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Hello,

I'm unsure if Docket No 23-524 is still seeking commentary or if you are willing to hear from consumers.

What Xcel has done to consumers is absolutely unacceptable. I have a household of 5 and a even have a natural gas water heater. My last two electric bills have been \$470 for July and \$407 for August. The electricity cost referenced on these bills has increased from \$12.10 to \$14.70 for July and \$12.39 to \$14.05 in August. THIS IS A 21.5% AND A 13.40% INCREASE.

Allowing increases like this will have a detrimental affect on low earners, retirees on fixed incomes and middle class families.

I am more than willing to advocate for responsible electric increases and appreciate any guidance so my voice can be heard. A response would be appreciated.

Thank you,
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