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To whom it may concern,

I have read other notices posted on the Ontario Energy Board website and Innpowers distribution rate request is much higher than any other company. I have to ask why, and hope you do too. The rate increase Innpower is suggesting, is inflated. Innpower customers are already paying significantly more than almost all hydro companies in Ontario. These increases will put it over the top, making it difficult for many people and companies to pay their bills. Don't let the town of Innisfil harm its citizens with unreasonable and nearly unobtainable hydro bills.

I attended the Ontario Energy Board meeting on March 9th, during the presentation Innpower talked about the growth of Innisfil. On one hand they said that our rates are high due to customer base and service area. Which makes sense to me as there are less people to cover the cost. As I

pointed out before we are paying more than the average suburban area already. Yet the rate increase they are requiring is for the rapid growth of the town. Does that not mean more people and should therefore lower the cost. To me this increase seems to indicate that the town of Innisfil is not changing developers enough to build here. Instead of making the well off developers pay for it they are asking the residents of Innisfil to. Perhaps the OEB should be looking at how the town is running their utility company as well as denying this unreasonable increase.

Sincerely,  
Melissa Goodchild

Sent from my iPhone