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To: Jessy Serrao

Subject: EB-2021-0110 Letter of Comment Re: Hydro One 5-Yr Distribution Rate Application

From: Cauleen Stanley Sent: Saturday, September 4, 2021 12:33 PM

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September 4th/2021

The Ontario Energy Board

LETTER OF COMMENT:

Why would any number of proposed increased rates on a basic and essential service that governs our day-to-day lives even be a consideration given the current punishing pandemic that we are currently living?

Furthermore, issues of inequity continue to reign. Rural residents of Northern ON will once again be further assaulted at the hands of Hydro One. We pay outrageous distribution/delivery rates already. It is a fact that our monthly billing that includes the distribution/delivery rates are more often than not half of our actual electricity usage.

We continue to conserve each and every day in order to stay on top of our hydro billing. That has become our habit, our lifestyle. We have little choice. It is uncertain how much longer we can continue to live this way before it overwhelms any sustainable lifestyle.

The onus on the Energy Board and the gatekeeping role it is entrusted with that is supposed to address IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF ALL ONTARIO RESIDENTS must prevail.

WE DO NOT SUPPORT ANY INCREASES.

Cauleen & Kenneth Stanley

