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Sent: Monday, March 15, 2021 9:55 PM
To: registrar <registrar@oeb.ca>
Subject: Hydro Rural Tier problem for the Muskoka Lakes

To whom it may concern at the OEB,

Please do not let Hydro end the Seasonal Rate Tier and force cottage country into the Rural Tier. As due to the size of our region, our bills would increase close to 100%, not the 10% that your notice said. That type of hike truly is not fair and it will devastate, not only the locals, but cottagers such as my family, who have owned property in the Muskoka area for almost 100 years. It is cottagers such as myself, who truly care about maintaining the lakes, who you should be protecting. We are not the uber-wealthy, who are building these McMansions, just to sell them 2 years later. And please believe me when I say that you do not want to push good cottagers, such as our family, out with a rate hike like this, only to leave the developers and insanely wealthy people to destroy the lakes, all because Hydro can't equally distribute power to the cities, where the majority of power is used.

If you must, put the Muskoka lakes into a residential medium density, due to the summer months, but please protect us from Hydro's greed.

Thank you for your consideration in this very important matter.

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