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Please help post this to the public input for the notice in the Globe & Mail I saw a week ago as public input for the recommended annual increase effective April 1 / 2019 for both Union Gas & Enbridge to push through costs associated with the Federal Liberal Governments direction to push through a carbon tax on my natural gas billings ;

### **Feedback & Input**

1. I can not afford & do not support these cost increases as I live on a limited CCP + AOS and minor other pension and can not afford the 10 - 13 % % annual cost increase recommended in my natural gas billings by the FED Liberal Government and Union Gas ( now Enbridge in my area ) . I have zero cash flow to invest in the now depleted government funded energy improvement programs and am barely hanging on to my home.
2. Recommend if this is approved that this new tax - levy is a **separate auditable line** on my monthly gas billings ( not buried in the delivery to me charges like the previous Wynne Government approved )
3. That the OEB take a leadership role in correcting the respective \$\$ impact metrics associated with this and future increases from " Typical Home " to " Average Home " . I wrote Union Gas on the last Ontario Government carbon tax levy to provide the impact on an " Average Home " and they refused to provide that \$\$ impact as that is an **OEB driven metric**. Time to wake up OEB and take a leadership role in moving forward with a much fairer and responsible reporting metric = **Mean Average Home** .

THXS for Your Support - Please confirm posting and link >> Chris Butler - [REDACTED]  
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