

-- Name --

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-- Do you reside in the impacted service area? -- Yes

-- Comments --

To whom it may concern

My first point is that this seems like a very inappropriate moment to ask for a raise in rates considering the current convoluted economy.

As an retired Oshawa taxpayer I noticed a significant increase in my property tax this year. That means people employed at GM have seen the same increases. Plus,they are facing great pressure in the auto industry as you know. Formulae to arrive at new rates don't have allowances to accommodate uncalled for tariffs.

Second, I would question the use of cloud based data storage as long as the current administration exist in the US. Most if not all Cloud administration is in the US. It is not beyond belief that the American government could declare all cloud data is their property. We all know he owns the Gulf of Mexico/America. Why not the Cloud?

I do understand that prices must and will rise, but I think it is time some of us need to start thinking about the people of this city, province and country instead of just the bottom line. Instead of a 10% increase go to 9% or 8%. Can you get along with a little less? Because the people of this city will appreciate it. I am quite sure in the long run you will gain much favour with the people of Oshawa