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-- Comments --

Hello. It appears that the decision to eliminate seasonal rate class is not reversible and it also appears our cottage has now been designated residential low density class. With the new class comes a substantial increase in our cottage hydro bill. Although the opportunity to be involved in the process is being offered I am wondering what input a cottager owner can provide to impact the decisions that the OEB and Hydro One have already made.

Rate mitigation does not change the bottom line, only delays the inevitable.

This really appears to be a David and Goliath approach to me.....you folks being Goliath. For 40 plus years our cottage has been serviced by Ontario Hydro and Hydro One. Somewhat of a surprise to be informed that in a year's time the bill will be increased 100% or more. The table in the NOTICE suggests to me that R2 is subsidizing both R1 and UR.

Please note my objection to this increase.

Thank-you.

Don

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