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I'm a PSE customer and I would like to have my comments recorded in public hearing.

The latest electric rates increase is no longer reasonable for the customers, especially during the pandemic. The reasons for the rate hike provided by PSE do not align with the responsibility of the biggest and only WA state private/investor-owned companies servicing public utilities, keeping WA state residents warm and powered at all times and keep costs fair and reasonable to all customers. The continuous and latest rate hike are just greed from private companies while their customers are all affected negatively financially in this pandemic economic downturn, PSE must also have to take a cut if necessary for them to get by, and not place that burden on to the customers. The supply and demand can change, but customers never see rate drop, only rate hike instead.

Washington UTC must stand up for the residents in WA against the rate hike proposed by PSE. This affects especially hard on the more financially vulnerable living in the state where power and gas are crucial to all our livelihood. I demand a rejection of yet another rate hike to the customers by PSE. Thank you.

--Best, Bryan

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