

# Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

February 28, 2025

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Re: BG&E Rate Increases

Dear Chairman Innocenzo and President & CEO Khouzami:

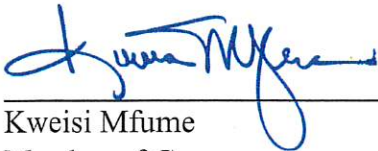
Attached please find a copy of a letter we wrote to the Maryland Public Service Commission ("PSC"), communicating our extreme concern and disappointment as we get more and more testimonials from our constituents faced with skyrocketing BG&E costs after your 2025 utility rates increase.

In simplest terms, people cannot afford the rate hikes thrust upon them. Local government budgets are stretched thin. Nonprofit entities too often bring in less money than ever.

This letter respectfully makes the same requests of you that we made of the PSC: (i) Rescind the BG&E increase that went into effect this year; (ii) Halt any additionally scheduled increases for this year; and (iii) Provide us with your best thoughts on why our constituents should feel the outsized increase is justified.

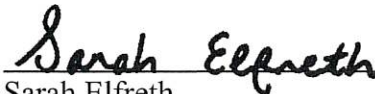
Thank you for your prompt attention to this concern impacting so many Marylanders and our economy. We look forward to your reply.

Sincerely,



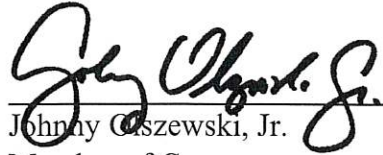
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Frederick H. Hoover, Chair  
Maryland Public Service Commission  
William Donald Schaefer Tower  
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Andrew S. Johnston, Executive Secretary  
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Dear Chair Hoover and Executive Secretary Johnston:

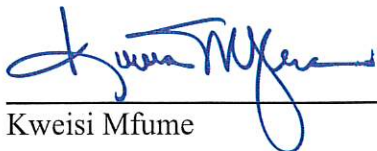
We are writing to communicate our extreme concern and disappointment as we continue to receive more and more testimonials from our constituents faced with skyrocketing BG&E costs after the 2025 utility rates increase granted by the Maryland Public Service Commission.

In the most simple terms, many of our constituents are unable to afford the rate hikes thrust upon them. Local government budgets are stretched thin, Maryland's state budget is facing a deficit, and many nonprofit entities are bringing in less money than ever before.

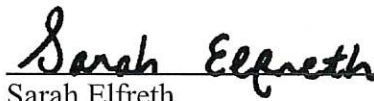
Recognizing those facts, we respectfully request that the Public Service Commission take the following actions: (i) Rescind the BG&E rate increases that went into effect this year; (ii) Halt any additional rate hikes scheduled for this year; and (iii) Provide us with your best thoughts on why our constituents should feel that these outsized rate increases are justified.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this concern impacting so many Marylanders and our economy. We look forward to your reply.

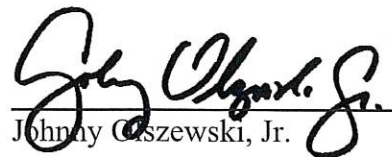
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