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If increases to necessities like utilities continue to rise it will just continue to exasperate spending pressures of people who are already struggling to make ends meet. With decreases in sustainable jobs with market-based pay, and increases in precarious employment, these increases are making it difficult to live free of worry. Gas and electricity are not something that consumers can choose to have, they are needed. Given that we have a government that decided that privatization is better for these essential commodities, we are left to the mercy of for profit companies whose pursuit of profits do not support public interests. Unfortunately, I don't expect most of the people who read this summary to understand the pressure of these costs, as they probably don't have to worry (or likely have never had to worry) about incidental costs like gas or electricity. It's very sad...

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