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Concerning as to why the Black Hills Energy customers will be charged additional monthly fees to pay for this project. This is outrageous! I didn't get a vote on whether or not this facility was getting built with an impact to my BHE bill. Their proposed increase is only reflective if your bill is approximately \$100/month. Many people will be paying \$75-\$100+ more each month.

If I want to build something, I can't just charge someone else a monthly fee to cover the cost! Anyone building something needs to cover the cost themselves!

Regards,

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