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Hi I have recently become aware that Black Hills Energy is requesting an increase of 25%. I believe that this increase is way too high and would cause undue stress on many peoples household budget. Many people are already struggling to make ends meet. Electricity is a necessity in our lives and such an increase would cause a hardship for many households.

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