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In regards to the plan to phase out seasonal category for those of us with cottages, I have a few points I would like to make.

- 1. Seasonal owner already pay rather exorbitant rates for delivery of electricity, when compared to the usage. For example, if in a 3 month billing period in the summer, I may pay more than \$100 to deliver less than \$10 of electricity. It really makes little sense, and now, with this plan, anyone using a camp only on some weekends of the year, will pay even more for what is a small amount of electricity.
- 2. Cottage and camp owners are generally in buildings that are not electricity intensive. For example in mine, electricity power lights, a few appliances and a television. AS compared to my home, which uses electric heat, I am paying significantly more delivery charges for less use, and increasing this will only make the ratio even worse.
- 3. This will drive many cottage and camp owners to return to the days of generators. My family was thrilled in the mid 80s when electricity was brought to our area for our camp. By doing so, you will be contributing to global warming as many people will return to generators that use fossil fuels.

I thank you for your consideration.

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