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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to protest the 13.59% / 12.98% rate increases proposed by PSE for 2023, followed by more modest single digit (under 5%) rate increases for 2024 and 2025 (included in my recent bill).

Although I am sure the cost of doing energy business has gone up along with everything else, why the huge increase next year? On top of inflation and gas prices, how are lower and middle income folks possibly expected to accommodate yet one more large jump? At the very least, could not PSE average out the total increase more equally over the 3-year period?

Please do not approve the increases without a more balanced (and manageable) rate.

Thank you for the opportunity to express my opinion.

Sincerely,
Heidi A. Beck