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LETTER OF COMMENT

Comments:

I saw the notice for increasing electricity transmission rates in the Cobourg newspaper. There are already many local manufacturers closing in Cobourg, increasing rates will force more to close as is happening across the province. That means more people out of work. There are many seniors in Cobourg on fixed incomes who can not afford a rate increase they already live below the poverty line. The 1000's of Ontario Hydro employees making over \$100 000 is well published information. These salaries are much higher then in the private sector. In addition salary increases are greater then the rest of the population I saw one increase at 39% in a year. There is also nepotism in the ranks. This out of control spending of Ontario tax dollars is with a total disregard of the Ontario tax payer and must be stopped. If salary increases were held at 1%, no more hiring of family members and salaries were in line with the private sector and the tax payer did not pay 75% of Hydro One employees pensions there would be no need for an increase for an increase in electricity transmission rates.

