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**Sent:** Tuesday, August 23, 2022 4:09 PM  
**To:** ATG WWW E-mail Public Counsel  
**Subject:** Docket UE-220066 Comments

[EXTERNAL]

Dear Public Counsel,

My name is Alex Golub and I am writing to you today in regards to Docket UE-220066 (electric service increase of rates by PSU) I would like to state that Generally I am Mindblown in this Proposition that I have just read and cannot believe the audacity of a Utilities company to try to raise rates for electric by almost 20% in the next three years.

I would like to say that my electric bill in the winter is almost \$600, I have two small children and a wife at home, I and many other neighbors of mine cannot afford to pay in some cases \$200 more for just one utility per month, let alone all of the others companies I assume are also trying to raise their rates.

This is insane to me as in these harsh trying times, I did not get anywhere near a 20% raise at work yet Ive seen inflation nearly decimate my once flourishing family, in the midst of which PSU is attempting to rob me of the last bit of money that I am able to collect for emergencies.

Please I am not asking you, I am begging you not to let this happen. There is no real reason for this utility rate increase, they state that they want to "recover increased operating costs" well we are all getting slammed by those costs, but the consumer is the one getting the short end of the stick forced to deal with high gas prices on top of paying for the companies "increased operating costs" as well.

In the midst of the struggles of staying afloat in a young hardworking family I cannot deal with even more expenses. Please, I implore you to help in any way to keep prices low for every day hardworking americans!

Very respectfully,  
-Alex Golub