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UTILITY COMPLAINT FORM

Investigator: Carmen Madrid

Phone:

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Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2013 - 112791

Date: 9/13/2013

Complaint Description: 08A Rate Case Items - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

First:

Last:

Complaint By: Michael L.

Gentry

Account Name: Michael L. Gentry

Home

Street:

Work: (000) 000-0000

City: Sierra Vista

CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85650

is:

Utility Company: Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Division: Electric

Contact Name:

Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

*****OPPOSED TO RATE INCREASE*****

We object to SSVEC raising the rates for residential services more than other classes of service. They are balancing the budget on the backs of residential consumers to the benefit of others. We also object to their use of the streamlined applicaton & thereby reducing the degree of proof to support a rate increase.

End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

Opinion noted and filed in Docket No. E-01575A-13-0296. closed

End of Comments

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Opinion No. 2013 - 112788

Date: 9/13/2013

Complaint Description: 08A Rate Case Items - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

Complaint By: First: Ben Last: Davis

Account Name: Home: (000) 000-0000

Street: Work: (000) 000-0000

City: Sierra Vista CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85635 is: E-Mail

Utility Company: Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Division: Electric

Contact Name: Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

*****OPPOSED TO RATE INCREASE*****

From: Ben Davis [mailto:!
Sent: Friday, September 13, 2013 10:08 AM
To: Utilities Div - Mailbox
Subject: Docket No. E-01575A-13-0296

I would like to file my comment opposing the rate increase from SSVEC. This is in reference to Docket No. E-01575A-13-0296

I am a SSVEC Customer residing at

My opposition to this rate increase is due to several factors. First- electric bills are already high here in Arizona. Second- I recieved mail from SSVEC several months ago that explained that the reimbursement rate for solar panels that SSVEC offers is higher than the rates of other electric utilities in Arizona. I am opposed to a rate increase in general, but I am extremely opposed to a rate increase as long as the SSVEC reimbursement rate for solar panels is higher than the reimbursement rates of other Arizona electrial utilities.

Sincerely,

Ben Davis
September 13, 2013
End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

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Investigator: Carmen Madrid

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Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2013 - 112787

Date: 9/13/2013

Complaint Description: 08A Rate Case Items - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

Complaint By: First: Craig Last: Liming

Account Name: Home: (000) 000-0000

Street: Work: (000) 000-0000

City: Hereford CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 85615 is: E-Mail

Utility Company: Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Division: Electric

Contact Name: Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

*****OPPOSED TO RATE INCREASE*****

I wish to object to the streamlined application submitted by the Sulfur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative. Somewhere in the vicinity of 60% of the costs of electric energy is incurred by the transmission process. Solar incentives should be encouraged and promoted to reduce these costs and decentralize the energy grid. This approach would forego the need for a rate increase.

End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

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End of Comments

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Investigator: Carmen Madrid

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Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion No. 2013 - 112786

Date: 9/13/2013

Complaint Description: 08A Rate Case Items - Opposed
N/A Not Applicable

First:

Last:

Complaint By: Natascha

Talley

Account Name: Natascha Talley

Home:

Street:

Work: (000) 000-0000

City: Sierra Vista

CBR:

State: AZ Zip: 00000

is: E-Mail

Utility Company: Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Division: Electric

Contact Name:

Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

*****OPPOSED TO RATE INCREASE*****

The rate increase in 2009 by Sulpher Springs valley electric has caused a high increase in our bill. We are a 6 member household family and probably use more than the "average" household when the "average" household has less people. However, adding yet another increase to our bill at a time when families are paying more for groceries, gas, and all other utilities is putting a heavier strain on an already strained middle class. My husband makes the higher end of middle class and we are still struggling like everyone else. 10 Years ago we would have been considered "well off." Now we live paycheck to paycheck. We live in a 1700 sq ft house and our electric bill is \$500.00!!! We have lived in this house for 5 years. When we moved in, we were paying in the \$100-200 in electricity. Now we have a \$500 bill?!!! We are averaging over \$400 every month of summer and our Thermostat is set to 74 degrees. We use to have it at 71 until our bill began to slowly increase over the years. We consumers simply cannot afford another rate increase. I vote "NO" to the rate increase. Sulpher Valley Electric will have to cut the budget the same way we have all had to deal with the Sequestration that has cut into our benefits, overtime hours and pay. They need to make their budget work without further cutting into mine!

End of Complaint

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