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Hydro One rates are the highest in the country, if anything to stop energy poverty Hydro One rates should be REDUCED by 50% to make it comparable with the rest of the nation, The Rates Should NOT be going, Also as debts goes, Hydro One has Massive debts that they only make the bare min interest payments and charge the consumer, But then they hand out out around 1 billion to share holders, What I propose is that Hydro One should pay off all long standing debts before hand out money to share holders that way it would reduce rates for consumers. I do not support any increases and totally support decreases. Hydro one also charges for delivery fees, which include tree trimming, when they come to trim the trees they hardy cutback the trees so in the next year or two they would have to come back and do it again and charge the consumer in the fees. They need to remove trees period and lower cost, also when the tree guys were here they said we no longer cut "Secondary trees" We used to but this year they stopped, well if they aren't doing full service anyone shouldn't their be a reduction of rates if they are scaling back maintenance or are they just going to keep the extra money? Also when Wynne gave them a 6% increase one year because it wasn't such a cold winter and profits were down, the following year when it was a normal year they never reduced the 6%, so we are stuck paying 6% extra every year, min rates should be reduced 6% just for that.

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