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Based on the letter I received from Hydro One about this change, I can expect to pay up to 75% more for my hydro at my seasonal property. The reason that it will increase by so much is due to the fact that I use so little power.

I have two problems with this proposal:

- 1.) I am being penalized for saving energy , which is contrary to everything that makes sense. We should be putting pricing plans in place that encourage people to use less. Therefore the biggest part of the bill should be usage, not just being connected.
- 2.) I will be paying significantly more for my power at my seasonal home than I pay for at my permanent residence , while receiving significantly better service at my permanent residence. How does this help rural areas to compete against urban areas? The service at my seasonal residence (while more reliable than it used to be), is still not that reliable.

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