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To: Jean Jewell; Beverly Barker; Gene Fadness; Ed Howell
Subject: PUC Comment Form

A Comment from Sharon Whiteaker follows:

Case Number: IPC-E-08-10
Name: Sharon Whiteaker
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Contact E-Mail: matthewsmema469@yahoo.com Name of Utility Company: Idaho Power Add to Mailing List:

Please describe your comment briefly:

I am commenting on the request to increase electric rates. It is my observation that to allow 300 kilowatts a month is not even 10 kilowatts for 24 hours. This allotment does not even allow you to have you heat (electric) on for 15 minutes a day if you used 1 kWh a minute. Please reconsider the monthly allotment. Further for Idaho not to have winter rates equal to summer rates is stupidity. We have had snow and freezing weather which equals the hot summer days. Please get it straightened out. Going from \$.008 per kWh to \$.06 per kWh is robbery by Idaho Power. My current bill looks like this: PCA \$16.37 and Non-Summer Energy Charge \$120.30. I used the same amount of kWh last year as this year. I have been turning the breakers off when I am not using certain items, unplugging electrical appliances and I live in a 2007 (never lived in and all new appliances, heater, etc.) manufactured home. There is not a lot I can do to further 'insulate' my home. Further, requiring people to beg and borrow at churches, and other 2-1-1 sites is treating the low income, veterans, disabled as discarded animal carcasses. Please, Please, Please do not increase the rates (Non-Summer) but instead reset the useable kWh for homes. Thank you.

The form submitted on <http://www.puc.idaho.gov/forms/ipuc1/ipuc.html>
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