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EB-2020-0246

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Winifred McGowan

-- Phone --

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-- Company --

-- Address --

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-- Comments --
Re: EB-2020-0246, eliminating seasonal rate class for Hydro One Networks

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March 15, 2021

To whom it may concern:

We are seasonal electric users and use relatively little power during the year. It appears that we probably will be classified as R2 as most nearby properties are also seasonal.

The way the rates are structured, the minimum costs for having service / delivery are a huge portion of the bill. Relatively little is added for the actual kilowatt hours used and delivered. For example, last year (borders closed so we could not use the property) our bill for -0- KW was about \$550., before adjustments which lowered the bill by about \$100. The year before, 2019, we were billed for 142 KW and the overall adjusted bill was about \$506. That is an awfully high cost per kilowatt.

We respectfully request that the way the rates are structured lower, or at least do not increase, our base rate, which already seems very high for our usage.

Respectfully submitted,
Winifred and Richard McGowan