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Dear Sir/Madame. I would like to comment on the proposed Rocky Mountain rate increase. I think this rate increase is excessive. There have been rate increases in 2004,2005, 2006, 2007 and others in between. John Valentine has sponsored legislation that favors the utility and the rate payer has little to no representation to stop this juggernaut of rate increases. Assuming this rate increase pattern, this rate increase should not be allowed or we the rate payers should have a choice in where we can buy energy ie. de-regulation. When prices increase for other items, we shop around for lower priced items; we do not have this option with power nor do we have a legislator who will stand up for the power paying citizens. So that leaves you the PSC. This rate increase is excessive and should not be allowed. Stand up for rate payers who are losing jobs,who are on fixed incomes and are facing salary reductions due to the economy and advise the utility to make do with what they have or lay off some contractors or some other type money saving measures we are all going through. Just say no.

Regards

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