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LETTER OF COMMENT

Comments:

Subject: Stop the Unfair Energy Rate Increase for Brampton Residents Dear Ontario Energy Board, We, the residents of Brampton, are writing together to express our deep concern and strong opposition to Alectra Utilities' proposed energy rate increase for our city. According to the recent notice, households in Brampton consuming 750 kWh per month will be charged \$11.55, while residents in other cities under the same company's service area will pay only \$3.71, \$2.71, \$1.99, or even as low as \$0.71 for the same amount of energy. This drastic difference feels unjust, discriminatory, and unacceptable. Brampton families are already facing some of the highest property taxes, mortgage payments, and living expenses in the province. Our community has been doing its best to recover from financial pressures — rising food costs, unstable jobs, and small businesses struggling to survive — yet now we are being asked to shoulder another unnecessary burden. Why should Brampton be penalized while neighbouring cities pay a fraction of the cost for the same service? We all deserve fair, equal, and affordable access to energy — not pricing that singles out one community over another. Our city is filled with hardworking families, newcomers, seniors on fixed incomes, and small business owners doing their best to make ends meet. Increasing our hydro rates at this time would only push more people into financial hardship. We are asking the Ontario Energy Board to stand with Brampton residents and reject this unfair rate increase. Instead, we urge the Board to investigate and ensure transparency and equality in how Alectra Utilities determines rates across its service areas. Energy is a basic necessity — not a luxury. Brampton deserves fairness. We are already paying enough through higher taxes, mortgages, and daily living costs. Please help protect our community from further financial strain and ensure that Brampton's energy rates are reduced to match other cities. Together, we ask for fair treatment, transparency, and compassion for the residents of Brampton. With respect and unity, The Residents of Brampton

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Do you reside in the impacted service area?: No

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Receive a copy of the decision?: Yes