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Our family has a seasonal water access only cottage on Lost Channel, Severn River, that has been my family for almost 70 years. As it is not winterized, we are there (not full time) for about 5 months. The Hydro bills we are already paying for the winter months as it sits vacant, are in our minds , not justified. To think that our current rates will rise, due to removing the seasonal rate classification, is outrageous, unfair, and frankly could be described as theft to those of us forced to either pay it, or sell our beloved cottages.

There MUST be a way to bring fairness to those of us who do not inhabit our cottages year round...what has happened to “ pay for use “ ? We are more than happy to continue paying a fee for maintaining the service of connectivity when we are not using the hydro , but not for any hydro that we are not consuming! Deborah Brennan