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-- Comments --

I oppose this increase in the gas rate. The amount proposed would be an approximate 14% increase in gas rates based on my last years billing. For those of us that are retired, we will definitely not see that rate of increase in our pensions. We are also faced with rising gasoline and food prices-the basics for most. As well we have been faced with extreme cold weather this year and I'm sure our gas and hydro will reflect that. This would be extremely difficult for those working poor whose minimum wage is not going to rise-where will they get the extra dollars? Gas is a basic commodity for most of us and necessary to heat our homes-a basic need!! The madness needs to stop.

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