern coastline.

Please do not raise our electricity cost. This doesn't make sense and it's not good for our community or anyone.

Thank you in advance.

God bless and my best, Danita Morris Slatery

One Game~One Team~One God

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov> Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:48 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: Lexington KY 40508

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From: Dean Taylor			
Sent: Wednesday, June	18, 2025 3:37:49 PM		
To: PSC Public Information Officer < <u>PSC.Info@ky.gov</u> >			
Subject:	Lexington KY 40508		

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To Whom it May Concern:

I Roland D Taylor, of the above address.

I simply ask that Kentucky Utilities NOT be allowed to do yet another rate hike.

At some point, these type of hikes, need to stop. It is difficult to be able to stay afloat, as matters are as they currently.

Please consider, advocating for We The Citizens/Customers of Kentucky Utilities, please.

I sincerely appreciate Your most heartfelt consideration in this matter.

With Much Appreciation Roland D Taylor

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From: Fred Fahmy Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 3:55:39 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Case number: 2025-00113

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re: UK request of an increase

Enough with the rate increases!!! People have to live!! This is exactly what happens when you allow utilitie to monopolize.

Fred Fahmy

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From: Karen Pantatello Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 3:55:44 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Rate increase

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I'm writing to express my personal financial concerns about the rate increase and my displeasure at this.

At this uncertain economic time, really??

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Carol Hetrick Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 4:03:08 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU Rate Increase

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Please don't raise our rates again. We're retired, on a fixed income. We retired from FCPS as classified employees and haven't received a COLA since we retired. My husband in 2017 and myself in 2018. We can't keep up with all the increases and KY Retirement system doesn't

think we need any pay increases in our retirement. I'm sure employees at KU or our state representatives have received several COLA since 2017 or 2018. Respectfully, Carol Hetrick

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:46 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Fw: Case number: 2025-00113 KU price increase.

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From: Taylor Ingnell Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 4:44:52 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov</u>> Subject: Case number: 2025-00113 KU price increase.

Myself and many others in Lexington KY. Do not want the price increase for KU services mentioned in case number 2025-00113 to be approved! Please decline their request.

Regards, Taylor Ingnell

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From: Aretha Griffin < >
Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 4:51:49 PM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u>
Subject: 2025-00113

Hello

I understand you're talking about a rate increase. I don't think when this happens we as customers are taken into consideration. Some of us are already struggling to pay the bill as it is.

Just because an increase happens for a utility bill doesn't mean we the people we get an increase in pay. I believe an increase just happened not too long ago. Some people have to pick and choose what to pay because bills are so high now. Some of us at this rate will not have electricity. Please think of the people

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov> Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:45 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: Rate increase for Kentucky utilities

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From: Don Frederick Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:20:23 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Rate increase for Kentucky utilities

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Kentucky utilities is a business last I heard and I realize businesses have to increase when they're when they're not making ends meet I don't see when they're not making ends. Meat business is usually borrow money to make money. They don't ask the public to help them out.

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Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:45 PM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Fw: Public Comment on Case No. 2025-00113 – Oppose KU Rate Increase

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From: Greg MaggardSent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 5:40:16 PMTo: PSC Public Information Officer <">PSC.Info@ky.gov>Subject: Public Comment on Case No. 2025-00113 – Oppose KU Rate Increase

Dear Public Service Commission,

I am writing as a concerned Kentucky Utilities customer and Kentucky resident to formally

express my opposition to the proposed rate increase detailed in Case No. 2025-00113.

Many Kentuckians, including myself, are already struggling with rising costs across the board —groceries, fuel, housing, and basic utilities. We cannot continue to absorb additional financial burdens like this. KU's proposed rate increase, especially without clear justification in the bill notice, is both concerning and unfair to hardworking families and individuals.

Utilities are essential—not a luxury—and it is unacceptable to keep pushing higher rates year after year while wages and incomes remain largely stagnant. Enough is enough. This increase would cause real hardship for many in our communities.

I respectfully urge the Commission to reject this rate increase and instead advocate for affordability, transparency, and accountability from KU.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

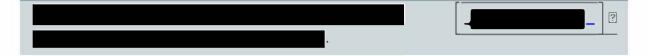
Phillip G Maggard II

Lexington, Ky 40509

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From: Brandi Phillips Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 3:44 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Rate increase

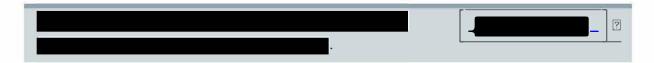


There's zero reason to burden taxpayers with more price hikes. This company has already gotten rid of their brick and mortar buildings and is saving thousands. The coal comes from KY. Tariffs is a lie. An excuse to charge more. They're being just as corrupt as other companies and are trying to take advantage of a bad situation to profit. I've not once had a rate increase that was reasonable. It's always triple or higher the suggested amount as well. Absolutely NOT

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Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Rita Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 11:20 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU case # 2025-00113



To the commission on decision-making for petitioned increase of KU utilities.

JUST SAY NO!

They are asking for a 13% increase in rate changes for electricity.

Kentucky residents are fed up! We do not like living under a monopoly. We do NOT want increases in our utilities.

I already live under the poverty level and most of my income this winter went to KU! If it weren't for EBT, I'd have starved!

Why are they not investing the zillions of dollars for cheaper energy like solar, clean, attractive solar and (not those ugly solar fields?)

They don't care about energy conservation and they don't care about the average homeowner struggling to pay their bills.

PLEASE VOTE NOOOOO on ANY increase, and reprimand KU to be more efficient with their spending.

Also, KU has become a massive conglomerate where they have decreased personnel 'to cut costs' and you can't go in to a store anywhere to pay a bill. It is all online and automated. So where is that money going?

I have a friend that worked for KU, was forced out of her job, and was forced into a "call center" job which left her with high-stress problem-solving situation which she was not properly trained for. She works 8:30 am to 6pm, on the phone all day long with only 2 15min breaks and 30min lunch. I call that cruel and unusual punishment.

Kentucky has sold out to an out-of-state conglomerate and we no longer have choices for a coop or anything.

BREAK UP THIS MONOPOLY and

PLEASE VOTE NOOOOO on ANY increase, and reprimand KU to be more efficient with their spending.

oh, and by the way, your PSC phone line (502) 564-3940 does not take calls and the "mailbox" is full.

Rita Welsh Lexington, KY homeowner

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From: Ben Corbin Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 10:24:59 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Case 2025-00113

To whom it may concern,

I recently heard that KU is seeking an 11.5% rate increase. I understand that it is expensive to generate, provide, and maintain electric service, but at some point, the seemingly endless money supply KU thinks it's customers have is going to run out! We, the rate payers, cannot continue to shoulder the burden everytime they make an upgrade or investment! They must find ways to pay for some of this investment themselves, without raising rates. Please, on behalf of rate payers already struggling to make ends meet, tell them NO this time!

Ben-KU customer

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 10:41 AM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: 2025-00113 (KU Rate Increase)

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From: morgan phelan Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 9:48:12 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Objection to Case 2025-00113 (KU Rate Increase)

Reference number: 2025-00113

Dear Public Service Commission,

I'm writing to express my frustration and opposition to the proposed KU rate increase (Case 2025-00113). As a student resident in Lexington, I already struggle to keep up with the current costs of living—rent, food, gas, and now you're telling us utilities might go up again? I have no hope for the future. It's unaffordable and honestly feels like we're being squeezed from every direction.

I don't see how KU can justify this increase when people are barely getting by. There needs to be a line, and this is it. Please do the right thing and deny this request.

Sincerely,

Morgan Phelan

Lexington, KY

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC. Info@ky.gov> Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 10:40 AM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: 2025-00113

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From: Doug Pokriva Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 11:08:23 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU rate increase

I was informed by KU to direct any comments re: their requested rate increase. Here's my comment: HELL NO!! We the working poor keep paying more and more for EVERYTHING while

not making any more on our paychecks. Do HELL NO to another disproportionate unfair rate increase. The last 3 months at least me KU bill was DOUBLE what it normally was. And now they want to increase our rates again by up to 13.5%?! HELL NO!!

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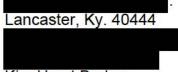
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From: Phyllis Sallee Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 4:38:45 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Rate increase 2025-00113

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I received my bill from Ky	Utilities and they stated they had request a rate increase

I received my bill from Ky. Utilities and they stated they had request a rate increase. I am a single widow and cannot continue to live on my income because these corporate companies are asking for rate increases. I can't imagine how widows that only have Social Security income are having rate & cost increases of every item such as grocery & medicine.

Phyllis Sallee, Realtor Kentucky Properties Realty Group



Kim Hurst, Broker

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From: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov> Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 10:39 AM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: Fw: Case Number 2025-00113

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From: Bonnie M Mitchell Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 7:59:56 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Case Number 2025-00113

I am commenting on the \$18 per month raise for KU Residential

Customers effective 7/1/25. That is just way too much. How can anyone afford that especially those living on a fixed income?? At first, I read this was gonna be effective December 1. Now it's July 1, and I just got my letter early this week enclosed with my bill. What improvements are they talking about anyway. I am happy with the way KU operates as it is. We dont need all this techy stuff they think they have to have. At a time when everything has gone up and people can barely make it, I think its ridiculous. Pls get this lowered if not completely stopped. Thank you. Bonnie M. Mitchell

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From: Doug S Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 8:05:20 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Enough with rate increases

Okay, we Lexington residents are fed up with rate increases. You all just got rid of the brick and mortar. So youre saving money with that over head. We are absolutely tired of these increases,

along side of the prices of groceries, fuel, and housing. DO BETTER!

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From: Joann Beard Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 8:19:29 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Increase

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I would like to know why GAS bill went 45%. I am on the budget and 45% without an explanation is a little excessive. I keep my thermostat on 70. If I get cool I put on a sweater. I'm

on a fixed income along a great number of your customers. I would appreciate having an explanation.

Thank you JoannBeard

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From: Al Robinson Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 8:41:20 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: 2025-00113

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This is in reference to the requested rate increase for KU. I request this not be approved at this time as money for everyone is tight now. Please consider the many requests you will get to not approve.

If they request a reduction in rates. Approve it!

Thank you

Al Robinson

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From: Blandine Mbonekube Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 8:43:05 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: ATTN: Rate Department, KU

As a resident of Lexington, Kentucky, I say NO to another tax increase! We just had

an increase in property taxes, groceries are so expensive which makes it hard for family to afford anything, meanwhile, our pay stay stagnant. With all these price hikes, my company only managed to give me a 1% raise, make that make sense in this economy. So, as it pertains to the 13.55 increase in my KU bill, I SAY NO!!!

Thank you, Blandine Mbonekube

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From: Edith Morton Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 8:45:48 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: 2025-00113.

I am against this request for yet another rate increase. I have seen a rate increases every year-year and half. Something is wrong and needs to be fixed. These utilities are a business and the public should not be expected to support them. Sincerely, E C Morton Sent from my iPhone

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From: Amanda Cross Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:01:31 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: reference number: 2025-00113

I just heard about the requested KU rate hikes and I have to OPPOSE this. Everything is getting more expensive and most of us are not getting raises to compensate for those increases. It's

getting harder and harder to make ends meet. And what about senior citizens who are on a fixed income? How are they expected to pay that much more for their bills? KU knows we all need electricity and they're the only provider in the area to do that so they're taking advantage of it. They need to be focused on helping Kentuckians instead of figuring out a way to increase their profits. I'm sure the higher ups are making plenty of money and don't understand what it's like living paycheck to paycheck like many people in the area do. Please DENY KU's requested rate hike.

Thanks, Amanda Cross

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To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: 2025-00113

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From: E. Clive Bulldogs
Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:32:49 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <PSC.Info@ky.gov>
Subject: Please don't raise our electricity rates

I am writing this to ask kindly to please consider how costly the area is becoming due to housing and utilities already. I am on a fixed income that won't increase just because the

electric company raises its rates. I already struggle. Please hear our collective voices that we cant afford this as a community. Haven't wr had enough to deal with already this year? Sincerely, Kimberly West Sanchez Resident Lexington, KY

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From: C NOBLE Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:34:06 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: 2025-0013

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Sent from my iPhone

I can't afford another rise in cost so what are my options? Can I only use electricity on certain days ? How would i go about knowing how much electricity I'm using so I can pay my bill?

Please advise me since I'm on Social Security. Thanks

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From: Danielle Rutherford Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:39:36 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: 2025-00113

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We vote no to the KU rate increase!! This is very unnecessary. Danielle Rutherford Sent from my iPhone

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From: Chris Walls
Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:45:18 AM
To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u>
Subject: Public Comment on KU Rate Increase Request – Case #2025-00113

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Furthermore, it often feels as though utilities request higher increases knowing they may only receive part of what they ask for. This practice alone signals a lack of transparency and respect for the ratepayers.

Please consider the impact on your constituents. Say **no** to this rate increase and urge KU to operate within the means already available to them. Kentuckians need relief — not more burden.

Sincerely, [Christopher Lee Walls , Lexington KY 40511

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From: ben jeffries Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:51:19 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: case number: 2025-00113

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It has been published that KU is requesting an over 11% increase. During these uncertain economic times, amid rampant inflation and a questionable macro economic future ,

this request seems not only poorly timed, but also tone deaf. The people of Kentucky are already some of the poorest in the nation, with our jobs on average paying less than most of the country. Furthermore over the past five years (since the pandemic) our average household income has not kept pace with the national average. The result of these trends means that the inflation affecting our nation has a disproportionately outsized effect on KY already.

With Columbia gas winning a major price increase last year (despite the intervention of the attorney general and his office spinning the final settlement as a win - the increase was still quite large, just not as large as the company had requested) the people of the state are being pushed to a breaking point. Coupled with the fact that the unregulated price of Natural Gas has also nearly doubled this summer and , for many of the people i hear from, gas is no longer a financially sound option for heating and cooking.

Technologically, KU has already lagged far behind other national actors on the energy stage. Compared to other entities investing in more modern, cheaper sources of electricity. Approximately 80% of our energy mix is generated from coal, when nearly every other national player has diversified their mix into cheaper sources such as wind and (the recent and admittedly temporary price hike aside) natural gas. So as not to come across as an eco warrior blind to the economics of the so called 'green movement' - I will point out that my reference to wind energy is purely economical. When the ideologues on both sides of that argument are silenced there is strong empirical evidence that wind and natural gas are more cost effective sources of electricity at scale. Coal is dying across the country, due to its economic viability even in other coal rich areas, It's not just the price of the coal, but the all in operational costs are higher. Yet KU has stubbornly refused to make real meaningful investment towards a more economically sound diversification of it's energy portfolio. There is talk, there are pilot programs, and purchasing of cheap access energy from other producers in neighboring regions; but after decades of evidence and investment in other regions KU still lags woefully behind. Now they come to us, again, asking for more money so they don't have to innovate or adapt to a changing economic reality.

The people of KY should not be made to pay for a company that has not adapted to new technologies, that is beholden to infrastructure that is no longer economical. The purpose of this commision is to protect the citizens from precisely this sort of lazy economic action that derives from market monopolies (which utilities are. state sanctioned monopolies). In return for that monopoly this commission is to ensure that utilities are providing the best services for the citizens. I do not believe that economically the people of Kentucky should or are able to bear this burden nor that KU should be granted more money for their lack of foresight and a lack of investment for sustainable growth.

Ben Jeffries Lexington, KY

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From: Patricia Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:52:49 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: 2025-00113

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I understand you are proposing a rate increase for KU customers, which I oppose. Please stop the madness of a rate increase for everything we need to survive. The cost of living is outlandish. There must be other alternatives. Opposing rate increase. Patricia Wheatley

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Tami Kelder Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 10:17:38 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Rate increase

Please do not increase utility rates.

This is a considerable proposed increase at a time when so many people struggle to keep up.

Do not understand justification for such a big increase.

Tami Kelder Sent from my iPhone

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To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Fw: KU rate increase

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From: Peggy Hardesty Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 10:21:59 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU rate increase

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Lexington, Kentucky. 40515

From:	PSC Public Comment
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Subject:	RE: Public Comment on KU Rate Increase Request - Case #2025-00113
Date:	Monday, June 23, 2025 10:26:00 AM
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Subject: Fw: Public Comment on KU Rate Increase Request – Case #2025-00113

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Sincerely,

Shane Davis Daily Operations | CED Lexington

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From:PSC Public CommentTo:Image: Display: Subject:Subject:RE: NO RATE INCREASE FOR KU 2025-00113Date:Monday, June 23, 2025 10:25:00 AMAttachments:image: Display: Displ

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From: Shane Davis Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 10:30:04 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov</u>> Subject: NO RATE INCREASE FOR KU 2025-00113

Hello,

I'm writing in hopes to be heard that I DO NOT wish for the rate to increase for KU. They already charge us for daylight, moonlight, streetlights, the light of the holy spirit and the light at the end of the tunnel. Enough is enough.

Please don't vote or allow them to increase their rates.

Thank you,

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Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 9:50 AM
To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov>
Subject: Public Comments for Case: 2025-00113 - Kentucky Utilities Company

Public Comments for Case 2025-00113 submitted by Thursday, June 19, 2025 at 9:49 AM

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Name: Lauranne Williams

Address:

City: Lexington

State: KY

Zip Code: 40516

Phone number where you can be reached:

Home phone:

Comments: For Fayette Country we have had a recent water cost increase of 20 percent and now we are expected to absorb another increase for electricity? It seems rather a coincidence that LGE-KU is the company for the massive date-mining center being built in Louisville. I have read that this company received massive incentives to build here. I believe part of it is lower energy costs. Well, these costs need to be absorbed somehow, and now LGE-KU customers are expected to absorb a 20 percent increase. I would rather not have the massive data center if it were increasing my electric bill, and I truly believe this is what is happening. Also, all the "upgraded" fancy meters that were not needed should not be part of this increase. The utility company could have done a slow planned replacement instead of a massive across the board

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"upgrade". Does the PSC ever audit these utility companies to see how these increases are being spent? I have done major cutbacks on all my energy use. I spent thousands installing insulated siding, attic insulation and crawlspace insulation. Everything has been caulked and sealed. Yet, these energy companies do very little to reduce their operating costs as we are seen as a ready piggybank for each and every unwarranted increase. It is especially appalling that LGE-KU is blaming the tariffs! Really! It is time for the PUBLIC Service Commission to serve the public and not these over-salaried, greedy utility companies. And why the PSC does not encourage underground utilities is beyond me. Reduces outages and the need to destroy every tree in KY. I hope the commission will not allow any increase, but if one is done it should be less than .5 increase. Thank you, An over-taxed, over-billed, living on a fixed income citizen

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From: Cheryl James
Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 11:29:53 AM
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Sincerely, Cheryl James

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From: Anita Capillo Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2025 11:01:19 AM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Regarding KU Requested Increase

To whom it may concern:

As a longstanding KI customer who is on a fixed income at age 76, I am opposed to any rate increase on yet another one of my utilities. My gas bill has doubled and my water bill has doubled. In these inflated times, folks are struggling enough. Please do not grant yet another burdensome increase on us.

Sincerely yours,

Anita Capillo

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From: Donna Perry Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 7:41:54 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: KU rate increase

The utility company makes more money for each new home built. Yet they continue to ask for increases for taking care of what the company was set to do. Does the PSC

do audits or just say yes? How much can homeowners or anyone who needs electric pay? Please consider hardships people are experiencing at these companies expense. You put in new better power saver air/heat/washers/dryers etc they say as well as insulate ur home and they in turn raise your rates! Who are the inefficient ones. Then your electric goes out they say two hour repair then turns into two days or more every time! They are getting raises for that efficacy? WE SAY NO

Sent from my iPad

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From: Kendra Bonilla Sent: Wednesday, June 18, 2025 9:14:49 PM To: PSC Public Information Officer <<u>PSC.Info@ky.gov></u> Subject: Rate hike

Once again as a member of society have to point out that these corporations and utilities don't need to make billions of dollars. A small margin profit would be just fine. We cannot keep our

lights and such on with such high prices. Please stop with this

Kendra Bonilla

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To whom it may concern,

I recently heard that KU is seeking an 11.5% rate increase. I understand that it is expensive to generate, provide, and maintain electric service, but at some point, the seemingly endless money supply KU thinks it's customers have is going to run out! We, the rate payers, cannot continue to shoulder the burden everytime they make an upgrade or investment! They must find ways to pay for some of this investment themselves, without raising rates. Please, on behalf of rate payers already struggling to make ends meet, tell them NO this time!

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