

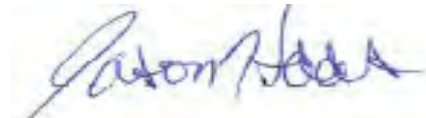
STATE OF INDIANA  
INDIANA UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

VERIFIED PETITION OF DUKE ENERGY INDIANA, LLC )  
(“DUKE ENERGY INDIANA”) PURSUANT TO IND. CODE )  
CHS. 8-1-8.5, 8-1-8.8, AND IND. CODE §§ 8-1-2-0.6 AND 8-1-2- )  
23 FOR (1) ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC )  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY (“CPCN”) PURSUANT )  
TO IND. CODE CH. 8-1-8.5 TO CONSTRUCT TWO )  
COMBINED CYCLE (“CC”) NATURAL GAS UNITS, AT )  
APPROXIMATELY 738 MEGAWATTS (WINTER RATING) )  
EACH, AT THE EXISTING CAYUGA GENERATING )  
STATION (“CAYUGA CC PROJECT”); (2) APPROVAL OF )  
THE CAYUGA CC PROJECT AS A CLEAN ENERGY )  
PROJECT AND AUTHORIZATION FOR FINANCIAL )  
INCENTIVES INCLUDING TIMELY COST RECOVERY )  
THROUGH CONSTRUCTION WORK IN PROGRESS ) CAUSE NO. 46193  
(“CWIP”) RATEMAKING THROUGH A GENERATION )  
COST ADJUSTMENT (“GCA”) TRACKER MECHANISM )  
UNDER IND. CODE CH. 8-1-8.8; (3) AUTHORITY TO )  
RECOVER COSTS INCURRED IN CONNECTION WITH )  
THE CAYUGA CC PROJECT; (4) APPROVAL OF THE BEST )  
ESTIMATE OF COSTS OF CONSTRUCTION ASSOCIATED )  
WITH THE CAYUGA CC PROJECT; (5) APPROVAL OF )  
CHANGES TO DUKE ENERGY INDIANA'S ELECTRIC )  
SERVICE TARIFF RELATING TO THE PROPOSED GCA )  
TRACKER MECHANISM; (6) APPROVAL OF SPECIFIC )  
RATEMAKING AND ACCOUNTING TREATMENT; AND )  
(7) ONGOING REVIEW OF THE CAYUGA CC PROJECT )

INDIANA OFFICE OF UTILITY CONSUMER COUNSELOR  
PUBLIC’S EXHIBIT NO. 8  
CONSUMER COMMENTS

Respectfully submitted,

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April 30, 2025

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**RE: Duke Energy Indiana Cayuga Power Plant Application (IURC Cause. No. 46193)**

AARP Indiana on behalf of its members and older Hoosiers across the state who are Duke residential customers appreciate the opportunity to submit comments on Duke Indiana's Cayuga power plant application.

Many of the Hoosiers most impacted by this request are on limited incomes, which makes rising electricity bills a challenge when combined with higher grocery, housing and medical costs. This request is also following Duke's 2024 rate increase, which authorized them to collect an additional \$244.4 million annually from customers.

Before discussing AARP Indiana's concerns on the request, we would like to first acknowledge Duke's rapid response in restoring power to those affected by the storms in Indiana earlier this month. Much like its efforts after hurricanes in Florida and North Carolina, Duke had the power back on in a timely manner thanks to bringing in crews from its neighboring states as well as assistance from other utilities. While other Indiana utilities have struggled with similar outage responses, Duke has shown a knack for getting the power back on.

Further, we want to express appreciation that the plant is utilizing an existing location and transmission which will avoid the MISO queue problem. As the Commission knows, the substantial backlog of interconnections in the MISO queue is further complicating the already challenging task of bringing new generation online.

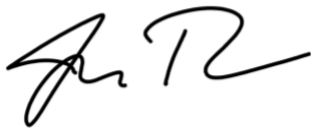
That being said, we have several concerns about the filing.

As mentioned previously, coming on the heels of a 16% rate increase, spending another \$3.3 billion on the two proposed Cayuga units makes a bad affordability situation worse. AARP Indiana opposes using yet another new surcharge to recover costs. This time around it is the proposed "Generation Cost Adjustment." Duke – and Indiana utilities in general – already have too many surcharges and trackers which avoid traditional, thorough regulatory scrutiny. It is AARP Indiana's belief that every new spend proposal does not warrant its own tracker.

Furthermore, AARP Indiana opposes use of construction work in progress (CWIP), the pay-as-you-go financing structure which forces customers to pay for the plant before it is finished and before a prudence review is done.

Finally, we urge the IURC to remain vigilant and ensure that it considers the affordability crisis that has arisen in our state due to soaring utility rates. This includes scrutinizing MISO's \$34 billion spend plan – 15% of which is paid for by Hoosiers. The comments of MISO's own market monitor found the spending to be uneconomic and that local solutions, like local generation, would be cheaper.

We appreciate the opportunity to comment.

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Jason Tomcsi  
AARP Indiana



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RE: Duke Energy Cayuga Project Case # 46193

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing in support of the proposed Power Generating Stations Expansion currently under review. As a representative of an Indiana-based mechanical construction company with over 140 years of continuous operation, I can attest to the importance and urgency of investing in our state's power-generating infrastructure.

Our company has been directly involved in the construction, maintenance, and retrofitting of power-generating assets across the Midwest. This experience has given us a front-row seat to the evolving demands placed on energy systems and the critical need for forward-thinking investments to meet growing reliability, regulatory, and sustainability standards.

This expansion not only aligns with long-term reliability and energy availability for Indiana consumers but also stands to create highly skilled jobs and stimulate local economic activity. Projects of this nature help maintain and modernize vital infrastructure while preserving the operational integrity of the grid.

We believe this initiative represents a sound investment in Indiana's energy future. It will reinforce reliability, support economic growth, and maintain the high standards of safety and performance expected by both regulators and consumers.

Thank you for your commitment to serving the public interest. I encourage the Consumer Counselor to support the proposed expansion for the good of Indiana's energy security and economy.

Kind Regards,

Stephen Snyder

Business Development Director

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May 1, 2025

Re: Cause No. 46193

Dear Commissioners of the Indiana Utilities Regulatory Commission,

Thank you for taking the time to consider this letter. My name is Madeline Hirschland. My husband, Lawrence Moss, and I are Duke ratepayers who live in Bloomington, zip code 47401.

I am writing in regard to Duke's proposed new Cayuga gas plants – Cause No. 46193 - and the rate increases to fund these plants for which Duke seeks your approval. I ask you to reject the proposal on the basis of the five pillars identified by Indiana's 21<sup>st</sup> Century Energy Policy Development Task Force and our own experience as homeowners.

### **Reliability, Resilience and Stability**

By “reliability”, the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Energy Policy Development Task Force refers to adequacy and operating reliability. It defines “resilience” as the ability of a system or its components to adapt to changing conditions, and to withstand and rapidly recover from disruptions or off-nominal events. “Stability”, as defined by the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Energy Task Force, is the ability of an electric system to maintain a state of equilibrium during normal and abnormal conditions or disturbances... Indiana's electric system should be able to deliver a stable source of electricity with increasingly higher levels of stability.” It is assumed that natural gas is a reliable source of electricity that provides resilience and stability – and that renewable resources are not reliable. Recent history does not bear this out.

Over the past 12 years, The U.S. has suffered five separate large-scale grid outages, mostly driven by the failure of gas-fired power during periods of extreme cold. The worst of them — the [collapse of the Texas power grid](#) during February 2021's Winter Storm Uri — left 4.5 million homes and businesses without power at its peak, caused billions of dollars of economic damage and led to the death of more than 200 people.

These outages challenge arguments that favor increasing reliance on fossil gas over renewable energy. Gas is frequently touted by supporters for its flexibility and reliability — especially in comparison to wind and solar — but in moments of extreme heat and cold, studies find that these purported advantages evaporate. In fact, although some politicians, regulators and fossil-fuel industry groups have blamed renewable energy policies for grid crises, in-depth research by FERC and other entities shows this to be untrue.

Over the Christmas holiday in 2022, Winter Storm Elliott caused the failure of more than 70,000 megawatts of generation capacity across the Southeast and forced Duke and the Tennessee Valley

Authority to institute rolling blackouts impacting millions of customers to maintain grid reliability. From New York to West Virginia, production declined by as much as 54 percent during the storm's peak compared to the days before. Similarly, gas production shortfalls played a role in the Texas grid disaster in 2021.

On the other hand, renewables can help mitigate energy crises. In a March 2025 article, Forbes reports that:

California, which suffered rolling blackouts in August 2020 during record heat waves, made it through last summer's record heat without breaking a sweat thanks largely to storage capacity [growing](#) from .5 GW in 2018 to 13.3 GW in 2024.

Texas broke power demand records last summer amid massive data center growth and brutal heat waves, and [peak summer demand is expected to soar](#) from 85 GW in 2024 up to 148 GW in 2030. Adding 19 GW of solar and 6.2 GW of storage since 2019 helped keep the lights on – an 800% increase in solar and 5,500% increase in battery storage over that period.

As far as reliability, resilience and stability go, gas is far from a magic bullet. At a minimum, to be reliable, resilient and stable, the grid should be broadly diversified. In Indiana, Duke Energy sources 96% of its electricity from coal, gas and oil. Adding more gas would be a move *away from* reliability, resilience and stability.

### **Affordability**

The 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force notes that “decisions regarding Indiana’s generation and resource mix and ratemaking constructs must result in retail electric service that is affordable across the residential, commercial, and industrial customer classes.”

With an average current monthly electric bill of \$127, many Hoosier households already must decide between paying for basic needs and paying for electricity. From December 2023 to November 2024, 38,351 Hoosier households - nearly 1 in 200– had their electricity disconnected by Duke because of non-payment of bills. On top of the \$19 a month increase already granted by the IURC, Duke is now requesting that ratepayers foot the bill for these proposed new gas plants, which, by 2030, will increase ratepayers’ bills by an additional estimated \$15 a month. **How many thousands or tens of thousands more Hoosier households will have to choose between electricity and other essentials when their bills increase by, on average, an additional \$34 a month - an average increase of 27%?**

The Task Force identifies two means to help low-income customers afford their energy bills. First, it identifies “customer assistance programs, such as the federally-funded [Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program](#) (LIHEAP), the federally-funded [Weatherization Assistance Program](#) (WAP)” and programs funded by utility companies, e.g. Duke. In April, all the federal LIHEAP staff were laid off and the administration has proposed eliminating WAP, whose funds have been frozen intermittently since February. With its energy efficiency plan, Duke expects to reduce energy use by 1.15% per year. If this reduction is compounded and projected out to 2030, it would result in an average

household reducing its energy use by 7.8%. But the combination of the already-approved Duke rate hike and the proposed Duke rate hike would increase the electricity bills of an average Hoosier household by 27%. **Clearly, these programs cannot be relied on to make electricity affordable to low and moderate-income Hoosiers.**

As its second strategy to make utilities affordable, the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Task Force notes:

The ability to draw power from multiple types of resources as part of a diverse generation resource mix allows for the mitigation of price volatility and serves as a hedge against constraints, such as those involving fuel supplies and supply chains, and against other potential future disruptions in supply.

The new tariffs increase the likelihood of price volatility and supply chain disruptions. With 96% of its resource mix coming from coal, gas and oil, Duke's energy resource mix for Indiana is far from diversified!

At the projected cost of \$3.3 billion, the proposed plant will be extraordinarily expensive. With the uncertainty in the supply chain and tariffs on steel and other imported parts, however, the cost can be expected to balloon to many times this projection. This happened with the last similarly extremely expensive project: the Edwardsport coal plant was projected to cost \$1.9 billion but ended up costing \$3.5 billion. With the proposed gas plants, ratepayers will also be on the hook for an estimated \$5.3 billion in financing costs and future rate hikes to pay for a new pipeline to serve the plant, operation and maintenance costs to run the plant and fuel costs to supply the plant.

A March 18, 2025 Forbes article entitled "Solar-Plus-Storage: The Fastest, Cheapest Way To Meet Surging Power Demand" reports:

Many utilities have embraced gas, or promoted restarting closed coal or nuclear plants, but that overlooks the cheapest and fastest-to-build option – solar energy combined with battery storage, also known as solar-plus storage... **Utilities must build new generation at the lowest possible price to provide the electricity their customers need. Choosing unaffordable options that can't come online in time to meet surging demand could leave consumers footing the bill, or worse, in the dark.**

## **Environmental Sustainability**

The 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force states that:

Decisions regarding Indiana's generation mix must take into account both environmental regulations and consumers' demands for sustainable sources of generation. The transition to clean energy resources and innovative technologies is occurring and should be encouraged... Renewable energy generation sources are highly desirable with respect to reducing carbon emissions and are presently economically competitive with existing conventional generation resources because of technological advancements, market innovations, and federal government subsidies.

The proposed gas plants simply replace one high-emissions fossil fuel resource with another. In addition to continuing to emit carbon, the new plants would produce significant amounts of other types of harmful air pollution, including carbon monoxide, particulate matter and volatile organic compound emissions. **To repeat, 96% of Duke Indiana's electricity is generated from fossil fuels.** Because it would produce more electricity than the coal plants it replaces, the proposed new gas plants would actually **increase** the percentage of electricity that Duke sources from fossil fuels. This would be happening at the same time as the price of solar plus batteries plummets. This would make a mockery of the 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force's emphasis on environmental sustainability.

Furthermore, the main constituent of natural gas is methane, which is enormously harmful to the climate. Methane emissions from gas operations are much higher than earlier estimated. Over a twenty-year period, methane is about 84 times more potent as a greenhouse gas than carbon dioxide. Researchers have discovered massive amounts of methane leaks from natural gas facilities.

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On a personal note, through a combination of simple conservation measures and the replacement of old gas appliances with high-efficiency electric ones, my household has reduced our energy use, measured in BTUs, by well over 70%. Our 1960's 2000 sq. ft. home is all-electric and, year after year, reliably generates more electricity from its 29 solar panels than we use. As soon as we're able, we plan to purchase an electric vehicle with "bidirectional charging" that we can use as battery storage so that we can harmonize the timing of our demand for electricity with our solar-generated supply. Our solar panels save us thousands of dollars a year in utility bills. We know first-hand that it is possible for households to generate environmentally sustainable, affordable electricity – be it on their own roofs or through community solar or through utility-scale solar. If data centers cannot manage with clean, affordable energy, shouldn't they foot the bill rather than loading it onto the shoulders of already-stretched ratepayers? And is it fair that ratepayers should bear the enormous non-financial costs of dirty coal and gas plants that they do not need?

Thank you for your consideration.

Madeline Hirschland

Bloomington, Indiana

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Subject: Support for the Proposed Cayuga Energy Complex

Dear Commissioners,

On behalf of the Indiana State Building and Construction Trades Council, which represents more than 77,000 skilled trades workers across the State of Indiana, I am writing to express our strong support for Duke Energy's proposed Cayuga Energy Complex in Vermillion County.

This important project, which consists of two 1x1 natural gas combined-cycle generating facilities with a total capacity of 1,476 megawatts, will significantly enhance Indiana's energy infrastructure by adding 470 megawatts of dispatchable electricity to the site's current output. The new units will be constructed on the existing Duke Energy Cayuga Station property, reflecting a strategic investment in a known and proven energy-generating site.

From the perspective of Indiana's construction workforce, this project represents a major economic opportunity. It is expected to generate approximately 550 construction jobs at peak, providing hundreds of Hoosiers with high-quality employment and helping to sustain local families and communities. These are precisely the kinds of jobs that allow our union members to apply their skills, contribute meaningfully to Indiana's energy future, and earn a living wage in safe, stable working conditions.

Beyond construction, the Cayuga Energy Complex will support long-term operations jobs and deliver a notable increase in property tax revenue for Vermillion County—benefits that will be felt across the region in schools, public services, and infrastructure.

For these reasons, we respectfully urge the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission to grant timely and favorable approval for this project. The Cayuga Energy Complex is a win for Indiana's economy, labor force, energy reliability, and future development.

Thank you for your leadership and for your continued support of Indiana's skilled trades workforce.

Sincerely,

Rob Henderson  
Executive Director  
Indiana State Building and Construction Trades Council

**From:** [Kathleen Boggess](#)  
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Comments on IURC Cause No. 46193 sent to [uccinfo@oucc.IN.gov](mailto:uccinfo@oucc.IN.gov)

My name is Darrell Boggess from Bloomington IN 47408. I am a Duke Energy customer and retired attorney with an industrial engineering background. These comments supplement my previous comments at the April public hearing. My interests are lower cost, climate change mitigation and public health. I agree that closing the expensive 1970s coal-burning Duke units near Terre Haute is overdue.

In my view, burning methane gas on the proposed scale is unjust, unreasonable, not necessary, not affordable or sustainable and is not in the public interest. Actual cost could increase by additional \$ billions for tariffs, cost overruns and cost of financing and operation. Future demand from AI data centers and electric vehicles may be more perceived than real.

Methane is a temporary source of electric power. Known gas domestic reserves may be depleted in a few decades. Gas prices have a history of price volatility. Possible future gas imports from Canada, Russia, Iran or other sources are unreliable. Methane has significant adverse effects on the atmosphere and severe weather trends. We want to see proposals for affordable and sustainable wind, solar and batteries.

Gas is too expensive according to NextEra Energy CEO John Ketchum, "The need to add to the country's power infrastructure is no longer in doubt. Our industry's mandate is to deliver new generation and capacity solutions at the lowest cost possible. As a leading American energy producer, at NextEra Energy we know all forms of energy will be required to meet that mandate. If we don't build new generation to keep up with increasing demand for electricity, power prices are going to go up. But we need to be practical about when technologies will be available at scale and how much they'll cost."

"Renewables and storage are ready now to meet that demand and will help lower power prices. Gas-fired generation is moving forward but won't be available at scale until 2030. In addition, gas power is more expensive than it's been, with costs having more than doubled over the last five years due to the limited supply of gas turbines, a constrained supply chain, and much higher EPC costs. Nuclear continues to be a much longer-term option in our opinion due to first-of-a-kind risks and uncertainty, with nearer term opportunities centered on recommissioning projects."

"Our mission is to provide our customers with the lowest cost, most reliable energy no matter where they are located. We've been doing it for decades in Florida and across the country and are positioned to keep doing it for years to come. Our scale and experience tells us that all forms of power generation and capacity will be needed as the U.S. tries to keep up with demand."

"And that same scale and experience also tells us that renewables and storage should continue

to be a critical source of new energy and capacity across the country because they are lowest cost and can be deployed now. The tables have turned in the world of energy politics, with wind power, solar energy and battery storage displacing natural gas as the nation's bridge fuel."

Ketchum said gas will play a key role in helping meet a surge of power consumption in the coming years. But new gas-fired power plants will come at a higher cost and won't be available soon enough to meet the initial wave of electricity demand.

In extreme weather, distributed solar is more resilient than a large power plant on one site. Duke has built a solar parking canopy and rooftop solar for low income housing in past years. In contrast, the City is funding solar power for Habitat for Humanity homes. Solar canopies on top of several City and County parking garages provide shade and protect cars from hail damage. Duke could be funding battery installation to make the grid more resilient if they wanted to increase customer goodwill.

Extreme weather and its effects are becoming more frequent. Last year was the hottest on record. The number of heat related deaths is more than the total caused by tornadoes, hurricanes, and flooding. The number of electric service disconnections may increase if more customers are unable to pay their bills. People can die when their electricity is shut off in the summer during 95 degree days without air conditioning or electric fans for cooling. Corn and soybean yields are inverse to temperature. More heat means higher food prices when crop yields are lower. Low income customers are being squeezed financially from multiple directions.

Conflicting market signals are being sent to customers. At my house we have converted the gas furnace, water heater and clothes dryer from gas to electricity. Today we use an electric cold weather heat pump for heating and cooling. 120 volt plug-in heat pumps heat our water and dry the wash. We have on-site solar energy. Federal tax credits reduce the cost of heat pumps. Duke has rebates for appliances that use electricity rather than gas.

Now the electric company wants to burn mega methane gas to provide electricity for heat pump operation.

Growth of customer owned distributed generation located near its point of use should be encouraged. Most of the energy from parking canopies and rooftop solar is used on site. Much of the electricity from large power plants is lost before it reaches customers. Transmission lines are vulnerable to tornadoes and terrorist attacks. The Ukraine experience is an example of how power grids can be a target.

Duke's climate action plan is to burn more coal and gas, polluting the air, land and water. Including more wind, solar and battery storage are reasonable alternatives when corporate earnings are high and executive pay is excessive. This North Carolina company is not pursuing a more balanced Indiana portfolio with environmentally sustainable sources of electric generation that is more affordable and with less financial risk to customers.

I support encouraging Duke Energy to adopt policies and take action supporting customer owned distributed renewable energy. Community solar with virtual metering can benefit renters and leverage marginal properties such as brownfields and parking lots without compromising vast acreage of productive farmland.



The DUK stock price is near all time highs and their annual dividend to shareholders is more than 3 percent. Electric utility companies operate in a low risk market.

Excessive overreach by a regulated utility company is not in the best interest of the public. Energy affordability can be improved by having lower Return on Equity. Regulators in several states are considering mid-single digits (4% to 6%) as a reasonable Return on Equity for a business in a low risk market.

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TO: Indiana Office of Utility Consumer Counselor

From: Joan Middendorf, Bloomington IN 47404

RE: Cause No. 49163 Public Comments

Texas is #12 in the country for low electricity costs and one of the reasons is that it allows for the development of alternatives to fossil fuel electricity. Wind, solar, and nuclear are increasing. In 2023, Texas generated nearly 40% of its total energy needs from carbon-free sources, including renewable energy like wind and solar.

Utilities like our own Duke is keeping Indiana a backwaters of energy growth. Indiana is #48 for electricity costs, in other words, IURC is continuing to support expensive electricity generation. By funding new gas plants, IURC will allow Duke to keep us in the dark ages for decades.

Does the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission want to limit economic development in Indiana by NOT allowing us to get cheaper (and healthier) sources of electricity? Hoosiers don't like that our utilities are not investing in clean energy and are stuck at 96% fossil fuel based electricity!

Finally, people like the cheap electric rates and thus, Texas gets about 1,000 people a day moving to the state. More people are leaving Indiana than coming here.

Today I went to my second IURC hearing in a year. Overwhelmingly, the public spoke in favor of renewables and NOT building more gas plants. When will the IURC listen to what Hoosiers want?

**Rivera, Olivia**

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To Whom It May Concern,

I am a Duke Energy customer in Bedford, Indiana. I am also an Indiana native and now retired business executive. I want to note that I am very much in favor of allowing Duke to build new gas fired electric generating stations for Indiana. Many of our old coal generating stations are in need of replacement or updating. Wind and solar electrical generating capacity are not reliable, nor are they sufficient to meet the future needs of our state. We need much more capacity to allow for growth of industry, and we are already behind in our ability to meet the needs pertaining to energy use for datacenters related to growth expected for artificial intelligence research, development and functionality. Please move these projects forward. Thanks for your consideration.

~ **Bradford Dykes**  
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Utilities: Duke Energy Case #46193

Type of Inquiry: Case Comment

Comments: I am contacting you about Duke Energy's case before the IURC, #46193, to provide you with more information about an alternative to replacing coal plants with natural gas plants. As I have already expressed in my testimony before the IURC in Bloomington, IN, I am in favor of closing the coal plants, but opposed to replacement of that generating capacity with plants fueled by gas, another fossil fuel.

By proposing to build gas plants to replace coal plants, Duke leaves out an alternative that is cleaner, faster, and less expensive.

I am asking the IURC and Duke Energy, to consider DISTRIBUTED CAPACITY PROCUREMENT as a means of quickly ramping up the supply of renewable electricity (and batteries) in Duke's territory, faster than it could be done with large utility scale developments (or gas plants), to meet the projected rapidly increasing demand.

Here are some Key Points of why I think Distributed Capacity Procurement would benefit Duke Energy as well as ratepayers:

- It puts utilities in the driver seat for Distributed Energy Resources procurement, especially renewables/batteries .
- Utilities can procure DER like they procure any other energy resource, and it costs them less and is faster than upgrading substations, fixing transformer overload or building new transmission lines, or building utility scale facilities.
- Utilities are good at planning and capitalizing, recovering, and earning on infrastructure investments. They are not good at building lots of small projects.
- In the model of Distributed Capacity Procurement, the work of actually putting DER in communities will be done by an "ecosystem" of local competitive DER companies and vendors, with utilities as wholesale customers.
- After the DER are installed, they are dispatchable for the utility.
- Distributed Capacity Procurement can be viewed as a type of VPP (Virtual Powerplant) that is utility-led, utility-planned, utility-capitalized.
- Clean energy /batteries and other DER become INFRASTRUCTURE, which is just there in the background and individual customers don't have to worry about it.

These are the basic parts to Distributed Capacity Procurement

1) The utility plans and capitalizes DER where they are most valuable (how many and what type..). They put out RFPs establishing where they need what kind of equipment.

2) A middle layer of companies offers deployment services. They go and knock on doors, and instead of trying to sell people a battery or a solar panel, they ask a customer to host a utility asset.

People are offered an annuity from the utility to host the asset.

3) The middle layer companies then make agreements with vendors for the purchase and installation of the equipment. The middle layer companies oversee that work.

I first encountered a detailed exploration of Distributed Capacity Procurement in an almost 2-hour long Volts Podcast from Dec. 18, 2024, entitled "Should we put utilities in charge of distributed energy?" where host David Roberts speaks about this topic with Pier LaFarge of Sparkfund.

The link to the podcast is here: [https://protect.checkpoint.com/v2/r01/\\_\\_\\_https://www.volts.wtf/p/should-we-put-utilities-in-](https://protect.checkpoint.com/v2/r01/___https://www.volts.wtf/p/should-we-put-utilities-in-charge___YzJ1OnN0YXRlb2ZpbmRpYW5hOmM6bzpkNThiMmJjOTVhYjZlNTUyMWNjNzg5OGlyYWJkOTNjMjo3OmVmNjU6YjQ1YjFhMGE0NTE4ZTBjODViYjQwMGU1Zjc5ZDhhZW5YmVhZDMxMzVjYzBjYTMzMmM1OTg3NjUwM2NhMTQwNjpwOIQ6Tg)

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A PDF of the transcript (77 pages) is also available there.

Additional things discussed in the podcast besides what I summarized above:

- o Distributed Capacity Procurement fitting into IRP with no need of enabling legislation.
- o Utility-led DER will focus a lot on batteries
- o Solar /battery systems will be sized to what a building can hold, not to the energy needs of the particular building.
- o How this benefits local vendors of solar and other equipment.
- o How it benefits people/households/companies who host solar and batteries.
- o Software utilities need to do modeling to identify where they need DER.
- o Where in the US this has been used.
- o And more...

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**From:** [noreply@engage.in.gov](mailto:noreply@engage.in.gov)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Deb Allmayer - Duke  
**Date:** Thursday, May 1, 2025 8:16:10 AM

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Bloomington  
IN  
47401

Utilities: Duke

Type of Inquiry: Case Comment

Comments: I applaud the plan to eliminate coal-fired power plants. The damage has been both to our climate and health as many suffer from respiratory ailments. However, I strongly feel the replacement should not be another fossil fuel that is not renewable and produces methane gas that is hazardous. The proposal of a cost of \$3B+ is alarming. Alternatives of renewable sources would be less expensive, quicker to implement and, of course, renewable. Asking that the cost be borne by the consumer prior to receiving any benefit after a recent enormous hike in rates is unconscionable. Thousands had their power disconnected in the past year due to inability to pay, and now must deal with not only one but two rate hikes. The current proposal ignores options that are less hazardous, less expensive, and renewable. In so doing it ignores the future health of our environment and children's children. Thank you for examining and questioning this proposal that has deleterious effects on all of us in so many ways.

**From:** [Jane Parry](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jane Parry - Cause #46193  
**Date:** Friday, April 25, 2025 1:22:14 PM

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To whom it may concern:

This most recent request by Duke Energy to raise rates is without merit. Building 2 gas fired plants, using fossil fuels once again, while making converting to solar energy less economic for individual homeowners and business owners, especially after 2032, makes no sense. Let's stop the madness now. Do not approve this expenditure.

Jane Parry  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [noreply@engage.in.gov](mailto:noreply@engage.in.gov)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Karl Drobnic  
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Name: Karl Drobnic

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Phone: (541) 758-4706

Address:

Corvallis

OR

97330

Utilities: Duke Energy Indiana

Type of Inquiry: Case Comment

Comments: I urge you to grant Duke Energy Indiana's rate increases to cover the cost of changing from coal-fired generation to gas-fired and renewables. I'm not currently a rate-payer to this company; I own its debt instruments, and it is vitally important that the company get rate increases in order to provide robust, clean sources of electricity to its customers.



**From:** [Pickle, Linda](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Pickle - Cause No. 46193  
**Date:** Thursday, April 17, 2025 9:12:50 AM

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Hello.

I strongly oppose Duke Energy's **Cause No. 46193**. We residents of Indiana do not need any more coal fired energy plants that residents pay for. Please consider building green energy sources with battery storage plants.

Thank you,  
Linda Pickle  
3829 E Regents Circle  
Bloomington, IN 47401  
linda.pickle@wku.edu

Sent from my iPad

**From:** [Marty Wyatt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Marty Wyatt - Rates  
**Date:** Friday, April 4, 2025 10:01:54 PM

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Thankyou very much for the rate increase for Duke Energy & taking their bribes. On 1000 kilowatts that's \$45 a month & 2000 kilowatts is a \$90 dollar increase a month or \$1080 increase a year. I know each of you got bribed more than that though. I want you to think about senior citizens, the elderly, & disabled. But that's OK as there won't be any AC in hell when you people get there. Oh yeah plus we are going to have to flip the bill for nuclear energy research companies as well!!!!!! But stuff like this is to be expected in Republican controlled states; Republicans only care about themselves & rich corporations. And how much billions in our taxes excess does Indiana have?????!!!!!! The so called Rainy Day fund?????!!!!!! You are out of touch with your people. I long for the day when stupid Indiana residents figure this all out & put the Democrats back in power.

**From:** [Matt C](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Matt Caldie - I oppose rate hike in cause # 46193  
**Date:** Thursday, April 17, 2025 9:31:35 AM

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I am frustrated by the steady requests for rate hikes. I oppose the hikes in cause no. 4619. I understand infrastructure is expensive, but I also know your profits have been very healthy. Please draw more from them to ease the financial burden on residents.

Matt Caldie  
170 E Sunny Slopes Dr,  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Vickie Stemper](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Vickie Stemper - STOP BEING SO GREEDY in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Thursday, April 24, 2025 7:08:30 AM

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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

It is hard to believe this massive company cannot find the funds to replace their two coal fired units! Look a little better at your budget and salaries/bonuses of upper management! The public has had to tighten their belt to adapt to this economy, you should too!! I am troubled to see Duke file for a \$3.3 BILLION project right after receiving approval to collect another \$244 million from us every year. If a \$244 million rate increase raises my bills by \$19/month, I am horrified to imagine what a \$3.3 billion request will do.

I am also really disappointed by the fact that Duke wants to replace one fossil fuel with another. This makes no sense. Duke is already almost exclusively reliant on fossil fuels: 96% of their electricity generation came from coal and gas in 2023. This stubborn overreliance on fossil fuels may generate significant profits for Duke's shareholders, but it's harming customer wallets and our environment.

I would like to see the OUCC and the IURC push Duke to increase investments in energy efficiency and replace the Cayuga units with solar, wind, and battery storage. This would help save us all money and help our environment. Unlike fossil fuels, renewables and efficiency do not require fuel to operate, which generates cost savings and reduces a big affordability risk to Hoosier households, as natural gas prices are notoriously volatile.

Please do everything you can to stand up for Hoosiers and REJECT Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Respectfully,  
Vickie Stemper  
17201 Joliet Rd  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Amanda Cross](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Amanda Cross - Cause Number 46193: Please don't raise our bills!  
**Date:** Monday, April 14, 2025 12:05:01 PM

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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

I am not a rich woman, but I saved for a couple years to put solar panels on my house. They will not pay themselves off for a decade at least, but it was the right thing to do. And now my house is generating more clean energy than we even need.

Duke and its parent company have astronomically more money than I do. Not only could they pay for their own dirty gas plant, they could afford clean energy options like I did. They could easily save everyone money, protect the environment, and diversify their energy portfolio.

Duke hiking our rates AGAIN isn't fair. They'll tack on fees that I'll have to pay even though I won't use any of the power from their gas plant.

Please reject Duke's request to hike our bills for a dirty gas plant in Cause Number 46193. Please push Duke to adopt cheaper, cleaner options that will help reduce its extreme overreliance on dirty and expensive fossil fuels.

Regards,  
Amanda Cross  
431 Leafy Branch Trail  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [noreply@engage.in.gov](mailto:noreply@engage.in.gov)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jane Walter - Duke  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 22, 2025 11:39:37 AM

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Bloomington  
IN  
47401  
Utilities: Duke Energy  
Type of Inquiry: Case Comment  
Comments: My name is Jane Walter, I am a Duke Energy customer, and I live in Bloomington, IN 47401. I am writing to state my **OPPOSITION** to Duke's request to build a new natural gas-fired plant at the Cayuga Generating Facility as detailed in IURC Cause No. 46193.

This new project at Cayuga will NOT be affordable for Indiana consumers for several reasons. Despite the expression of many Hoosier ratepayers' concerns about Duke's proposed 2024 rate increases, the average Indiana consumer must now pay \$19 more for electricity every month. Now Duke wants even more hard-earned Hoosier money that could be better spent on essential needs like food, housing, and healthcare. Moreover, according to Duke Energy estimates the new gas-powered plant at Cayuga will cost at least \$ 3.33 billion and perhaps up to 30% more. This figure is HUGE, and it is comparable to Duke's infamous Edwardsport boondoggle a decade ago! For me, the hardest and least affordable costs for the consumers of a new natural gas-fired plant will be the increased medical bills for Hoosier consumers and their loved ones by continuing Duke's reliance on **DIRTY FOSSIL FUELS** to generate electricity in Indiana. What is the incentive for Duke Energy to ever invest more in Hoosiers' health and well-being by increasing its use of **RENEWABLE ENERGY** to generate electricity in our state?

In sum, I **RESOUNDINGLY OPPOSE** Duke Energy's proposal for a new natural gas-fired plant at Cayuga.

**From:** [noreply@engage.in.gov](mailto:noreply@engage.in.gov)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathryn Steger - Duke  
**Date:** Friday, April 18, 2025 11:17:58 AM

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Name: Kathryn Steger  
Email: stoneandmist@gmail.com  
Phone:  
Address:  
Bloomington  
IN  
47401

Utilities: Duke Energy

Type of Inquiry: Case Comment

Comments: I am a Duke Energy customer writing in **STRONG OPPOSITION** to Duke Energy's request to build two new gas-powered plants at the Cayuga Generating Facility as outlined in Cause #46193.

Under current Indiana law, Duke Energy must adhere to the Five Pillars of Electric Utility Service: reliability, resilience, stability, affordability, and environmental sustainability.

With a projected 35-year lifespan, the proposed gas-powered plants cannot be considered "reliable, resilient, or stable" due to the growing availability and volatile cost of fossil fuels. It is stupid and irresponsible for Duke and Indiana to invest in utilities that will only become more expensive and difficult to operate as shortages of fossil fuels increase.

The proposal is also not affordable nor is the proposed rate of recovery reasonable. Duke just raised customer rates in 2024 and now they are proposing to raise rates again making customers foot the bill even before the units are finished. By their own admission the cost of \$3.33 billion could increase by 30% over the multi-year construction period. Why should we consumers subsidize this risky initiative when their shareholders and CEOs continue to reap enormous profits? We have no guarantee from them that OUR investment in THEIR future will even be completed. At this point, they are asking us to pay for a phantom when many customers are already struggling to pay for the reality of their current energy needs.

Lastly, the project is not environmentally sustainable. Definitely, the aging coal plants must be retired as soon as possible, but the proposed gas-fired units would be just as bad since they will release carbon monoxide, particulate matter, and VOCs into the air. The IURC should not even consider ANY gas utility construction by Duke until it has increased its solar and wind energy utilities which currently make up less than 2% of their portfolio. With the global climate crisis we are facing and with new, advanced green energy technology available, it is not only irresponsible but also immoral for the IURC to even consider Duke's request. The IURC should sharply rebuke Duke for wasting the taxpayer's time with this unacceptable proposal and demand that they expand their wind, solar, and battery storage options as their sole and immediate course of action.

**From:** [noreply@engage.in.gov](mailto:noreply@engage.in.gov)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Marty Clevenger - Duke  
**Date:** Saturday, April 19, 2025 1:05:54 PM

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Phone: (812) 605-3373  
Address:  
Terre Haute  
IN  
47803  
Utilities: Electricity  
Type of Inquiry: Case Comment  
Comments: I am against taxpayers paying for the 3.3 Billion dollar project of Duke Energy



**From:** [Steve Lunsford](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Steve Lunsford - Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 30, 2025 4:53:05 PM

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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

Over three billion dollars seems quite excessive. I thought the Cayuga already had some gas fired units.

Regards,  
Steve Lunsford  
653 S Fulton St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Jenny Lloyd](#)  
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My question is how much of the proposed 3.3 billion dollar cost is going to be borne by the stockholders or is it just going to be paid for on the backs of your customers? Maybe you should have been setting aside some of your profits over the years to pay for your capital improvements.

Virginia Lloyd

**From:** [Jerry Allman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jerry Allman - Nup for customersCause Number 46193  
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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

I am troubled to see Duke file for a \$3.3 BILLION project right after receiving approval to collect another \$244 million from us every year. If a \$244 million rate increase raises my bills by \$19/month, I am horrified to imagine what a \$3.3 billion request will do.

I am also really disappointed by the fact that Duke wants to replace one fossil fuel with another. This makes no sense. Duke is already almost exclusively reliant on fossil fuels: 96% of their electricity generation came from coal and gas in 2023. This stubborn overreliance on fossil fuels may generate significant profits for Duke's shareholders, but it's harming customer wallets and our environment.

I would like to see the OUCC and the IURC push Duke to increase investments in energy efficiency and replace the Cayuga units with solar, wind, and battery storage. This would help save us all money and help our environment. Unlike fossil fuels, renewables and efficiency do not require fuel to operate, which generates cost savings and reduces a big affordability risk to Hoosier households, as natural gas prices are notoriously volatile.

Please do everything you can to stand up for Hoosiers and REJECT Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Respectfully,  
Jerry Allman  
107 N Lincoln St  
Westport, IN 47283

**From:** [John Blevins](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** John Blevins - ect Duke's \$3.3we Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

People are already having a tough time coping with huge increases in the cost of everything we need to survive: energy, food, housing, and healthcare.

Now, Duke customers will be forced to pay another \$19/month due to the rate increase approved earlier this year. I am anxious about how much bills will increase if Duke's newest \$3.3 billion request is approved as well. I am urging you to please do everything you can to reject Duke's request in 46193.

We all know that this huge gas plant could end up costing dramatically more than \$3.3 billion because of Construction Work in Progress (CWIP) approved by the Indiana General Assembly. CWIP means that Duke gets to pass construction costs onto customers like me before the plant produces any energy, which means they have no incentive to keep costs down.

We also all know what happened the last time Duke used customers as a blank check with CWIP: the Edwardsport power plant went \$1.5 billion over budget and ended up costing a whopping \$3.5 billion. I am not looking forward to seeing how much Duke will go over budget with this new gas plant.

Please stand up for Duke customers like me by rejecting Duke's \$3.3 billion request. Please push Duke to adopt cleaner and more affordable options that move Duke away from their extreme overreliance on fossil fuels.

Investments in energy efficiency, renewable energy, and battery storage will help Duke to diversify its generation portfolio and save us money. We simply can't afford any more increases. Unlike Duke and their parent company - one of the largest energy holding companies in the entire country - Hoosiers aren't rolling in the dough.

Please reject Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Thank you,  
John Blevins  
1312 S 16th St  
Richmond, IN 47374

**From:** [Judy Owens](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Judy Owens - No new fossil fuel plants! Re:Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Sunday, April 13, 2025 10:27:22 AM

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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

Remember 75° summers? I do.

But it's been a while since comfortable summer days were the norm.

Look around, call it what you will. Our climate is changing and we have an opportunity to slow the decline in our quality of living, but

\*we have to actually do something.\*

Storms are getting worse and more frequent. Who ever heard of an atmospheric river in the Midwest??

I am fundamentally outraged that Duke wants to replace one fossil fuel with another. This makes no sense. Duke is already almost exclusively reliant on fossil fuels: 96% of their electricity generation came from coal and gas in 2023. This stubborn overreliance on fossil fuels may generate significant short term profits for Duke's shareholders, but in the long term, they and their grandchildren still live on this warming globe.

I would like to see the OUCC and the IURC push Duke to increase investments in energy efficiency and replace the Cayuga units with

\*solar, especially as parking lot shade structures,

\*wind turbines

\*battery storage, as electricity or as pure heat like the sand silo projects in Finland

\*geothermal heat pumps for homes and business campuses

There's a real opportunity here to help the global situation, for your own comfort and for the health and safety of your family.

Please do everything you can to stand up for 75° summers and REJECT Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Most sincerely yours,

Judy Owens  
Monroe County Republican

Respectfully,  
Judy Owens

1008 S Palmer Ave  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Marissa Barnes](#)  
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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

As utility companies rake in healthy profits, many Hoosiers are forced to make tough decisions every day. Our Governor is putting in helipads, Lieutenant is purchasing Tesla trucks and our taxpayers are continuing to take the brunt of their wreckless choices. Nearly every bill you all vote on today will remove more and more of Hoosiers ability to survive.

People have to choose whether to pay for groceries, medicine, or their electric bill. Whether to run their air conditioning or suffer through the heat. Whether to pay their landlord or Duke. We heard as much throughout the public hearings for Duke's 2024 rate case, and that was before folks saw their Duke bills increase by \$19/month from the rate hike they just got.

It's appalling that Duke is already back at the IURC asking for even more of our money, a whopping \$3.3 billion. And it's alarming that the \$3.3 billion is the floor and not the ceiling.

First off, since Duke wants to build a huge gas plant, we know that customers will be on the hook for additional future rate hikes to pay for pipelines, operations & maintenance for the plant, and the fuel to run it.

But that's not all, thanks to Construction Work in Progress, granted to Duke by the Indiana General Assembly. CWIP shifts construction risks away from utilities and their shareholders and onto the backs of captive customers like me. With CWIP, Duke has no incentive to keep costs low because they can pass costs directly onto customers. We've already seen the impact of CWIP with Duke's own Edwardsport plant: cost overruns totaling \$1.5 billion. Please don't force us to repeat that experience!

Please reject Duke's request to hike our bills for a dirty gas plant in Cause Number 46193. Please push Duke to adopt cheaper, cleaner options that will help reduce its extreme overreliance on dirty and expensive fossil fuels. Please reject any bills brought forward by utility lobbyists and listen to your constituents!! We live in Indiana for our green space, our low key lives, our small business friendly environment and our low cost of living. Today you must realize you face upending all of that and continuing to line billionaires pockets.

Regards,  
Marissa Barnes  
462 Scarborough Rd  
Valparaiso, IN 46385

**From:** [Randy Arnold](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Randy Arnold - This is INSANITY! No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

This is the definition of insanity! Everyone knows that renewable wind and solar resources are plentiful in Indiana, yet Duke insists on lining their friends' pockets by continuing the invest in EXPENSIVE and DIRTY fossil fuels. It's time to move Indiana into the 21st century, away from fossil fuels and toward renewable, sustainable energy!

I am troubled to see Duke file for a \$3.3 BILLION project right after receiving approval to collect another \$244 million from us every year. If a \$244 million rate increase raises my bills by \$19/month, I am horrified to imagine what a \$3.3 billion request will do.

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Please do everything you can to stand up for Hoosiers and REJECT Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Respectfully,  
Randy Arnold  
2414 E Rechter Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47401



**From:** [richard Howe](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** richard Howe - You don't need the money...Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
richard Howe  
617 E Pearl St  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Stephen Kloss](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Stephen Kloss - Pleuse your profits as do ALL other businesses doase stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause  
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Stephen Kloss  
10621 Stack Ct  
Indianapolis, IN 46229

**From:** [Susan Medland](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Susan Medland - No to Cause Number 46193!  
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I am strongly in favor of clean renewable energy sources in Indiana. I oppose the building of a new gas plant in Indiana! The time for renewables is now!

The climate crisis is REAL. Your actions now will affect the lives of our children and grandchildren. We must all do everything we can to protect the beautiful Earth and our children's future.

Thank you, Susan and Pat Medland

Regards,  
Susan Medland  
505 E Dodds St  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Abigail Reamer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Abigail Reamer - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

I am very disappointed to have my electric bill go up this year, when my house is powered by all my own electricity that I create with solar power. I create more than I can use. To their benefit. They got rid of net metering which is incomprehensible! We do not need more gas or coal power. We have tried it and it's gross. Bring back net metering and make them use renewable sources. NO MORE INCREASES.

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Thank you,  
Abigail Reamer  
583 W Green Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Alicia Conde](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Alicia Conde - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Alicia Conde  
10831 Riverwood Blvd  
Indianapolis, IN 46234

**From:** [Allen Lineberry](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Allen Lineberry - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Allen Lineberry  
3027 S Central Way  
Anderson, IN 46011

**From:** [Andrew Iredale](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Andrew Iredale - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Andrew Iredale  
2905 Middle Rd  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130



**From:** [Angela Guerrero](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Angela Guerrero - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Angela Guerrero  
818 W Smith Valley Rd  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Angela Mangold](#)  
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**Subject:** Angela Mangold - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Angela Mangold  
18615 Willoughby Rd  
Aurora, IN 47001

**From:** [Bethany Needhamer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Bethany Needhamer - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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YOUR ALL SAD N PITIFUL CRYING OVER MORE MONEY...PLEEEEEEEASE

Respectfully,  
Bethany Needhamer  
1017 N Jackson St  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Blythe Potter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Blythe Potter - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Blythe Potter  
30 Plummer Ave  
Bargersville, IN 46106

**From:** [Bonnie Cox](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Bonnie Cox  
10682 IN-256  
IN 47138

**From:** [Brenda Ellett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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324 N Clark St  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [Brenda Labie](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Brenda Labie  
406 Colvin Ct  
Seymour, IN 47274

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1287 S Heron Dr E  
New Palestine, IN 46163



**From:** [Brian Reynolds](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1550 E Moffett Ln  
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Carol Conner  
1445 Hideaway Cir  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

**From:** [Carole Brastock](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Carole Brastock  
373 Cool Evening Ct  
Cloverdale, IN 46120

**From:** [Catherine Elstun](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Osgood, IN 47037

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821 S 17th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

**From:** [Charles Stuart](#)  
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Terre Haute, IN 47802

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Charlotte Dean  
13260 Prospect St  
Jasonville, IN 47438

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3421 W Tilson Pl  
Bloomington, IN 47403



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Chris Brown  
401 E Viola Ave  
Washington, IN 47501

**From:** [Christy Carpenter](#)  
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Christy Carpenter  
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Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Cynthia Elias](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2322 Cailynn Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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15023 Mancroft Dr  
Fishers, IN 46037

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7122 Sycamore Dr  
Avon, IN 46123

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14658 Chesterville Rd  
Moores Hill, IN 47032

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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David Barnes  
3613 Alyn Ct  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Debra Luttrell - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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848 Young St  
Franklin, IN 46131

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Debra Nestler  
155 N Lincoln St  
Clinton, IN 47842

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355 DARTMOUTH ST  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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470 N Main St Apt 102  
Martinsville, IN 46151

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Denise Morgan  
220 Gettysburg  
Coatesville, IN 46121

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1110 E Mary Ln  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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4529 W Rising Sun Dr  
New Palestine, IN 46163



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3206 w. st more street  
Princeton, IN 47670

**From:** [Donna Whiteman](#)  
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Donna Whiteman  
2600 W Jefferson St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Dorothy Mcdivitt - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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U.S. Hwy 40  
Pershing, IN 47370

**From:** [Elise Pentz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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10568 Courageous Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46236

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3500 Tally Ho Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Eugene Martin  
7767 Bartlettsville Rd  
Heltonville, IN 47436

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615 Lane Ave  
Sellersburg, IN 47172

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Greg Rambicure  
13214 Dunwoody Ln  
Carmel, IN 46033



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506 N Franklin St  
Greensburg, IN 47240

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James Burkhart  
5432 E North St  
Amboy, IN 46911

**From:** [James Quinn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** James Quinn - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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James Quinn  
1675 E Moffett Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Janie Blakeley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Janie Blakeley - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Janie Blakeley  
2920 Treehouse Pass  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Jeanne McClure](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jeanne McClure  
815 S California St  
Farmersburg, IN 47850

**From:** [Jeffrey Overton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3510 W Jefferson St  
Kokomo, IN 46901



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Jeffrey Richardson  
5697 W 700 S  
Morgantown, IN 46160

**From:** [Jeffrey Richardson](#)  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jo David  
214 S State St  
Markleville, IN 46056

**From:** [JoEllen Long](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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JoEllen Long  
5518 Hammon Dr  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

**From:** [John Conrad](#)  
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361 N Meridian St  
Marengo, IN 47140

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6761 N County Road 300 W  
Brazil, IN 47834

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1707 Village Green Blvd  
Jeff, IN 47130

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Judy Puetz  
1033 Linden Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47909



**From:** [June Ryle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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June Ryle  
708 S Ryle Dr  
Greensburg, IN 47240

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Karen yarnevic  
2501 N Apperson Way  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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3984 Jordan Rd  
Martinsville, IN 46151

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Keith jackson  
11311 IN-68  
Elberfeld, IN 47613

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2709 Peachtree Terrace  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kermit Stewart - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Kermit Stewart  
604 Kristie Ave  
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Kerry Forrey  
2651 S 11th 1/2 St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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Kevin Cornelius  
760 Wooddale Terrace  
Greenwood, IN 46142



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kevin Harlow  
8345 Buckingham Dr  
Columbus, IN 47201

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Kimberly petro  
840 W 7th St  
Rushville, IN 46173

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1002 Arrowwood Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

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Mark Smith  
PO Box 148  
Stilesville, IN 46180

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McMillen Shirley  
1411 Slate Run Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Melissa mount  
331 W 1st St  
Rushville, IN 46173

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Regards,  
Michael Burrows  
11603 E McGregor Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46259



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1327 N Carver St  
Greensburg, IN 47240

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Michael Phelps  
617 Cherry St  
New Albany, IN 47150

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Respectfully,  
Michael VanArsdale  
423 N Meridian St  
Jasonville, IN 47438

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Respectfully,  
Michael Weekly  
5179 Co Rd E 500 N  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Michele muir](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Michele muir  
3601 W Stafford Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Michelle Sheridan](#)  
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Regards,  
Michelle Sheridan  
109 E Mill St  
Brooklyn, IN 46111

**From:** [Mitch Arvin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Mitch Arvin  
10335 County Rd West 150 S  
Russiaville, IN 46979

**From:** [Nancy Redman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Nancy Redman  
503 E Forest Home St  
Roachdale, IN 46172



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pamela Hug - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Pamela Hug  
12614 Walrond Rd  
Fishers, IN 46037

**From:** [Peggy Harrison](#)  
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Lafayette, IN 47909

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Penny Leach  
8860 N Canaan Vine St  
Madison, IN 47250

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Penny Riley  
522 Lawndale Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Randy Fletcher](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Randy Fletcher  
1322 1st Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

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370 Moorman Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Richard Wilhelm](#)  
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Richard Wilhelm  
1915 F Ave  
New Castle, IN 47362

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Fishers, IN 46038



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Respectfully,  
Robert Keller  
7962 N County Rd 150 W  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [RONNIE HASTE](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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RONNIE HASTE  
3655 Dixie Hwy  
Bedford, IN 47421

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Rose Rodriguez  
3539 W County Rd 1025 N  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Russ Jones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Russ Jones  
7227 Delmont Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

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Regards,  
Ruth Pruett  
3884 W Wahatchee Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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Regards,  
sandra campbell  
821 Ruble St  
Bicknell, IN 47512

**From:** [Sara Allen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sara Allen - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Sara Allen  
1140 Driftwood Dr NE  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [steve jones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
steve jones  
4710 Breckenridge Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203



**From:** [Susan McCamish](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Susan McCamish  
3069 IN-203  
Lexington, IN 47138

**From:** [Tammi Mazura](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tammi Mazura - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Tammi Mazura  
7846 E 800 S  
South Whitley, IN 46787

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Tammy Hogan  
12 S Main St  
Carthage, IN 46115

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3794 E Creal Ct  
North Terre Haute, IN 47805

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Teresa Damico  
1717 Sussex on Berkley  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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3022 Turkey Pen Cir  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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Terry Smith  
5350 Churchman Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46203

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Thomas Fleener - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Thomas Fleener  
3990 Red Bud Ln  
Martinsville, IN 46151



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Tim Jenkins  
8721 W County Rd 1000 S  
Reelsville, IN 46171

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Timwallace Wallace  
685 324 maple  
Dana, IN 47847

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Troy Copeland  
5455 N 200 E  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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Vanita Clements  
11423 River Dr E  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Vicki Wittenmyer](#)  
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Regards,  
Vicki Wittenmyer  
248 E Wood Ave  
Universal, IN 47884

**From:** [Vickie Balder](#)  
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Vickie Balder  
820 E Marley Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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Regards,  
Virginia Jones  
720 Columbus Ave  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Wanda Hoffman](#)  
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Wanda Hoffman  
1810 Graybrook Ln  
New Albany, IN 47150



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Wayne Johnson  
400 W Terrace Dr Trlr 14  
Bloomington, IN 47403

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101 Ridge Rd  
Connersville, IN 47331

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Yvonne Frietzsche  
10480 Glasswater Ln  
Indianapolis, IN 46231

**From:** [Alwardt Pamela](#)  
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Thank you,  
Alwardt Pamela  
525 Lockerbie Rd  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Annalee Friedman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Annalee Friedman  
2702 N Skyline Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Barbara Alford](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8214 N Twisted Oak Dr  
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404 Lewis Ln  
Covington, IN 47932



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Bill Luke  
618 S Locust Ln  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

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Bobbi Wigley  
1921 Plaza Dr Apt 115  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Brandon Simmons](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Brandon Simmons  
131 Woodfield Pl  
Danville, IN 46122

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brenda Ellis  
1621 O Ave  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Bridget Hill](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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243 Fulkerson Dr Apt B  
Charlestown, IN 47111

**From:** [Carolyn Cardwell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1118 Windsor Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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Charles Dinsmore  
105 W Academy St  
Bloomington, IN 47832

**From:** [Cherri Seals](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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141 2nd St NE  
Carmel, IN 46032



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4070 S Danita Ct  
New Palestine, IN 46163

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Cicily Golden  
3229 Creekshore Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46268

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7216 S 450 E  
Rushville, IN 46173

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616 Brentfield Ln  
Greencastle, IN 46135

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Regards,  
David Dimmich  
3921 Glen Eagles Pl  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [David Nordhoff](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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513 N Warpath Dr  
Milan, IN 47031

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129 Autumn Oaks Blvd  
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Clinton, IN 47842

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Respectfully,  
Diane prout  
634 N Greenbriar Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46142

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Don Wappel  
580 County Rd 300 W  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Donnie Chasteen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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302 E Main St NW  
Depauw, IN 47115

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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347 N County Rd 25 W  
New Castle, IN 47362

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Duane Wise  
225 Meadow Ln  
Hanover, IN 47243

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209 W Jackson St  
Vevay, IN 47043



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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321 S 7th St  
Lafayette, IN 47901

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296 N Mill St  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [James Champion](#)  
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Regards,  
James Champion  
613 Parkview Rd  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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**Subject:** James Nunamaker - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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3314 S Hume Rd  
New Palestine, IN 46163

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Thank you,  
james probst  
19722 James Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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James Wells  
520 Locust Dr  
Brazil, IN 47834



**From:** [Jan Meissnest](#)  
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921 Silver Charm Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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Thank you,  
Jeff Allen  
809 Cypress N  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Jeff Mccullough](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5846 N County Rd 75 E  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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613 Conner Creek Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038

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Terre Haute, IN 47804

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1729 Virginia Ave  
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Judith Mullins  
1316 Nicholas St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Judy Harmeyer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Judy Harmeyer  
601 N Jefferson St Apt 203  
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Judy Michael  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Karen Ashby  
4371 S Magnolia Rd  
English, IN 47118

**From:** [Kathi Dee](#)  
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Indianapolis, IN 46241

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathy Evans - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1121 Cristiani Wy  
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Avon, IN 46123

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Ken Backus  
60 Sunrise Ct  
Lafayette, IN 47904

**From:** [Kevin Bilbrey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8217 Shorewalk Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46236



**From:** [Kevin Thomas](#)  
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Anderson, IN 46012

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11401 E Kuhn Rd  
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6292 Valleyview Dr  
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3915 E Whiskey Run Rd NE  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Terre Haute, IN 47803

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2393 Edgewood Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46227



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2204 Union St  
Columbus, IN 47201

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781 E Springhill Dr  
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**From:** [Marci McQuern](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Marci McQuern  
1255 Springfield Dr  
Avon, IN 46123

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Bloomington, IN 47408

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3532 Mulberry Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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West Terre Haute, IN 47885

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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7130 Rinnie Seitz Rd  
Nashville, IN 47448



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5380 W Village Dr  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Michael Douglas](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michael Douglas - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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People are already having a tough time coping with huge increases in the cost of everything we need to survive: energy, food, housing, and healthcare.

Now, Duke customers will be forced to pay another \$19/month due to the rate increase approved earlier this year. I am anxious about how much bills will increase if Duke's newest \$3.3 billion request is approved as well. I am urging you to please do everything you can to reject Duke's request in 46193.

We all know that this huge gas plant could end up costing dramatically more than \$3.3 billion because of Construction Work in Progress (CWIP) approved by the Indiana General Assembly. CWIP means that Duke gets to pass construction costs onto customers like me before the plant produces any energy, which means they have no incentive to keep costs down.

We also all know what happened the last time Duke used customers as a blank check with CWIP: the Edwardsport power plant went \$1.5 billion over budget and ended up costing a whopping \$3.5 billion. I am not looking forward to seeing how much Duke will go over budget with this new gas plant.

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Thank you,  
Michael Douglas  
321 E Glendora Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [Michael Dwyer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Lawrenceburg, IN 47025

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1132 Central Park Blvd N  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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Trafalgar, IN 46160

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**From:** [Nichole Dartis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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9810 Orange Blossom Trail  
Fishers, IN 46038



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Norman root  
804 Ash St  
Seymour, IN 47274

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Pamela Cox  
15 Country Pl  
Loogootee, IN 47553

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Patricia Beavin  
1001 W 2nd St Apt 110  
Madison, IN 47250

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135 Daleview Dr  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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Thank you,  
Patricia Stuckey  
9377 N Kimberly Dr  
Brazil, IN 47834

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7614 Broadview Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46227

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Respectfully,  
Patty Cottengain  
430 S Roosevelt Rd  
Orleans, IN 47452

**From:** [Paul Holmes](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Paul Holmes  
399 S Kirby Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47403



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Pearl Wallace  
423 S 4th St  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Rachel Croucher](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Rachel Croucher  
615 W High St  
Liberty, IN 47353

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609 Silver Dawn Ct  
Zionsville, IN 46077

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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707 Pearl St  
Windfall, IN 46076

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207 W North St  
Kempton, IN 46049

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3810 S 900 E  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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2141 Dahlen Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47805



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1017 W County Rd 700 N  
Brazil, IN 47834

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20042 Cowie Ln  
Carmel, IN 46074

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6307 N 255 W  
Delphi, IN 46923

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635 Lawndale Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46142

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Ronny beausoleil  
8842 W Washington St  
French Lick, IN 47432

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601 E Indiana Ave  
Spencer, IN 47460

**From:** [Sally Lewis](#)  
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Sally Lewis  
258 Beard St  
Huntington, IN 46750



**From:** [Scott Emch](#)  
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As Duke Energy and their parent company rake in healthy profits, many Hoosiers are forced to make tough decisions every day. People have to choose whether to pay for groceries, medicine, or their electric bill. Whether to run their air conditioning or suffer through the heat. Whether to pay their landlord or Duke. We heard as much throughout the public hearings for Duke's 2024 rate case, and that was before folks saw their Duke bills increase by \$19/month from the rate hike they just got.

It's appalling that Duke is already back at the IURC asking for even more of our money, a whopping \$3.3 billion. And it's alarming that the \$3.3 billion is the floor and not the ceiling.

First off, since Duke wants to build a huge gas plant, we know that customers will be on the hook for additional future rate hikes to pay for pipelines, operations & maintenance for the plant, and the fuel to run it.

But that's not all, thanks to Construction Work in Progress, granted to Duke by the Indiana General Assembly. CWIP shifts construction risks away from utilities and their shareholders and onto the backs of captive customers like me. With CWIP, Duke has no incentive to keep costs low because they can pass costs directly onto customers. We've already seen the impact of CWIP with Duke's own Edwardsport plant: cost overruns totaling \$1.5 billion. Please don't force us to repeat that experience!

Please reject Duke's request to hike our bills for a dirty gas plant in Cause Number 46193. Please push Duke to adopt cheaper, cleaner options that will help reduce its extreme overreliance on dirty and expensive fossil fuels.

Regards,  
Scott Emch  
508 Stony Creek Cir  
Noblesville, IN 46060

**From:** [Shah Muhammad](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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18 N Belmont Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46222

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Sharon Shane  
3776 E Co Rd 200 S  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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2525 Tacoma Cir  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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PO Box 1  
New Point, IN 47263

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87 Stonegate Dr  
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103 N Main St  
IN 47562



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**From:** [Theresa Lydy](#)  
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Bloomington, IN 47401

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Peru, IN 46970

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Thomas Nimeskern  
3505 N Main St  
Butler, IN 47223

**From:** [Tim Simmons](#)  
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Tim Simmons  
4108 Spg MI Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Timothy Robinson](#)  
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Jasonville, IN 47438

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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13999 Livingston Rd  
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Trecia Bumgardner  
2113 E Jackson St  
Brazil, IN 47834



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New Albany, IN 47150

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Vicky Boyer  
801 Indiana St  
Bicknell, IN 47512

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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442 Center St  
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9700 N Atherton St  
Rosedale, IN 47874

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Lafayette, IN 47909



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5481 E Pleasant Ridge Rd  
Madison, IN 47250

**From:** [Angela Burris](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2924 S 6th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Angela Cunningham](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**Bcc:**  
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New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Ann Trierweiler](#)  
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Ann Trierweiler  
450 S 22nd St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [ANNITA MASON](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** ANNITA MASON - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
ANNITA MASON  
1511 Beechwood Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Anthony Kelley](#)  
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960 C Poppy Ln  
Osgood, IN 47037

**From:** [Antonia Matthew](#)  
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Antonia Matthew  
1307 S Grant St  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Aowyn Galvan  
201 Manchester Ave  
Wabash, IN 46992



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ashley Sharp - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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4809 Ashbury Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Barbara Little  
809 Draper St  
Greencastle, IN 46135

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Barbara VanSickle - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Barbara VanSickle  
6856 N Parks Dr  
Arlington, IN 46104

**From:** [Bethel Marcy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Bethel Marcy  
PO Box 357  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Betsie chilton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Betsie chilton  
122 Spruce Ln  
Hanover, IN 47243

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Bobbi Jasay  
924 Waterfront Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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965 Maple Grove Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Bradley Miller - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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316 Walnut St  
Madison, IN 47250



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Bridget Boling  
10763 Ole Foxe Rd  
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**From:** [Camilla Collins](#)  
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14573 Dover Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

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Respectfully,  
Carol Decker  
2735 College Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Carol Dunfee](#)  
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8045 Ritter Rd  
Morgantown, IN 46160

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Franklin, IN 46131

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12393 S Payton Rd  
Galveston, IN 46932

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307 Birch Dr  
Charlestown, IN 47111

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Regards,  
Cheryl Truesdell  
332 Hawthorne Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130



**From:** [Chipeco Martin](#)  
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5040 W Aldrin Ct  
Bloomington, IN 47404

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1025 N Ireland St  
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Cindy Toppe  
518 Autumn Ct  
Brownstown, IN 47220

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Connie Kepley  
7763 Apple Orchard Ln NE Apt 113 # Napt  
New Salisbury, IN 47161

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252 W McKay Rd  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

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Cynthia Metz  
2024 Ekin Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150

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Cynthia Ramirez  
260 Mill Run Dr Apt 61  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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Cynthia Thurman  
370 Thornton Rd  
Hanover, IN 47243



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4043 W Grand Ave  
Bloomington, IN 47404

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135 Diamond Rd  
Mitchell, IN 47446

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Daniel Sprouse  
2032 E Blvd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Danny JACKSON](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Danny JACKSON  
181 N Franklin St  
Campbellsburg, IN 47108

**From:** [Diane Burks](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Diane Burks  
2309 Lincoln Ave  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Diane Stanley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Diane Stanley  
1009 Carter Dr  
Georgetown, IN 47122

**From:** [Dianna Mills](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dianna Mills  
1637 S 4th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Dj Lee](#)  
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2856 Windridge Dr Apt 1  
Madison, IN 47250



**From:** [Donald Kemp](#)  
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Donald Kemp  
2020 E 38th St  
Anderson, IN 46013

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E Market St  
Edwardsport, IN 47528

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4600 Juniper Ct  
Columbus, IN 47201

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Donna F  
629 Center St  
Greenfield, IN 46140

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4060 N 150 W  
Columbus, IN 47201

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8333 W College St  
French Lick, IN 47432

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Eric Kelsheimer  
3269 Gun Club Rd  
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303 N Sherwood Ave  
Clarksville, IN 47129

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Aurora, IN 47001

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Columbus, IN 47203

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205 E Frank St  
Mitchell, IN 47446

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Gayla Fasig  
PO Box 5006  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Greg Kaelin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Greg Kaelin - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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2116 Shelby St  
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7870 Wabash Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Iris Vallier](#)  
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Delight Creek Rd  
Fishers, IN 46038



**From:** [J Ward](#)  
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J Ward  
3218 Eden Way Pl  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Jay Whitaker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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13420 Shively Rd  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1015 Walnut St  
Clinton, IN 47842

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Jeffery Lynch  
615 N Capitol Ave  
Corydon, IN 47112

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jimmy mailloux  
8234 Hulton Rd  
Pendleton, IN 46064

**From:** [Joseph Blankenship](#)  
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Joseph Blankenship  
6668 E 19th St  
Indianapolis, IN 46219

**From:** [Joy Shelton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Joy Shelton  
112 Ball Ct  
Salem, IN 47167



**From:** [Judi Culy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3909 E 276th St  
Atlanta, IN 46031

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1506 Michigan Rd  
Franklin, IN 46131

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Julia Ware-Ingermann  
1561 E 74th St  
Indianapolis, IN 46240

**From:** [Kaleigh All](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kaleigh All  
2106 College Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Karen Kinnett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Karen Kinnett  
5432 Briarwood Dr  
Aurora, IN 47001

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Karen Walters  
1925 Indiana 62 NW  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [Kathleen Quimby](#)  
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Kathleen Quimby  
7720 Mistflower Ln  
Noblesville, IN 46062



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Kathy Zowd  
652 Bradford Dr Apt A  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Kelly Fey](#)  
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1562 Old Ford Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

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63 W Flat Rock Dr  
Westfield, IN 46074

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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707 E Cloverdale Ave  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Columbus, IN 47201

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Regards,  
Kincade Yvonne  
7830 S Rose Bud Dr  
Pendleton, IN 46064

**From:** [Km Mk](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Km Mk  
187 Charlotte Ave  
Switz City, IN 47465



**From:** [Lana Mitchell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Lana Mitchell  
8175 Burnett Blvd  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Larry Davis](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Larry Davis  
17 Douglas Pl  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Leo Philbin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Leo Philbin  
935 S 4th St  
Lafayette, IN 47905

**From:** [Leslie Johnson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Leslie Johnson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Leslie Johnson  
6953 Park Square Dr  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Lewy Muela](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Lewy Muela  
2251 N Pennsylvania St  
Indianapolis, IN 46205

**From:** [Linda Dugger](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Dugger - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Linda Dugger  
612 Hillcrest Dr  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Linda Eck](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Linda Eck  
6242 W 400 N  
Fairland, IN 46126

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Linda Phillips  
7800 Cobble Springs Dr  
Avon, IN 46123



**From:** [Lora Hines](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Lora Hines  
3225 Beeson Ave  
Connersville, IN 47331

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Loren Carter  
207 N Gretchen St  
Walton, IN 46994

**From:** [Lorraine Rush](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Lorraine Rush  
11809 Forest Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Louwanna Wallace  
324 N Maple St  
Dana, IN 47847

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Manulanie Petty  
9543 S Pointe Lasalles Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Margie Fox](#)  
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398 Banta St  
Franklin, IN 46131

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Mary Ellenbrand  
926 E 7th St  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Mary Morgan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Mary Morgan  
218 W Burnside Ave  
Fairland, IN 46126



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6959 E Bender Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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Melinda Coulson  
4549 Mimosa Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Michael bell](#)  
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Thank you,  
Michael bell  
153 Hillside Dr Apt 4  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Mona Harrington](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Mona Harrington  
1112 Division St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Nancy McCoy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Nancy McCoy  
2440 91st St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Nancy Stahl](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Nancy Stahl  
2424 Addmore Ln  
IN 47150

**From:** [Natalie Cox](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Natalie Cox  
3153 W Co Rd 400 N  
Frankfort, IN 46041

**From:** [Pam Cary](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Pam Cary  
4597 Cleome Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168



**From:** [Pam Clayton](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Pam Clayton  
7911 Old Hwy 60  
Sellersburg, IN 47172

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3976 Andretti Dr  
Zionsville, IN 46077

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Paul Heckelsberg  
2410 N 15th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [PDavid Knowlton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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PDavid Knowlton  
99 S 300 W  
Greenfield, IN 46140

**From:** [Peggy ferrier](#)  
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720 S Rangeline Rd Apt 522  
Carmel, IN 46032

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Rachel Ford  
3838 S 9th St  
Lafayette, IN 47909

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Ramona Phillips  
2516 Bluewood Way  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Randy Choisser](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Randy Choisser  
1286 Clover Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



**From:** [Rebecca Hastings](#)  
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Regards,  
Rebecca Hastings  
1651 N 12th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Rebecca Taylor](#)  
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Rebecca Taylor  
302 N 4th St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [richard hughes](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
richard hughes  
406 Kelly St  
Mitchell, IN 47446

**From:** [Robert Keith](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Robert Keith  
30 N Washington St  
Fredericksburg, IN 47120

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Ronald Monroe  
2300 Countryview Dr  
Washington, IN 47501

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Rose Switzer  
3012 Fenwood Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Roy Davies](#)  
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2519 E Dexter Ave  
North Terre Haute, IN 47805

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We have tons of solar fields in my county and that power needs to be used for Hoosiers and to help offset our bills. Duke needs to stop being greedy and look out for its customer base instead of hoarding profits.

Regards,  
Sarah Creech  
4820 State Rd 227  
Richmond, IN 47374



**From:** [Sean Harms](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Sean Harms  
2209 S Adams St  
Marion, IN 46953

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12055 Somerset Way E  
Carmel, IN 46033

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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503 N Meridian St  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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317 W Front St  
Cambridge City, IN 47327

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Sharon Wood  
2657 Wynterpointe Ct  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Shelley Chandler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Cc:**  
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**From:** [Stephen Avera](#)  
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Regards,  
Stephen Avera  
599 Sherfield Rd  
Spencer, IN 47460

**From:** [Steve Cohen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Steve Cohen - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Steve Cohen  
8154 Pennington Rd  
Mooresville, IN 46158

**From:** [Steve Hoyt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Steve Hoyt  
584 Stone Table Blvd  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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Regards,  
Sue Scottt  
4888 Skelton St  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Sue treadway](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sue treadway  
1841 S 29th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Susan Nasby](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Susan Nasby - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Bloomington, IN 47401

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Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Susan Wilson](#)  
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Tina pearson  
725 Miller Ln  
Seymour, IN 47274

**From:** [Toby Russell](#)  
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Toby Russell  
607 Jay St  
Salem, IN 47167

**From:** [Todd Vostry](#)  
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3677 N County Rd 50 E  
Frankfort, IN 46041

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Tom Meyer  
2721 N County Rd 875 E  
Poland, IN 47868

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Terre Haute, IN 47803

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No. No. No. No. I'm sick and tired of all these requests for rate increases. Take the money out of the CEO pay. Do you think my SS will go up \$19 a month to cover this? No. I keep turning my thermostat down and even shutting off my water heater for days at a time, and yet my bills keep increasing. So No. No. No.

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Respectfully,  
Valerie Merriam  
2538 S Buttonwood Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Valerie Tromble](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Valerie Tromble - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Valerie Tromble  
1174 Price Rd  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Vickie Fischer](#)  
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Vickie Fischer  
2298 s 413 w Russiaville In  
Russiaville, IN 46979



**From:** [Waldine Brill](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Waldine Brill  
210 S Callahan St  
Lyons, IN 47443

**From:** [Amy Jackson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Amy Jackson - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Amy Jackson  
236 E Wood Ave  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Angeline Chrisman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Angeline Chrisman - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Angeline Chrisman  
155 Chestnut St  
Dana, IN 47847

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dana, IN 47847

**From:** [Anita Terrell](#)  
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900 N College Ave  
Salem, IN 47167

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Regards,  
Barbara Noble  
110 N Wagon Rd  
Bargersville, IN 46106

**From:** [Barry Huff](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Barry Huff - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Barry Huff  
7030 Black Chapel Rd SE  
Elizabeth, IN 47117



**From:** [Ben Gillum](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ben Gillum - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Ben Gillum  
8129 N 600 W  
Fountaintown, IN 46130

**From:** [Beverly Schulz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Beverly Schulz - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Beverly Schulz  
3200 Ragains Rd NE  
New Salisbury, IN 47161

**From:** [Bob Cook](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Bob Cook - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Bob Cook  
630 N 600 W  
Greenfield, IN 46140

**From:** [Bobbie Robinette](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Bobbie Robinette - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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16139 County Rd 500 E  
Elnora, IN 47529

**From:** [Bonnie Tate](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Bonnie Tate - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Bonnie Tate  
609 Queens Ln  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Carla lott](#)  
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Carla lott  
215 Linwood Ln  
Wabash, IN 46992

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Carol Thomas  
727 Jason Ln  
Noblesville, IN 46062



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Carolyn Wiley  
15252 Fallen Leaves Ln  
IN 46860

**From:** [Catherine Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Catherine Clark  
385 Cook Ave  
Danville, IN 46122

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Regards,  
Cecilia Crawford  
208 S Spring St  
Princeton, IN 47670

**From:** [Chris Ward](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Chris Ward  
312 Terre Vista Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Christine McDaniel](#)  
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108 Gale Rd  
Danville, IN 46122

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13830 Ellsworth Ln  
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1545 Thunderbird Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cindy Yocum  
65 S 21st St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803



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307 Hickory Hill Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cristobal Rentas  
441 Illinois St  
Fortville, IN 46040

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Curry Debra  
1040 Nebeker St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Cynthia Russell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1215 W Sycamore St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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3520 W Festive Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47403

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325 Country Estates Dr  
Mitchell, IN 47446

**From:** [Darrel John](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Darrel John  
4756 Summerset Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47803



**From:** [Darrell Poer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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9003 Emerald Ct  
Nashville, IN 47448

**From:** [Deborah Bump](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Deborah Bump  
129 Autumn Oaks Blvd  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Deborah Wolfe](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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521 W Terry Ln Apt D  
Bloomington, IN 47404

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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439 N 3rd St  
Scottsburg, IN 47170

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15877 Kohut Ln  
Westfield, IN 46074

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907 Rainbow Ct  
Lafayette, IN 47904

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2632 Forest Dr  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2374 W Dugger Ave  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885



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13918 US-231  
Loogootee, IN 47553

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2018 N 26th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

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403 S Gladstone Ave  
Columbus, IN 47201

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Thank you,  
fred wainscott  
59 W Brookville Rd  
Fountaintown, IN 46130

**From:** [Gary Huff](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Please do everything you can to stand up for Hoosiers and REJECT Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Respectfully,  
Gary Huff  
3102 Curry Ln  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Ginni Jones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Ginni Jones  
7803 Dawson Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [Glen Ritz](#)  
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Glen Ritz  
2041 E Benjamin St  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Gloria Jordan](#)  
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Gloria Jordan  
2316 N 20th St  
Lafayette, IN 47904



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2669 E Cross Rd  
Madison, IN 47250

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501 Hart St Apt 402  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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Herbert Spurrier  
10903 Golden Harvest Wy  
Indianapolis, IN 46229

**From:** [Jackie Hendrixson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jackie Hendrixson  
2180 Cottage Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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3236 N 11th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

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Plainfield, IN 46168

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1510 Ellwanger Ave  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130



**From:** [Jane Weisman](#)  
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10237 Ruckle St  
Indianapolis, IN 46280

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Janus cook  
630 N 600 W  
Greenfield, IN 46140

**From:** [Jason Ward](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jason Ward - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1461 Valdosta Ct  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Jean Straber](#)  
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107 Brook Dr  
Batesville, IN 47006

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Jeremy cross  
408 s washin  
IN 47958

**From:** [Jo James](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Jo James  
764 NE Main St  
Paoli, IN 47454

**From:** [Joe Hession](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Joe Hession - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Joe Hession  
4943 St Charles Pl  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [John Burton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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John Burton  
3944 W Geranium Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47404



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2511 N 1550 W  
Deputy, IN 47230

**From:** [Joseph Browning](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Joseph Browning  
4515 N 18th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [KaAnn Lord](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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KaAnn Lord  
8817 IN-218  
Walton, IN 46994

**From:** [Kara cradic](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Kara cradic  
4526 N Frontage Rd  
Fairland, IN 46126

**From:** [Karen Darnell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Karen Darnell  
323 W 126th Ave  
Crown Point, IN 46307

**From:** [Karen Harris](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Karen Harris - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Karen Harris  
2543 Garfield Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Katherine Ward](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Katherine Ward - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Katherine Ward  
3000 S Walnut Street Pike  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Kathleen spears](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathleen spears - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Kathleen spears  
104 Poplar Grove Dr  
Avon, IN 46123



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kathy martin  
618 Dubois St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Katrina Bass](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Katrina Bass  
3023 Northern Falcon Ridge Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Kermit Stewart](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kermit Stewart - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Kermit Stewart  
604 Kristie Ave  
New Pekin, IN 47165

**From:** [Kevin Gabriel](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kevin Gabriel  
7444 N Haywood Farms Rd  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Kimberly Puente](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kimberly Puente  
635 E Main St Apt 221  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Larry Neff](#)  
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Larry Neff  
9494 E Fort Harrison Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Laura Conrad](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Laura Conrad - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Laura Conrad  
1834 S Rolling Hills Dr  
French Lick, IN 47432

**From:** [Les Mitchell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Les Mitchell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Les Mitchell  
9291 Spring Mill Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46260



**From:** [Linda Barnett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Barnett - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Linda Barnett  
489 S Jefferson St  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Linda Emerson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Linda Emerson  
1114 O St  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Linda Warner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Warner - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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5811 N Pennsylvania St  
Indianapolis, IN 46220

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lisa Boring - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Lisa Boring  
1921 Versailles Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Luana Kajzer - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Luana Kajzer  
13442 Mosaic St  
Fishers, IN 46037

**From:** [Luther Seale](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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699 E Alquina Rd  
Connersville, IN 47331

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Lydia Schmitz  
425 Romig St Apt 6  
Lafayette, IN 47901

**From:** [Margie Hendrixson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Margie Hendrixson  
4750 N Lenzy Wy  
Bloomington, IN 47404



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Marilyn Wnters  
102 Ridgeland Rd  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [Mark Sallee](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mark Sallee  
981 Trinton Cir  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [MARSHA PROBST](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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MARSHA PROBST  
316 S Rangeline Rd  
Carmel, IN 46032

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4077 W Pine Ct  
Hanover, IN 47243

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689 E Main St  
Whiteland, IN 46184

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mary Kuntz  
2750 W County Rd 300 N  
North Vernon, IN 47265

**From:** [Mary Sheets](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mary Sheets - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Mary Sheets  
1215 S 8th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Matthew Reed](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Matthew Reed - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Matthew Reed  
209 North Adams Street  
Staunton, IN 47881



**From:** [MEGHAN SHOWECKER](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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MEGHAN SHOWECKER  
1200 Burberry Ct Apt 118  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3031 Traditions Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [MICHAEL DELORY](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** MICHAEL DELORY - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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MICHAEL DELORY  
911 Carriage House Ct  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Vincennes, IN 47591

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1936 2nd St  
Merom, IN 47861

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Misty Tuttle  
1221 W 1100 N  
Fountaintown, IN 46130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Monty Siefker - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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7645 N County Rd 875 E  
Seymour, IN 47274

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Nancy PAUL  
515 Redbud Ln  
New Castle, IN 47362



**From:** [Nancy Wright](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nancy Wright - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Nancy Wright  
11725 Lenox Ln  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Pamela Robinson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Pamela Robinson  
3180 W Commerce St  
Vallonia, IN 47281

**From:** [Paola Richardson](#)  
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Paola Richardson  
4615 Peebleshire Ln  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [Patricia Fleck](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Patricia Fleck - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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2629 Milmar Ct  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Patrick Fitzgerald](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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123 Meridian St  
Worthington, IN 47471

**From:** [Patsy Faris](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Patsy Faris - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Patsy Faris  
8417 S Co Rd 60 SW  
Westport, IN 47283

**From:** [paula brian](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** paula brian - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
paula brian  
230 Bartlett Dr  
Mitchell, IN 47446

**From:** [Rebecca Law](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Rebecca Law  
813 Montclair St  
Madison, IN 47250



**From:** [richard olvera](#)  
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richard olvera  
2597 IN-42  
Brazil, IN 47834

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Thank you,  
Rick Phillips  
11551 N Atherton St  
Rosedale, IN 47874

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Rosedale, IN 47874

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Robbie Bex  
104 N Sale St  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

**From:** [Robert Allen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert Allen - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Robert Allen  
9769 Lick Creek Rd  
Morgantown, IN 46160

**From:** [Robert Holt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert Holt - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Robert Holt  
69 Orchard Ln  
Floyds Knobs, IN 47119

**From:** [Robert Matlock](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert Matlock - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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903 Armory Rd  
Delphi, IN 46923

**From:** [Robert Sanders](#)  
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5481 W 100 N  
Kokomo, IN 46901



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4337 Green Valley Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

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Lebanon, IN 46052

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8315 US-150  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Roseann Goatee](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1441 S 11th 1/2 St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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Thank you,  
Roy Smith  
2708 Delaware St  
Anderson, IN 46016

**From:** [Ruby Tice-Moles](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ruby Tice-Moles - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Ruby Tice-Moles  
1588 W Fountain City Pike  
Fountain City, IN 47341

**From:** [Ruth Pugh](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ruth Pugh  
9651 450 W  
Rosedale, IN 47874

**From:** [Ryan Pettit](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ryan Pettit  
302 E Washington St  
Attica, IN 47918



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2020 W 1100 S  
Milroy, IN 46156

**From:** [Sandy Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sandy Clark  
312 S Main St  
Greens Fork, IN 47345

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4407 N Bolton Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46226

**From:** [Scott Jones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Scott Jones  
160 S Hinman St  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Shane Hammond](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Shane Hammond  
1201 Three Mile Rd  
Batesville, IN 47006

**From:** [Sheila Battle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sheila Battle - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Sherrell Rigney  
10652 E 650 N  
Wilkinson, IN 46186

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sondra Simpson  
618 Poplar St  
Clinton, IN 47842



**From:** [Sonja White](#)  
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Sonja White  
6550 Stanley Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46113

**From:** [Stephen Goers](#)  
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6349 Ford Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038

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T White  
1290 S 1050 E  
Oakland City, IN 47660

**From:** [Tama Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tama Clark - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Tama Clark  
2240 N Hartstrait Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Taylor Jefferson](#)  
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Regards,  
Taylor Jefferson  
267 Peachtree Ln Apt E  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Teresa VerMaas](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Teresa VerMaas - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Teresa VerMaas  
3645 E Market St  
Star City, IN 46985

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Thomas Devlin  
211 S 5th St  
Decker, IN 47524

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Tina Hamilton  
1119 N 8th St  
Lafayette, IN 47904



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2970 County Rd 875 N  
Batesville, IN 47006

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1904 Ohio Blvd  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1810 Graybrook Ln  
New Albany, IN 47150

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7118 E Cass Main St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

**From:** [William Murphy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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William Murphy  
7835 Tufton St  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [Yvonne Taylor](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Yvonne Taylor  
99 E US Highway 150  
Hardinsburg, IN 47125

**From:** [Zachary Dietz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Zachary Dietz - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Thursday, May 1, 2025 7:10:33 AM

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Thank you,  
Zachary Dietz  
18016 Cuning Dr  
Carmel, IN 46074

**From:** [Amanda Eldridge](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Amanda Eldridge - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Amanda Eldridge  
309 Tippecanoe St  
Battle Ground, IN 47920



**From:** [Amy durand](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Amy durand - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Amy durand  
5211 Avian Way  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Anna Petty](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Anna Petty  
3877 N Stierwalt Rd  
IN 46121

**From:** [Arianna grazzianni](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Arianna Grazzianni - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Arianna grazzianni  
1 Bennett Rd  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Barbara McKinney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Barbara McKinney - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Barbara McKinney  
522 W 3rd St  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Beth Trzcinski](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Beth Trzcinski - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Beth Trzcinski  
8416 Providence Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [Beverly Myers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Beverly Myers - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Beverly Myers  
1930 Deer Pass  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Billie Jones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Billie Jones  
419 W Kruzan St  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [brenda Mount](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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brenda Mount  
2300 Dillman Rd  
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**From:** [Brian Russell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Brian Russell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Brian Russell  
6510 US 31 S Apt 13 # Banta  
Indianapolis, IN 46227

**From:** [Candy Shoemaker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Candy Shoemaker - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1408 Pontiac Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Carolyn Pollitt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Carolyn Pollitt  
714 Beech St  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Cathy Brock](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cathy Brock - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Cathy Brock  
5452 N 1500 W  
Jasonville, IN 47438

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cecelia Wisdom - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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2333 Lafayette Rd Apt 405  
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Charlotte Raye  
423 S Oak St  
Fortville, IN 46040

**From:** [Cheryl Parker](#)  
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Cheryl Parker  
1322 Stafford Rd  
Plainfield, IN 46168



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13172 E Chapel Rd  
Solsberry, IN 47459

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Christin Nevins  
11120 Long Lake Ln  
Fishers, IN 46037

**From:** [Christopher Lehman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1582 Mona Vista Ct  
New Albany, IN 47150

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7096 W 700 N  
Fairland, IN 46126

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Regards,  
cindy zak  
163 W 550 N  
Valparaiso, IN 46385

**From:** [Claudia haaning](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Claudia haaning - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Claudia haaning  
18171 Pennsy Way  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Clifford Henry](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Clifford Henry  
2268 S Oakdale Dr.  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Cobie Ball](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cobie Ball  
4014 S State Road 446  
Bloomington, IN 47401



**From:** [Colleen Alexander](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Colleen Alexander  
177 Conwell St  
Aurora, IN 47001

**From:** [Cynthia Elias](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cynthia Elias  
2322 Cailynn Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Cynthia McCarthy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cynthia McCarthy  
1241 Blackthorne Trail  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Cynthia Ramirez](#)  
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Regards,  
Cynthia Ramirez  
260 Mill Run Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cynthia Shone  
15025 Spayside Dr N  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Dale Gentry](#)  
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Dale Gentry  
738 5th St  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

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Dale Sears  
6736 Glacier Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46217

**From:** [Daniel Derrow](#)  
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Daniel Derrow  
9731 Private Rd 310 W  
Brazil, IN 47834



**From:** [Dave Thomas](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dave Thomas  
1902 Hunters Trace  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [David Dyson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** David Dyson - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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David Dyson  
6533 IN-19  
Denver, IN 46926

**From:** [David Quinn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** David Quinn - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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David Quinn  
719 Kent Ave  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [Dawn Dotterweich](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Dawn Dotterweich  
3593 N Dog Creek Rd  
English, IN 47118

**From:** [Deborah Wilson](#)  
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6810 S County Rd 650 W  
Reelsville, IN 46171

**From:** [Diana Taylor](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Diana Taylor  
6133 N Shelly Dr  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1232 Hickory Hill Rd  
Seymour, IN 47274

**From:** [Donald lamb](#)  
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Donald lamb  
8996 W State Road 256  
Lexington, IN 47138



**From:** [donna brier](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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449 Ave 7  
Attica, IN 47918

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1605 N Locke St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Elaine Edwsrds](#)  
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Elaine Edwsrds  
6625 Scottsville Navilleton Rd  
Floyds Knobs, IN 47119

**From:** [Elizabeth Gwynn](#)  
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Bloomington, IN 47401

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Eugenia Johnson  
913 Pontiac St  
Rochester, IN 46975

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Fred Edwards  
319 N Indiana St  
Mooresville, IN 46158

**From:** [Gayle Ebel](#)  
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1703 S Olive St  
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**From:** [Gloria Sitzes](#)  
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2323 W King St  
Kokomo, IN 46901



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6032 W 100 N  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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Harold Goodman  
304 Eastwood Dr  
Bedford, IN 47421

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heather swinney  
1606 Hedden Park  
New Albany, IN 47150

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Jack Dusan  
609 Ridge Ave  
Rising Sun, IN 47040

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James Beaver  
920 Elm Dr  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

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802 S California St  
Sheridan, IN 46069

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Kokomo, IN 46902

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Respectfully,  
James Shacklett  
325 S Huffman St  
Jasonville, IN 47438

**From:** [Jeffery Butwin](#)  
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2412 N Baker St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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Respectfully,  
Jeri Khajeh-Noori  
622 S 11th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Jerman Elizabeth](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Jerman Elizabeth  
11210 Garrick St  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [jerry demaree](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
jerry demaree  
9860 N County Rd 200 W  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Jim Persinger](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jim Persinger - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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10773 S 875 W  
Covington, IN 47932

**From:** [Jo Heaston](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jo Heaston  
2017 S 14th St  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [John Lacy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
John Lacy  
1790 Sunrise St  
Martinsville, IN 46151



**From:** [John Szumowski](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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John Szumowski  
2357 S Brandon Ct  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Joseph Hernandez](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Joseph Hernandez  
6349 Red Delicious Ln  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Judith Stroud](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Judith Stroud  
12410 950 E  
Galveston, IN 46932

**From:** [Judy Land](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Judy Land - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Judy Land  
2915 Bayberry Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Julia Bebeau](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Julia Bebeau  
1112 E Buckingham E St  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Karen Harris](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Karen Harris  
2543 Garfield Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [KarrieLynne O'Marrah](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
KarrieLynne O'Marrah  
500 W County Rd 340 S  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Kathryn DeYoung](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kathryn DeYoung  
9050 Stone Trce Blvd  
Avon, IN 46123



**From:** [Kenneth Kish](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kenneth Kish  
203 Cheshire Ln  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [Kenton Barlow](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kenton Barlow  
1600 W 10th St  
Muncie, IN 47302

**From:** [Kevin John](#)  
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56 N Soules St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Kim Piazza](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kim Piazza  
7251 E Devonald Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Kresha Hicks](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kresha Hicks  
821 Conwell St  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Larry Jacobs](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Larry Jacobs  
2400 S 18th St  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [Laura Parker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Laura Parker - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Laura Parker  
2016 N 10th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Lawrence Conway](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2736 Henderson St  
West Lafayette, IN 47906



**From:** [LeRoy Morton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5799 E 200 S  
Crawfordsville, IN 47933

**From:** [Linda davis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda davis - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Linda davis  
559 Carolyn St  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Linda Holman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3214 Orleans Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Linda Martin](#)  
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2307 W Murden St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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110 Windmill Ct  
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3604 IN-341  
Hillsboro, IN 47949

**From:** [lorie wirebaugh](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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lorie wirebaugh  
3612 Senior Pl  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [Lou Easton](#)  
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2209 S Sweetbriar Cir  
Bloomington, IN 47401



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I want to lend my voice to all of the folks who are already financially tapped out, due to the rising costs of living. I believe there could be a third alternative to Duke's plan to convert and modernize their power generating facilities, which would include spending within their means and purchasing power from partner generators, during peak demand periods.

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Lynn Taylor  
3843 E Anderson Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [Marcia Daehler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Marcia Daehler - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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401 Rabbit Run Rd  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [Mark Cripe](#)  
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Regards,  
Mark Cripe  
3320 N Charlais Cir  
Delphi, IN 46923

**From:** [Mark Hallett](#)  
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6430 E State Rd 45  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [Markus Coonce](#)  
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Markus Coonce  
12778 IN-71  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Mary Ferrin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mary Ferrin - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Mary Ferrin  
7137 Willow Pond Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Mary Hartbarger  
3420 Southwest Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46241

**From:** [Massiel Gamino](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Massiel Gamino  
12 Central Greens Blvd  
Indianapolis, IN 46222



**From:** [Mattie Vest](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mattie Vest - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Mattie Vest  
296 N Mill St  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Maureen Staicer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Maureen Staicer  
516 E 3rd St  
Madison, IN 47250

**From:** [Michael Butler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michael Butler - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1406 Nina Rd  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Michael Justice](#)  
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1234 S Main St  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Michael Shanks](#)  
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707 S Market St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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Michele Heck  
635 S 11th St  
New Castle, IN 47362

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Michele McKinley  
919 Romine Rd  
Anderson, IN 46011

**From:** [Mike Miller](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Mike Miller  
1205 Willow Way  
Noblesville, IN 46062



**From:** [Mike Thomas](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mike Thomas - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Mike Thomas  
1723 Culbertson Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Misti Carmina](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Misti Carmina  
5250 Berkshire North Blvd  
Greenwood, IN 46142

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1274 Smokey Row Ln  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Nancy Cones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Nancy Cones  
616 Colonial Way  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Nancy Seal](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Nancy Seal  
2737 E Brigs Bend  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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10734 Lexington Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46280

**From:** [Pamela Hadden](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Pamela Hadden  
313 W 5th St  
Madison, IN 47250

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pamela Hoover - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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106 E 3rd St  
North Manchester, IN 46962



**From:** [Pat Long](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Pat Long  
390 W Oak St  
Zionsville, IN 46077

**From:** [Pat Schultz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Pat Schultz  
201 N Wildwood Dr  
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10319 Holaday Dr W  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [patrick russell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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patrick russell  
5209 E 16th St  
Indianapolis, IN 46218

**From:** [Paul Sweets](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Paul Sweets  
5421 Maclaine Ln  
Evansville, IN 47715

**From:** [Paula Greenwalt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Paula Greenwalt  
1074 Fairlane Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Phil Ludlow](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Phil Ludlow - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Phil Ludlow  
5419 E County Rd 750 N  
Pittsboro, IN 46167

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Phyllis Keene - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Phyllis Keene  
238 Shady Nook  
Hanover, IN 47243



**From:** [kathleen.hogan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
kathleen hogan  
1015 Brunes Blvd  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Preston Smedley  
201 E Westminster Dr  
Salem, IN 47167

**From:** [Randy Farris](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Randy Farris  
670 Stone Ln  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Randy Farris](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**From:** [Rebecca Dowen](#)  
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Rebecca Dowen  
8431 Andorra Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [Richard Bittner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Richard Bittner  
260 17th St  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Richard Gawthrop](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Richard Gawthrop - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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348 E King St  
Franklin, IN 46131

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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175 Justin Dr  
Mooresville, IN 46158



**From:** [Rick Marshall](#)  
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Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Rita Greenlee](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rita Greenlee - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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310 Baffin Rd  
Galveston, IN 46932

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7446 State Hwy 7  
Madison, IN 47250

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1718 S 27th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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1921 Silver St  
New Albany, IN 47150

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Rosie Dunasky  
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New Albany, IN 47150

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259 Fulkerson Dr Apt A  
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3679 900 E  
Greentown, IN 46936

**From:** [Sharon Laughlin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sharon Laughlin  
503 N Meridian St  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4324 N Miami Gardens St  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Stefan Wassick](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Stefan Wassick  
1090 W County Rd 115 S  
North Vernon, IN 47265

**From:** [Stephanie Yochum](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Stephanie Yochum  
216 B Dale Haven Dr  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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119 E Pearl St  
Lebanon, IN 46052



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309 W Donaldson St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

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2670 Jordan Rd  
Martinsville, IN 46151

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1010 S 21st St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Susan Lockwood](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Susan Lockwood - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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5520 W 300 S  
New Palestine, IN 46163

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9935 Spring Creek Ct  
Avon, IN 46123

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1502 Kyndal Ct Unit D  
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Thank you,  
Suzanne Scheidler  
1091 Latonia Ln  
Indianapolis, IN 46280

**From:** [Suzanne Scheidler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Suzanne Scheidler - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Teresa Voelz  
5155 N Lincoln Village Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Terry Castor](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Terry Castor - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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3099 W County Rd 1000 N  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Terry Peterson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Terry Peterson  
947 E North St  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [THOMAS HUDSON](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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THOMAS HUDSON  
117 W Ohio St  
Fortville, IN 46040

**From:** [Trudy Buckley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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708 Winter Way  
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**From:** [Vicky Blackwell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Vicky Blackwell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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5377 Lipizzan Ln  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [William McLain](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1606 Dewey St  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Andrea Sanders](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Andrea Sanders  
7739 W State Rd 54  
Springville, IN 47462



**From:** [Barb Bluebaum](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Barb Bluebaum - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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1933 Hickory Dr  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Barbara Savard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Barbara Savard - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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214 E High St  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [Barbara VanSickle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Barbara VanSickle  
6856 N Parks Dr  
Arlington, IN 46104

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Regards,  
Bobby Allsup  
2321 S 10th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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BOBBY KILLEBREW  
90 E Eastern Park Blvd Lot 30  
Pekin, IN 47165

**From:** [Brenda Barrett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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500 E 8th St  
Clay City, IN 47841

**From:** [Brenda Masters](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Brenda Masters  
205 W 225 N  
Princeton, IN 47670

**From:** [Brent Drake](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Brent Drake  
1231 Hickory Ln  
Shelbyville, IN 46176



**From:** [Brian Anderson](#)  
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976 Vinegar Hill Rd  
Bedford, IN 47421

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Brian Mahaney  
1521 Rice Rd  
Centerville, IN 47330

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Brian Powers  
5714 N Finks Rd  
Osgood, IN 47037

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Brigit Green - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Brigit Green  
11468 Senie Ln  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Bruce Girkin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Bruce Girkin  
52 Trail Breeze Ct  
Washington, IN 47501

**From:** [carol miller](#)  
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carol miller  
195 Elm St  
Rosedale, IN 47874

**From:** [Carol Phillips](#)  
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Carol Phillips  
275 S Murphy St  
Marengo, IN 47140

**From:** [Carrie Savage-Zimmerman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Carrie Savage-Zimmerman  
237 W Westfield Blvd  
Indianapolis, IN 46208



**From:** [Cetta Davis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Indianapolis, IN 46260

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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charles Cottom  
1918 E Lexington Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Charles King  
2367 Yeager Rd  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cheryl Nichols  
2714 Farrington St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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109 Ravine St  
Lafayette, IN 47905

**From:** [Christine Ebanks](#)  
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Christine Ebanks  
527 S Hancock St  
French Lick, IN 47432

**From:** [Christine Traylor](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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630 S 9th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Christopher Hall](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Christopher Hall  
3206 W Brook Dr  
Muncie, IN 47304



**From:** [Cindy Thompson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Cindy Thompson  
1545 Thunderbird Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Connie Clingaman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Connie Clingaman  
3087 E 700 N  
Windfall, IN 46076

**From:** [Dallas Hubble](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Dallas Hubble  
114 Green Acre Dr  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

**From:** [Danny Brown](#)  
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Danny Brown  
20473 Quicksilver Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Darrell Meisberger](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Darrell Meisberger - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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403 S Walnut St  
Rising Sun, IN 47040

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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18847 Moontown Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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207 W Montgomery Ave  
Clarksville, IN 47129



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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David White  
4525 N 13th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dawn Green  
630 W Utica St  
Sellersburg, IN 47172

**From:** [Dawn Hillebrand](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dawn Hillebrand  
821 N Perkins St  
Rushville, IN 46173

**From:** [Debbie Blackburn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Debbie Blackburn - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Debbie Blackburn  
316 N Leavitt St  
Brazil, IN 47834

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Debby Bailey - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Brazil, IN 47834

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Debra steele  
3090 N Morton St  
Franklin, IN 46131

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Diana Law  
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Donna Loudermilk  
223 Old Farm Rd  
Danville, IN 46122

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Franklin, IN 46131

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I don't know about you but they just gave duke a \$395 million that I didn't want to pay for ! A week later they filed for 3.3 billion more !!! Did you know that duke is worth \$77.77 billion ! If you could actually make your voice heard would you ? I would like to know ? It's not too late. ! \$395 millon raised your bill \$20 Just Think what \$3.3 billion is gonna raise it ?

This is what I saw at Your Meeting that was held at IV Tec Terre Haute !! Not one rebuttal from Vigo & Vermilion County's ??? It was not publicised no one knew about this meeting as you can tell ! I think you should have Another One in TH & Make it known ! This was a fraud meeting ! Travesty Of Justice. I am a Concerned Citizen !!!! Donald Bohannon. People have a right to know & express their opinion ! 15 people do not make up 2 countys ! I bet 94% people are against this !!!! If you have conscience in a heart you should vote no I vote no

**From:** [Eliot Smith](#)  
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3680 E Tamarron Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47408

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10568 Courageous Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46236

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3249 Pumpkin Ridge Rd  
Cloverdale, IN 46120

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3320 Flintwood Dr  
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Gail Parish  
1233 Ridgeway Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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Thank you,  
Ginger Heaton

7310 Thornmill Ct  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Gregory Nixon](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Gregory Nixon  
609 W Emerson St  
Princeton, IN 47670

**From:** [Harold Phillippe](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Harold Phillippe  
703 N 12th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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Respectfully,  
Henrietta here  
543 Fenwick Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jaince Farrell  
7205 N 32nd St Apt 3  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

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James Childs  
16841 Palmetto Way  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [James Funke](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3135 W County Rd 150 N  
North Vernon, IN 47265

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3100 Evergreen Cir  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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**Subject:** Jan Graves - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Jan Graves  
303 Glenbrook Dr  
Seymour, IN 47274

**From:** [Jana Stacy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jana Stacy  
2412 Stover Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Jane Schipp](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jane Schipp - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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PO Box 119  
Santa Claus, IN 47579

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18544 Promise Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46060



**From:** [Janet Demyan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1212 Redwood Ct  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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103 S Bohannon Ln  
New Albany, IN 47150

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702 Central Ave  
Batesville, IN 47006

**From:** [Jennifer Browne](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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460 S Court St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Jennifer Green  
2055 E Railroad St  
Attica, IN 47918

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Respectfully,  
Jerry Dexter  
3012 Jamestown Cir  
Lafayette, IN 47909

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Jerry England  
404 Lemmon St  
Corydon, IN 47112

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Respectfully,  
Jerry Van Duyn  
6311 Ridgeview Dr  
Anderson, IN 46013



**From:** [Jill Hendricks](#)  
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Regards,  
Jill Hendricks  
5924 N Ajuga Ct  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

**From:** [Joe Dubberly](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Joe Dubberly  
1515 Northaven Ct  
Jeff, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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John Bennett  
513 S Bethany Rd  
Crothersville, IN 47229

**From:** [Joseph Hedge](#)  
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Joseph Hedge  
15520 Rocket Plant Rd  
Charlestown, IN 47111

**From:** [Julia Dick](#)  
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Julia Dick  
1619 W Superior St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Julie Frazier](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Julie Frazier  
1175 Southbridge Dr Apt 20  
Greenwood, IN 46142

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Karen Fisher  
3620 E Carol Ave  
North Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Katherine Atkinson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Katherine Atkinson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Katherine Atkinson  
442 Green Rd  
Madison, IN 47250



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Kathy Summers  
1010 Harbrook Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Kay Elkins](#)  
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Regards,  
Kay Elkins  
4251 IN-46  
Nashville, IN 47448

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kaye Rish - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Kaye Rish  
123 W Coal St  
Bicknell, IN 47512

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3771 Sycamore Bend Way N  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Kelly Mulvany](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kelly Mulvany - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Kelly Mulvany  
15263 Beam St  
Noblesville, IN 46060

**From:** [Kelly Truex](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Kelly Truex  
502 Illinois St  
Arcadia, IN 46030

**From:** [Kimberly Reeves](#)  
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1922 Caldwell Pl  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Larry Cordray](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Larry Cordray  
4940 E Daisy Ln  
Mooresville, IN 46158



**From:** [Leticia Fiddler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Leticia Fiddler  
5740 Yuma Rd  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [linda hoover](#)  
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Regards,  
linda hoover  
537 Port Dr  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Linda Stegall-Lloyd](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Linda Stegall-Lloyd  
5232 Penway St  
Indianapolis, IN 46224

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5604 Hammon Dr  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

**From:** [Lisa Brewer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lisa Brewer - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Lisa Brewer  
1309 Mill Ln  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Lynn Howell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Lynn Howell  
3423 S Parkside Dr  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Marcia Burnett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Marcia Burnett - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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2816 N Waugh St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Marge Hendricks  
1350 Holiday Ln W  
Brownsburg, IN 46112



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Thank you,  
Marilyn Messina  
1418 Martin St  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Martha Glenn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Martha Glenn - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Martha Glenn  
512 W 2nd St  
Bicknell, IN 47512

**From:** [Martha Mayes](#)  
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Martha Mayes  
2310 Duke St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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**Subject:** Marvin Cunningham - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Marvin Cunningham  
907 W Curtis St  
Cayuga, IN 47928

**From:** [Mary Martz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Mary Martz  
3823 E Boltinghouse Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [mary mikesell](#)  
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Regards,  
mary mikesell  
202 Olive St  
Arcadia, IN 46030

**From:** [Mary Royer](#)  
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Regards,  
Mary Royer  
4402 N 14th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Matthew Chapin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Matthew Chapin  
213 N 1st St  
Leavenworth, IN 47137



**From:** [Melanie Keller](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Melanie Keller  
7962 N County Rd 150 W  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Micah McVicker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Micah McVicker - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Micah McVicker  
1119 Allison Ave

Speedway, IN 46224

**From:** [Michael Davis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michael Davis - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Michael Davis  
4850 E Brentwood Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

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Michael Feighner  
2649 E 200 N  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Michael Leigh](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michael Leigh - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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11118 Napa Valley Ln  
Fishers, IN 46037

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11355 Sawmill Rd  
Elberfeld, IN 47613



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Mike Tinsley  
370 Concord Way  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Mikiel Hull](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mikiel Hull  
101 S Franklin St # APT402  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Monica Cannaley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Monica Cannaley - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Monica Cannaley  
3907 Elkhorn Wy  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Nancy Rivera](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Nancy Rivera  
205 Whitsett Way  
Charlestown, IN 47111

**From:** [Nancy Rounds](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nancy Rounds - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Nancy Rounds  
3609 Camelot Ln  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Nicholas Bonnet](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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14933 Bridlewood Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

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Nick McCammon  
3716 W Maple Leaf Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Pamela Kidd](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Pamela Kidd  
829 Cherry Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130



**From:** [Patricia Wagner](#)  
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Everyone has to get by with less these days and Duke needs to also.

Respectfully,  
Patricia Wagner  
6020 Doverton Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Patsyanne Theising](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Patsyanne Theising  
2130 Lombardy Dr Apt 225  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Paul Dillon](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Paul Dillon  
78 E N 3rd St  
IN 47837

**From:** [Rebecca Velazquez](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rebecca Velazquez - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Rebecca Velazquez  
1294 N Winchester Dr  
Greenfield, IN 46140

**From:** [Regina Watson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regina Watson  
2324 Morris Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46217

**From:** [Rex Lott](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Rex Lott  
9230 Princeton Cir  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Richard Clayton  
12349 E 191st St  
Noblesville, IN 46060

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7839 County Rd 100 E  
Pendleton, IN 46064



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104 N Sale St  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

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Robert belles  
1410 N Michigan Rd  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Robert Bray](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Robert Bray  
400 N Main St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Roberta Nahas - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Roberta Nahas  
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Bloomington, IN 47401

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Cc:**  
**Bcc:**  
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Respectfully,  
Robin Ellison  
98 Merideth Pl  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Robin Terrell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Robin Terrell  
1281 Sabrina Way  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Ronald Mack](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ronald Mack - Duke Energy request to build gas generators at the Cayuga Station  
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To whom it may concern:

I am writing both as an elected official and a lifelong resident of Vermillion County. Since coming to Vermillion County beginning with construction in the 1960's, Duke (formerly Public Service Indiana) has been a blessing to Vermillion County providing many high paying jobs, a great retirement provider for many of our residents, and a substantial contributor to our property tax income for the county. If this plant can be saved, along with all the benefits it has for Vermillion County, there should be no reason to obstruct the gas fired project going forward.

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I understand a new rate went into effect - that was for infrastructure - very, very outdated and unprotected infrastructure that needed to be secured for the safety of our country. The rate increase for the investment and amount of energy produced will be minimal - at this point in time : expected to be less than two dollars a month (\$2.00 per 1 month!).

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Please approve the project.

Ronald A. Mack  
Vermillion County Surveyor  
Vermillion County Courthouse - Rm. 206  
P.O. Box 280  
225 Main Street  
Newport, IN 47966  
Ph: 765-492-5366  
Email: [ronald.mack@vermillioncounty.in.gov](mailto:ronald.mack@vermillioncounty.in.gov)



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*An environment where disagreement is not allowed is focused on control - not growth!*

*Thomas Payne -*

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Rosemary Stingley  
PO Box 255  
Stockwell, IN 47983

**From:** [Ruth Croda](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ruth Croda - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Ruth Croda  
7282 Hawksbury Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ruthie Wampler  
1553 Oak Hill Dr  
Madison, IN 47250

**From:** [Samantha Ostler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Samantha Ostler - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Samantha Ostler  
2004 St Louis Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Sandra McClain](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sandra McClain  
973 W Miller Ave  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Sarah Herron](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sarah westerfeld  
1609 N Cornell Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46202

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Scott Terry  
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North Vernon, IN 47265



**From:** [Shelly Modesitt](#)  
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Shelly Modesitt  
4421 S 9th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Shirley Megnin](#)  
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2742 E Buttonwood Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Sonya Foster](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sonya Foster  
632 8th St  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
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380 Lockerbie Ln  
Pittsboro, IN 46167

**From:** [Stefanie Roberson](#)  
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Stefanie Roberson  
320 N 1st St  
Edwardsport, IN 47528

**From:** [Stephanie Maggos](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Stephanie Maggos  
13311 Susser Way  
Fishers, IN 46037

**From:** [Susan Ellis](#)  
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Regards,  
Susan Ellis  
1311 Stafford Rd  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Susan Graham](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Susan Graham  
6001 Benchmark III Dr  
Floyds Knobs, IN 47119



**From:** [Teresa Creel](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Teresa Creel  
1503 IN-44  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Teresa Woodard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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When you live on a fixed income like disability, every penny counts. My rent went up \$100 more this year and that made things even harder. There is no help for gas to get to all my Drs appointments, so Duke raising their costs will also cut into that.

Regards,  
Teresa Woodard  
220 N Railroad St  
Austin, IN 47102

**From:** [Terry Dorsett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Terry Dorsett - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Terry Dorsett  
315 Doe Creek Dr  
Cloverdale, IN 46120

**From:** [Terry Frerman](#)  
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Regards,  
Terry Frerman  
1506 Milton Ct  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Terry Lynn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Terry Lynn  
1009 W Temperance St  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

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Thomas Porter  
1531 Briarwood Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Tonya Drew](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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On top of everything said above, some of us cannot afford to pay any more than we already are.

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Respectfully,  
Tonya Drew  
5730 E 500 S  
Waldron, IN 46182

**From:** [Tracy Edmonson](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Tracy Edmonson  
8277 N County Road 300 W  
Brazil, IN 47834



**From:** [Tracy Gaskill](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Tracy Gaskill  
3448 Sheridan Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Travis Evans](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Connersville, IN 47331

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Trish Ward  
4481 S 900 E  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Victoria Hilkevitch](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1701 Circle Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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1701 Circle Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Victoria Jackson](#)  
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Victoria Jackson  
2510 S Rockport Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [When Schatzman](#)  
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When Schatzman  
1324 S Buckeye St  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [William Kendall](#)  
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2171 Willow Dr E  
Seymour, IN 47274



**From:** [William Rodman](#)  
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Thank you,  
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4805 Mooresville Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46221

**From:** [Williema Thompson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Williema Thompson  
330 Greenwood Ave Apt 207  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [WYNNE LINDEN](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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WYNNE LINDEN  
507 W Poplar St  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Aaron Cloutier](#)  
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108 Orchard Hills Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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**Subject:** Alisa Mills - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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500 S Poplar St  
Seymour, IN 47274

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Thank you,  
Alva Reed  
225 East Seminary Street  
IN 47356

**From:** [Amanda Michaels](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Amanda Michaels - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Amanda Michaels  
656 S 6th St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Amy England](#)  
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Regards,  
Amy England  
7215 Hartman Pl  
Indianapolis, IN 46226



**From:** [Andrew Mullens](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Anita Jacobs  
76 Marigold Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Ann Elsbury](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ann Elsbury - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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2230 Elm St  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Barbara Baker](#)  
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Regards,  
Barbara Baker  
10698 Morristown Ct  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Barbara Little](#)  
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809 Draper St  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [Barbara Marshall](#)  
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Barbara Marshall  
Whitestown In  
Whitestown, IN 46075

**From:** [Barbara Ogram](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
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1524 Queensborough Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

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Barry Neal  
7700 E Vermont Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Betsie chilton  
122 Spruce Ln  
Hanover, IN 47243

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Betty Hoskins  
603 Maumee Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5620 Battersea Ln  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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1419 Locust St  
New Albany, IN 47150

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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11712 Steamboat Dr Apt 2312  
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**From:** [Brian Moore](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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37 Center St  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [Brian Neice](#)  
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Brian Neice  
606 W Sawmill Rd  
Farmersburg, IN 47850

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Carolyn Clarkson  
301 N Main St  
Kirklin, IN 46050



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Cathe Pearson  
514 Norseman Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Catherine Bucci](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Catherine Bucci - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Catherine Bucci  
3635 Fairgrove Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46227

**From:** [Cathy warren](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cathy warren - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Cathy warren  
PO Box 22  
Cynthiana, IN 47612

**From:** [cheryl Roy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** cheryl Roy - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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cheryl Roy  
1435 Laib Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Connie Krieger](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Connie Krieger - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Connie Krieger  
4455 E Co Rd 550 N  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Connie Lee](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Connie Lee - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Connie Lee  
397 Polk Village Rd  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Cook Jerry](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cook Jerry - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Cook Jerry  
455 Bradford Cir  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Coralie Rice](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Coralie Rice - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Coralie Rice  
448 E Mill St  
Danville, IN 46122



**From:** [Crystal Helt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Crystal Helt - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Crystal Helt  
3322 Carica Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46203

**From:** [Cynthia McCarthy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cynthia McCarthy - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Cynthia McCarthy  
1241 Blackthorne Trail S  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Dale Plantz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Dale Plantz - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Dale Plantz  
215 N Johnson Ave Trlr 17  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Daniel Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Daniel Clark - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Daniel Clark  
4226 S Orchard Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Daniel Kirwan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Daniel Kirwan - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Daniel Kirwan  
3973 N Tulipwood Ct  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Daniel Livingston](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Daniel Livingston - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Daniel Livingston  
PO Box 72  
Mount Summit, IN 47361

**From:** [Darlene Allen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Darlene Allen - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Darlene Allen  
2206 Pacific Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [David Chinn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** David Chinn - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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David Chinn  
109 Summer Ln NW  
Depauw, IN 47115



**From:** [David Crocker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** David Crocker - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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David Crocker  
1191 N Ellsworth Pl  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [David Davis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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David Davis  
947 N Pennsylvania St  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

**From:** [David Griffin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** David Griffin - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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IN 47130

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David Kneard  
4300 O Bannon Rd  
Elizabeth, IN 47117

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dawn Schrimpf  
1041 S Germantown Rd  
Cambridge City, IN 47327

**From:** [Deborah Franklin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Deborah Franklin  
1000 N 42nd Pl  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Debra Campbell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Debra Campbell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Debra Campbell  
1310 Reeves Rd  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Diana Beedle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Diana Beedle - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Investments in energy efficiency, renewable energy, and battery storage will help Duke to diversify its generation portfolio and save us money. We simply can't afford any more increases. Unlike Duke and their parent company - one of the largest energy holding companies in the entire country - Hoosiers aren't rolling in the dough.

Please reject Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Thank you,  
Diana Beedle  
1580 US-41  
Attica, IN 47918



**From:** [Donald coffman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Donald coffman - I am retired and watch my bill constantly. Even though my usage has gone way down since this time la  
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Regards,  
Donald coffman  
391 Georgetown Rd  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Donna Jenkins](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Donna Jenkins - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Donna Jenkins  
5240 E Temple Rd  
Marengo, IN 47140

**From:** [Donna Rudy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Donna Rudy - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Donna Rudy  
216 Shady Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Douglas McCormack](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Douglas McCormack - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Douglas McCormack  
4394 Summet St  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Elaine Sorensen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Elaine Sorensen - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Elaine Sorensen  
10001 N Stones Ln  
Evanston, IN 47531

**From:** [Eric Bennett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Eric Bennett - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Eric Bennett  
3873 W Kennett Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Gena Landers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Gena Landers  
2933 Wolfgang Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46239

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Glenda Striegel - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Glenda Striegel  
501 S Courtland Ave  
Kokomo, IN 46901



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Gwen Hicks - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Gwen Hicks  
2313 College Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Harold Riceman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Harold Riceman  
20039 Chad Hittle Dr Apt 7101  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Iris Vallier](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Iris Vallier  
Delight Creek Rd  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [James Edwards](#)  
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James Edwards  
364 Sunburst Ln  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [James Robinson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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James Robinson  
624 Water Tower Rd  
Owensville, IN 47665

**From:** [James Smith](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** James Smith - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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James Smith  
800 Spicewood Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Jane Yong](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jane Yong - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Jane Yong  
1039 E Columbus St  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Janice Howard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Janice Howard - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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7842 S Pin Oak Dr  
Pendleton, IN 46064



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** jeffrey polson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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jeffrey polson  
5480 E Goodman Ridge Rd  
Marengo, IN 47140

**From:** [Jennifer MakePeace](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jennifer MakePeace - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Jennifer MakePeace  
1616 S Buffstone Ct  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Jerry Owens](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jerry Owens - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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111 N 4th St  
Centerville, IN 47330

**From:** [Jim Richard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jim Richard  
408 Concord Ln  
Carmel, IN 46032

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8615 Maple View Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46217

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N Myra St  
Worthington, IN 47471

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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306 E Franklin St  
Staunton, IN 47881

**From:** [Joseph Hary](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Joseph Hary  
2052 White Church Rd  
Princeton, IN 47670



**From:** [Joseph Schneider](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Joseph Schneider - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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1711 Lopp Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Joyce Pedigo](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4511 W 600 N  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [Joyce Shelton](#)  
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1907 Center St  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Julie Dailey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Julie Dailey  
1730 N Hartstrait Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Julie Frazier](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Julie Frazier - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Julie Frazier  
1175 Southbridge Dr Apt 20  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Julie Frazier](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**From:** [Julie Key](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Julie Key - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Julie Key  
11380 E Robins Nest Dr  
Springville, IN 47462

**From:** [Kathleen Taylor](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathleen Taylor - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Kathleen Taylor  
2815 Park Ave  
Connersville, IN 47331



**From:** [Kathy Burton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kathy Burton  
2524 15th St  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Kathy Shope](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathy Shope - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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102 Cheryl Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Katrina Crist](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Katrina Crist - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Katrina Crist  
1053 S Kaiser Ln  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Kristen Walz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kristen Walz - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Kristen Walz  
1919 Deerbrook Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [Kylee Snider](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kylee Snider - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Kylee Snider  
2605 Poland Hill Rd  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [L. Hughes](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** L. Hughes - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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L. Hughes  
Po box  
Carbon, IN 47837

**From:** [Lara Weaver](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lara Weaver - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Monday, April 21, 2025 1:42:23 PM

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406 E Dixie St  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Larry Felix - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Larry Felix  
8738 S 675 E  
Lafayette, IN 47909



**From:** [Larry Johnson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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11771 N County Rd 200 E  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Laura Benford](#)  
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6333 N Cedarwood Dr  
Mccordsville, IN 46055

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Leo brown  
1168 W Rachael Way  
Rushville, IN 46173

**From:** [Lisa Davis](#)  
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Lisa Davis  
7945 E 500 S  
Russiaville, IN 46979

**From:** [Lola Bowley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lola Bowley - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Lola Bowley  
2872 Bridgestone Cir  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Loretta Snedeker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8390 N County Rd 500 W  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Lori Mangene](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lori Mangene - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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303 Avon Ave  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Lynn Shetler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lynn Shetler - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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4501 S Gaslight Pl  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



**From:** [M. Midyette](#)  
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M. Midyette  
304 Ridge Rd  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Marie Sedlexic](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5111 W Kennett Dr  
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**From:** [Mary Gee](#)  
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101 SE 3rd St  
Loogootee, IN 47553

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Mary Roberts  
878 E 6th St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Max Ellison](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2828 N Grand Ave  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Michael Brown](#)  
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1581 US-52  
Rushville, IN 46173

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2298 S 19th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



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1409 E Oak St  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Michael Martin](#)  
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1329 Money Ln  
Danville, IN 46122

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1016 Canary Creek Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

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1934 S Centennial Ave  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Mike McFarland](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mike McFarland - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1132 Central Park Blvd N  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Miranda Leahy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Miranda Leahy - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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112 W South St  
Ladoga, IN 47954

**From:** [Monica Earle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Monica Earle  
5371 Thornapple Ln Apt 101  
Lafayette, IN 47905

**From:** [Nada Johnston](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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108 Ridgeland Rd  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3642 N Station Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nancy Smothers - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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165 1st St  
Charlestown, IN 47111

**From:** [Nancy Wise](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2941 Private Rd 620 N  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Norman Abel](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Norman Abel  
4152 Ridgeview Blvd  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Pam Johnston](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pam Johnston - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Pam Johnston  
2916 Mill St  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Pamela Rich](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pamela Rich - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Pamela Rich  
3790 Flattop Ln  
Danville, IN 46122



**From:** [Pamela Zollman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pamela Zollman - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Pamela Zollman  
301 Ridge Rd  
Charlestown, IN 47111

**From:** [Patricia Fox](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Patricia Fox - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Patricia Fox  
730 Greenlee Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46234

**From:** [Paul Dolan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Paul Dolan  
2811 Hawpatch Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Paula Hobson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Paula Hobson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Paula Hobson  
744 Sable Creek Ln  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Peggy Greiner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Peggy Greiner - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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3922 S Emilie Ct  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Princess Cherry](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Princess Cherry  
130 N Central St  
Atlanta, IN 46031

**From:** [Randall Beckett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Randall Beckett - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Randall Beckett  
7720 Locust Dr  
Sellersburg, IN 47172

**From:** [Randy lawson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Randy lawson - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Randy lawson  
1249 W Sumner Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46217



**From:** [Rebecca Craig](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rebecca Craig - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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712 N Morrison St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Rhonda France](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rhonda France - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Rhonda France  
2326 E Maple Ln  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Rhonda Stein](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rhonda Stein - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Rhonda Stein  
1329 Palmer Dr  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [Richard Brownfield](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Richard Brownfield - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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1191 Lower Sandford Rd  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Rick Marshall](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rick Marshall - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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603 Grouseland Dr  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Rickie Wright](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rickie Wright - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Rushville, IN 46173

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Springville, IN 47462

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1791 Normas Wy  
Seymour, IN 47274



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2004 Poppy Pl  
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Noblesville, IN 46062

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1845 E Mud Pike Rd  
Osgood, IN 47037

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623 Park Dr  
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**From:** [Rosalynd Storer](#)  
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1235 Blackthorne Trail N  
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280 Chamberlain St  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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shannon smith  
101 W Margaret Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [SHELLEY BROWN](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** SHELLEY BROWN - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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SHELLEY BROWN  
1633 Grant Line Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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17915 Sundial Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Shirley Sappenfield  
749 S Forrest Dr  
Sellersburg, IN 47172

**From:** [Sidney Bennett](#)  
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Sidney Bennett  
2437 Riviera Pl  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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11130 Vineyard Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038



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6019 W Us Highway 40  
IN 46180

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Susan Mattingly - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Susan Mattingly  
335 S West St  
Greenfield, IN 46140

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1324 N Apperson Way  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4554 Whitney Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Tammie Mckemie](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Tammie Mckemie  
58 Glenbrook Ln  
Avon, IN 46123



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Brazil, IN 47834

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Respectfully,  
Trina Mayhew  
172 N East St  
Charlottesville, IN 46117

**From:** [Vera Hurst](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Vera Hurst - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1603 Adams St  
Lafayette, IN 47905

**From:** [Vernon Beck](#)  
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Vernon Beck  
20812 Mt Pleasant Rd  
Lawrenceburg, IN 47025

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Vicki wittenmyer  
248 E Wood Ave  
Universal, IN 47884

**From:** [Wanda Horner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Wanda Horner  
13095 Brighton Ave  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Wayne Buchinsky](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Wayne Buchinsky  
175 IN-337  
Corydon, IN 47112



**From:** [Wilda Jackson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Wilda Jackson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Wilda Jackson  
515 Main St  
Pershing, IN 47370

**From:** [William Balser](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3010 Darby Ln  
Lafayette, IN 47904

**From:** [William Herbert](#)  
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8901 Morgan Rd  
Poland, IN 47868

**From:** [william.Richardson](#)  
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Respectfully,  
william Richardson  
685 Shortleaf Dr  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Albert Bruncak](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Albert Bruncak - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Albert Bruncak  
2060 Meadowlark Ln  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

**From:** [Amy durand](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Amy durand - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Amy durand  
5211 Avian Way  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Angela Santarossa](#)  
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**Subject:** Angela Santarossa - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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13845 Spring Mill Rd  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Anita Hubbard](#)  
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Anita Hubbard  
300 S Armstrong St  
Crothersville, IN 47229



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Augustus Scank - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Augustus Scank  
1501 7th Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

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337 Churchman Pl  
Beech Grove, IN 46107

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Thank you,  
Barbie Buck  
1513 S 20th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Beth Gruenewald](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Beth Gruenewald  
1421 N Lost Lake Rd  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Bill Fleming](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Bill Fleming  
18 Roselawn Ct  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Bill Graham](#)  
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637 Main St  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [Bill Mohler](#)  
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Bill Mohler  
5992 N Co Rd 300 E  
Frankfort, IN 46041

**From:** [Billy Martin](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Billy Martin  
5215 E Hacker Creek Rd  
Martinsville, IN 46151



**From:** [Bonnie Cummings](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Bonnie Cummings  
314 Miami St  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

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609 Queens Ln  
Noblesville, IN 46060

**From:** [Brad Hoggatt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Brad Hoggatt  
2142 S White Tail Run  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Brenda Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Brenda Clark  
2121 Lockerbie Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Bruce Kelly](#)  
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Bruce Kelly  
1560 Dutch St  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [Catherine Beeler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Catherine Beeler - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Catherine Beeler  
4400 Berkshire Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46226

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cathie Houchin  
1101 Branigin Creek Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Cathy Burr](#)  
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Cathy Burr  
13045 W 525 S  
Columbus, IN 47201



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Cathy Goins  
630 S Maple St  
Greentown, IN 46936

**From:** [Cheryln Betz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cheryln Betz - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Cheryln Betz  
740 S Webster St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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Chloe Meredith  
5514 Darby Dan Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46237

**From:** [Christi Stevens](#)  
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Christi Stevens  
515 W Harrison Ave  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Christine Gamble](#)  
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Regards,  
Christine Gamble  
603 Clark St  
Huntington, IN 46750

**From:** [Christy Brewsaugh](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Christy Brewsaugh  
3261 Fairlawn Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Chuck bladek  
1367 Garden Terrace Ave  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Curt Phelps](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Curt Phelps  
4281 E 150 S  
Hillsdale, IN 47854



**From:** [Daniel Blake](#)  
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Daniel Blake  
1724 E Camby Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Danny Harris](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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200 N 37th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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4108 Carmelita Blvd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [David Hill](#)  
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David Hill  
1390 Holiday Ln E  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

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1122 Deer Trail  
Connersville, IN 47331

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Deb Mueller  
6914 Tree Top Ln  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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620 Wilson St  
Danville, IN 46122

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400 Bundy Ave  
New Castle, IN 47362



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2406 N 12th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

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Dolores Tyner  
244 Brookhaven Rd  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Don Fenn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Don Fenn  
6060 E Newberry Ct  
IN 46113

**From:** [Donna Oglesby](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Donna Oglesby  
14 E Cochran St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

**From:** [Duana Tuttle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Duana Tuttle - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Duana Tuttle  
225 Lincoln St  
Spencer, IN 47460

**From:** [Eileen Fry](#)  
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Thank you,  
Eileen Fry  
4497 W Windsong Ct  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Elizabeth Johnson](#)  
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Elizabeth Johnson  
1269 Hague Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

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**Subject:** Elizabeth Lee - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Elizabeth Lee  
969 E Pike St  
Martinsville, IN 46151



**From:** [Emily Singer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Emily Singer  
7413 Rogers Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46214

**From:** [Erich Franke](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Erich Franke  
900 N Main St  
Brownstown, IN 47220

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Floyd Horton  
101 E Michigan St  
Fortville, IN 46040

**From:** [Gary Wacker](#)  
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Gary Wacker  
415 Mt Tabor Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

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George Dossett  
12442 Gray Eagle Dr  
Fishers, IN 46037

**From:** [Gerald foster](#)  
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1015 N Main St  
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Thank you,  
Gina Martin  
1432 E 700 S  
Dana, IN 47847

**From:** [Gregory Smith](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Gregory Smith  
1715 W 100 N  
Franklin, IN 46131



**From:** [Gregory Thomas](#)  
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Regards,  
Gregory Thomas  
3511 Sheridan Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Heather Kyle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Heather Kyle - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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216 Carter Ave  
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**From:** [Heidi May](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Heidi May  
2299 W Fluck Mill Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47403

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Irene White  
2930 W Locust Ave  
New Goshen, IN 47863

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Respectfully,  
Isabel Nowlin  
821 Franklin St  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [ISRAEL CORBAN](#)  
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ISRAEL CORBAN  
1684 Burton Ln  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Jacqueline Sizemore](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jacqueline Sizemore - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Jacqueline Sizemore  
15009 Maple St  
Brookville, IN 47012

**From:** [James Jaspering](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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103 Emily Ave  
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James Sanders  
2309 Second St  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Jeanna Johnson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jeanna Johnson  
1614 N AVENUE, Apt, suite, floor, etc.  
IN 47362

**From:** [Jeff Lanman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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371 E 1200 N  
Lewisville, IN 47352

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5034 Broadway St  
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Jennifer Eicher  
323 W Haydn Dr  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Jill Schoettmer](#)  
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Jill Schoettmer  
506 E Schott St  
Westport, IN 47283

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Joanne Martinie  
117 Ursal Ln  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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Joseph Venable  
141 Indian Rock Dr  
West Lafayette, IN 47906



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**From:** [Julie Gardner](#)  
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Julie Gardner  
215 Aspen Dr  
Rushville, IN 46173

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280 W Main St # C12  
Nashville, IN 47448

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Kara Cradic  
4526 N Frontage Rd  
Fairland, IN 46126

**From:** [Karen DeMoss](#)  
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1224 Maplewood Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Karen Felts - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Karen Felts  
10994 Chapel Woods Blvd S  
Noblesville, IN 46060

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Karen Frye - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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226 Monroe St  
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**From:** [Kasi Spyker-Duncan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kasi Spyker-Duncan  
8123 N Fox Hollow Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47408



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Kathryn Wilda  
15 Cedar Crest  
Zionsville, IN 46077

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Kaye Hill  
704 N Park Ridge Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47408

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620 Goodwin St  
New Castle, IN 47362

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New Albany, IN 47150

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**Subject:** LARRY FERRAN - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
LARRY FERRAN  
2392 Edgewood Ave  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Lesley Bratcher](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Greenwood, IN 46142



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7413 Jersey Park Rd  
Floyds Knobs, IN 47119

**From:** [Lori Cloncs](#)  
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7617 E 500 S  
New Ross, IN 47968

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2192 Williams Glen Blvd  
Zionsville, IN 46077

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Lori pugh  
3316 E Bond Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47909

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5166 Treaty Line Rd  
Hagerstown, IN 47346

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Seymour, IN 47274

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Mark Leineweber  
2509 Swan St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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1515 Chartres St  
New Albany, IN 47150



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3676 W Kennett Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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Mark Wichser  
1416 Harriett St  
Mount Vernon, IN 47620

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3002 Callaway Dr  
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Clinton, IN 47842

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Regards,  
Mary Drye  
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Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Mary Murdock](#)  
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3461 Saint Marys Rd Apt 112  
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Mary Peckham  
3813 Callery Ct  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [Maryann Traut](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Maryann Traut  
939 Chapel Hill Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46214

**From:** [Matt Hess](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Matt Hess  
1225 Park Ave  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [melinda Wilson](#)  
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Respectfully,  
melinda Wilson  
6626 N Penn St  
Jasonville, IN 47438

**From:** [Melissa Stultz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Melissa Stultz  
1105 Coventry Ct  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Michael Lamm](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1912 S Montclair Ave  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Michelle Hudson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Michelle Hudson  
4718 S Crosby Pl  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Mick Dunavent](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mick Dunavent  
3742 Cedar Creek Ln  
New Palestine, IN 46163



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mitchell pittman  
1656 E Vandalia Rd  
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Myra Craig  
3307 Deerwood Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Nancy Adderley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Nancy Adderley  
708 NW Santee Dr  
Greensburg, IN 47240

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Nancy Sasko  
14369 Illinois Rd  
Fort Wayne, IN 46814

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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17202 Agate Ln  
Westfield, IN 46074

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Nora Cardoza-Deering  
1254 Greenbriar Wy  
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**From:** [Pamela Robinson](#)  
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**Subject:** Pamela Robinson - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Pamela Robinson  
218 Silver Creek Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Patricia Heishman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Patricia Heishman  
112 Yenowine Ln  
Georgetown, IN 47122



**From:** [Patrick Arvay](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Patrick Arvay  
1901 S Goyer Rd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Patrick Butterly](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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409 Illinois St  
Fortville, IN 46040

**From:** [Patty Shell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Patty Shell  
10912 N Shirley St  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Peggie Johnson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Peggie Johnson  
2904 E Geyman Hill Rd  
Madison, IN 47250

**From:** [Peggy Harrison](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Peggy Harrison  
21 Rushgrove Ct  
Lafayette, IN 47909

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1378 Swan Dr  
Franklin, IN 46131

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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12730 W 300 N  
Linton, IN 47441

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Randel Kneeland  
83 E Central St  
Rosedale, IN 47874



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Rebecca Reiser  
6556 Giles Blvd  
Whitestown, IN 46075

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1804 Acorn Rd  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Rebekah Deckard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1800 W Marquis Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47404

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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131 Van Ave  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

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16736 Ashley Blvd Apt I  
Westfield, IN 46074

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Rushville, IN 46173

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Robert Allen  
9769 Lick Creek Rd  
Morgantown, IN 46160

**From:** [robert evans](#)  
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Thank you,  
robert evans  
8078 Larkins St  
Rosedale, IN 47874



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Robert Raderstorf  
1500 Eisenhower Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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Ron Rhoads  
15383 Meredith Meadows Dr E  
Noblesville, IN 46060

**From:** [Ronald VanZandt](#)  
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Ronald VanZandt  
330 Carol Ct  
Bargersville, IN 46106

**From:** [Rose Anderson](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Rose Anderson  
1388 Timber Trail  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Sabrina OConnell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sabrina OConnell  
2905 Franklin St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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Sandra Lynch  
139 Grand Station Cir Apt 2B  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Scott Brock](#)  
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Scott Brock  
8062 W State Rd 54  
Springville, IN 47462

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Shari Brown  
4775 Lilac Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168



**From:** [Sharlie Strahle](#)  
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Thank you,  
Sharlie Strahle  
2276 S State Road 159  
Dugger, IN 47848

**From:** [Sheila Hendrickson](#)  
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2249 Traditions Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

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Regards,  
Sherry Comparone  
220 Arlington Dr  
Batesville, IN 47006

**From:** [Sherry Lee](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sherry Lee  
2164 Fort Knox Pl  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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75 E Walnut St  
Elberfeld, IN 47613

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Stephen McPherson  
14079 Triple Crown Dr  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Steve Webker](#)  
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1506 E Kirklin Brick Rd  
Frankfort, IN 46041

**From:** [Steven McFarland](#)  
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242 S 10th Ave  
Beech Grove, IN 46107



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Martinsville, IN 46151

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Susan Borzenski  
1633 S 5th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Susan Huff](#)  
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**Subject:** Susan Huff - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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655 Peak Ave  
Seymour, IN 47274

**From:** [Susie McKee](#)  
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Regards,  
Susie McKee  
9510 E 235th St  
Cicero, IN 46034

**From:** [Tamara King](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tamara King - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Tamara King  
3002 Callaway Dr  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [Tamara Wilber](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Tamara Wilber  
4554 Whitney Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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Tammy Rodriguez  
216 W 6th St  
Jasper, IN 47546

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Tania Wine  
3502 Doctor M.L.K. Jr St  
Indianapolis, IN 46208



**From:** [Taylor Brown](#)  
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1044 Rhonda Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ted Hatfield - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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902 Indigo Dr  
Greenfield, IN 46140

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Teresa Davis  
2510 Southwood Dr  
Bedford, IN 47421

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tiffany Walton - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Tiffany Walton  
3209 E 10th St # APT10U  
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**From:** [Tory Puntarelli](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Tricia Bock  
72 Willow St  
Nashville, IN 47448

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Vicki Armstrong  
5427 Grassy Bank Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46237



**From:** [Vincent Desjardins](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Vincent Desjardins - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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114 N Glenwood Ave W  
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2207 S 10th 1/2 St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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Wilfred Chavez  
4433 E Luther Rd  
Floyds Knobs, IN 47119

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William Keller  
700 N US Highway 231  
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315 W Gordon Pike Trlr 78  
Bloomington, IN 47403

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1800 Dutch Ln  
Jeff, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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557 Potowatami Dr  
Ellettsville, IN 47429



**From:** [Aaron Norcia](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Aaron Norcia - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Aaron Norcia  
403 E Morrison St  
Frankfort, IN 46041

**From:** [Abraham Sparks](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Abraham Sparks - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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820 W Hedgewood Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47403

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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9108 State Rte 38  
Lafayette, IN 47905

**From:** [Angelica Rangull](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Angelica Rangull  
10859 Spirit Dr  
Ingalls, IN 46048

**From:** [Ann Hitch](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5550 Hintock Pl  
Indianapolis, IN 46237

**From:** [Anne Ganser](#)  
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Anne Ganser  
2717 Plaza Ln  
Lafayette, IN 47909

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Anne Million  
720 W Washington St  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Anthony Tingley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Anthony Tingley - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Anthony Tingley  
2425 Seabury Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803



**From:** [Arnold Burden](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Arnold Burden  
1552 E Scarlet Oaks Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Billy HOOD](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Billy HOOD  
82 E Acree Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Bob Grossman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Bob Grossman - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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318 W North St  
Greenfield, IN 46140

**From:** [Bonnie Coates](#)  
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2610 Vine St  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Brian Mason](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Brian Mason  
2200 S 7th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Bruce Peterson](#)  
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1555 S Terrace Dr  
Rockville, IN 47872

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1452 Rohrer Rd  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Carol Essex](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2145 Barton Ave  
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1311 S 19th St  
New Castle, IN 47362

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cathy Davis  
3301 S 6th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Charlene Gray](#)  
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2267 Mulberry Dr  
Seymour, IN 47274

**From:** [Charles Creasey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6 McKinley Blvd Apt 7  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Cheryl Bigler](#)  
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Regards,  
Cheryl Bigler  
148 Arbor Pl  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Chris Holmes](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Chris Holmes  
130 Wygenwood Ln  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Christopher Hasty](#)  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2205 Avalon Ct  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Cindy Grow](#)  
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Cindy Grow  
300 Vista Dr  
Oolitic, IN 47451

**From:** [Colin Scheidt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Colin Scheidt  
1800 N Ridgewood Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Connie Aveline](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1725 S 13th St  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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1645 N 13th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Connie Sisson](#)  
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Connie Sisson  
2347 Dahlen Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Cory Lindsey](#)  
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1403 Allison Ln  
Jeff, IN 47130

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216 Woodbine  
Terre Haute, IN 47803



**From:** [Dan Scott](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dan Scott  
1102 9th St  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Danielle Pearce](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Danielle Pearce  
420 Dalewood Dr  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Danny Pierson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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19 Louise St  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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David Brown  
304 N 30th St  
New Castle, IN 47362

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Respectfully,  
Debra Ewing  
1417 Lynch Ln  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Debra Taylor](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Debra Taylor  
6850 County Rd West 250 S  
Russiaville, IN 46979

**From:** [Diane RACKMIL](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Diane RACKMIL - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Diane RACKMIL  
2994 Colony Lake W Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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don brumley  
3701 E State Rd 38  
New Castle, IN 47362



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975 W Central Ave  
Brazil, IN 47834

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144 Hawthorne St  
Dana, IN 47847

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301 W 7th St  
Bicknell, IN 47512

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Doug Myers  
1849 W Water Oak Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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3950 S Robinson Pl  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Elizabeth Piekarczyk  
2719 S Silver Creek Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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1710 W Jefferson St  
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Eric Knop  
1705 Beechwood Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Ernie Myers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ernie Myers  
347 Wakefield Ct  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Ethel Denney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ethel Denney  
4539 Posthorn Ct  
Columbus, IN 47203

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**From:** [Gary Crabb](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Gary Crabb  
PO Box 93  
Harmony, IN 47853

**From:** [Grace Brutsman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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321 S 7th St  
Lafayette, IN 47901

**From:** [Gregory Riker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Gregory Riker - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
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6032 W 100 N  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Gretchen Clearwater](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Gretchen Clearwater - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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817 W 7th St  
Bloomington, IN 47404



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Gwen Rice  
1616 1st Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

**From:** [Harvey Campbell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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402 S E St  
Arcadia, IN 46030

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Heather Lamm  
5665 W State Road 46 Trlr 62  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [James Davis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** James Davis - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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21775 E Co Rd 400 S  
Westport, IN 47283

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1594 E 500 N  
Greenfield, IN 46140

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James Thompson-Sanders  
3942 Central Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46205

**From:** [Jana Long](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jana Long  
2143 Taylor St  
Madison, IN 47250



**From:** [Janice Wilfong](#)  
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613 Marquis Cir  
Dayton, IN 47941

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Jason Poe  
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Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Jay Orman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jay Orman  
6150 S Botany Woods Pl  
Dana, IN 47847

**From:** [Jean Bledsoe](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jean Bledsoe - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Jean Bledsoe  
5663 W 400 S  
Russiaville, IN 46979

**From:** [Jeanne McClure](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jeanne McClure - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Jeanne McClure  
815 S California St  
Farmersburg, IN 47850

**From:** [Jeff Kamplain](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jeff Kamplain  
50 East St  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [Jeffery Pfister](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jeffery Pfister  
6857 Washington Blvd W  
Indianapolis, IN 46220

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jeffrey Richardson  
5697 W 700 S  
Morgantown, IN 46160



**From:** [Jennifer Wolfe](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jennifer Wolfe  
720 S Indiana Ave  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [John Burke](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** John Burke - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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John Burke  
100 W Lynnwood Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [John James](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3311 W Judson Rd  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1224 W Pine Forest Dr  
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**From:** [John Pate](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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508 Race St  
Hope, IN 47246

**From:** [John Willey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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John Willey  
204 E County Rd 951 S  
Clayton, IN 46118

**From:** [jon rogers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** jon rogers - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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jon rogers  
4401 E Northview Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Joshua Tucker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Joshua Tucker - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Joshua Tucker  
3939 E State Road 62  
Madison, IN 47250



**From:** [Judy OBrien](#)  
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Judy O'Brien  
16185 Haywood St  
Fishers, IN 46037

**From:** [Julie Alicea](#)  
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Julie Alicea  
14 W Lawrin Blvd  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Julie McMillan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Julie McMillan - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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5207 Raubs Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Karen Sanders](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Karen Sanders  
802 York Rd  
Brownsburg, IN 46112

**From:** [Keath Rhymer](#)  
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Regards,  
Keath Rhymer  
6615 Wedgeport Ln  
Indianapolis, IN 46259

**From:** [Keith Jacks](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Keith Jacks - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Keith Jacks  
957 Morgan St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [KEVIN FEIN](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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KEVIN FEIN  
1811 E Spring St Apt 2  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Kevin Harlow](#)  
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**Subject:** Kevin Harlow - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Kevin Harlow  
8345 Buckingham Dr  
Columbus, IN 47201



**From:** [Kim Orr](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kim Orr  
1129 Rochester Blvd  
Rochester, IN 46975

**From:** [Larry Bontrager](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Larry Bontrager  
2173 E 250 N  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Larry GARRETT](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Larry GARRETT  
2226 S Center St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Laurie Meek](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Laurie Meek  
1177 Devonshire East Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Lester Best](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lester Best - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Lester Best  
1504 Sportsman Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Linda Cucci](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4128 Londonderry Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46221

**From:** [LINDA PARTLOW](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
LINDA PARTLOW  
522 Anderson St  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [Linda West](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda West - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Linda West  
635 West Washington St  
Shelbyville, IN 46176



**From:** [Lisa Sparger](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Lisa Sparger  
1817 Shoshone Dr Apt 23  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [LISA VANWINKLE](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1630 IN-44  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Lucy Borson](#)  
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1180 Chappelow Ridge Rd  
West Harrison, IN 47060

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lynn Howell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Lynn Howell  
3423 S Parkside Dr  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Madison Young](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Madison Young  
1617 N Breckenridge Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Mark Milburn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mark Milburn - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Mark Milburn  
8004 Lakeside Quarry Drive  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [Mary PERRY](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mary PERRY  
1504 Idlewood Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Maurice May](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Maurice May  
1030 E 11th St  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130



**From:** [Meredith Uland](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Meredith Uland - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Meredith Uland  
9876 Haverstick Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46280

**From:** [Michael Duke](#)  
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Michael Duke  
587 Old State Rd 65  
Princeton, IN 47670

**From:** [Michael rupp](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1720 Park Valley Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

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Michael Spence  
1127 Fairfax St  
Anderson, IN 46012

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Michelle Friedlund  
133 W Depot St Apt 101  
Perrysville, IN 47974

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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259 Ole Rocking Chair Way  
Cloverdale, IN 46120

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641 Princeton Dr  
Whiteland, IN 46184

**From:** [Minor Mobley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Minor Mobley - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Minor Mobley  
2314 S 19th St  
New Castle, IN 47362



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PO Box 396  
Seelyville, IN 47878

**From:** [Monty Miller](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Monty Miller  
1053 N Portland Arch Rd  
Covington, IN 47932

**From:** [Nancy Conley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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405 S 9th St  
Mitchell, IN 47446

**From:** [Nancy Daniel](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nancy Daniel - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Nancy Daniel  
5709 W Daffodil Ct  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Nancy Dreher](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nancy Dreher - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Nancy Dreher  
PO Box 394  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Nancy Szymialis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nancy Szymialis - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Nancy Szymialis  
16618 Brownstone Ct  
Westfield, IN 46074

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17202 Agate Ln  
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neil whitaker  
5627 Julian Ave Apt 10  
Indianapolis, IN 46219

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Pamela Davis  
140 Westfield Ln  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

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1509 S 14th St  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Patricia Heishman  
112 Yenowine Ln  
Georgetown, IN 47122

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110 N 19th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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401 S 16th St  
Petersburg, IN 47567

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Jasonville, IN 47438

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Dillsboro, IN 47018



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440 N 12th St  
New Castle, IN 47362

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Cayuga, IN 47928

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Bloomington, IN 47404

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Evansville, IN 47712

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8118 Lawrence Woods Blvd  
Indianapolis, IN 46236

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Respectfully,  
Robert Chumley  
201 Oakland Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Robert LaGrange](#)  
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Robert LaGrange  
891 Ironwood Trail  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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322 N Leavitt St  
Brazil, IN 47834

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3650 Clarks Creek Rd # APT233  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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1921 Silver St  
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Sabrina OCONNELL  
2905 Franklin St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [scott WALLS](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
scott WALLS  
205 Orchard St  
Waynetown, IN 47990

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2130 N Purdum St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Sharla Mahoney](#)  
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Sharla Mahoney  
6882 W 800 S  
Pendleton, IN 46064



**From:** [Sharolyn Herring](#)  
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Sharolyn Herring  
20 S 14th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

**From:** [Sherman Stagner](#)  
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Sherman Stagner  
4595 Upper Patton Park Rd  
Martinsville, IN 46151

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Thank you,  
Sherry Fioretto  
15185 Fallen Leaves Ln  
Noblesville, IN 46060

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Shirley Thomas  
420 S Alabama St  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Stacey Motosicky](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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703 North Ave  
Seymour, IN 47274

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Steve Dummitt  
20812 Summit Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Steve Snow](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4960 N Hendricks St  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

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2802 Kossuth St  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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20 Lincoln Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

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1674 Kay St  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Talitha Campbell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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4709 S 700 E  
Waldron, IN 46182

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Tamara Mattingly  
141 3rd St NW  
Carmel, IN 46032

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6435 N 1350 W  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Terry Frerman  
1506 Milton Ct  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Thaddeus Hutson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Thaddeus Hutson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Thaddeus Hutson  
301 E Pierce St  
Whitestown, IN 46075



**From:** [THOMAS ANDERSON](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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THOMAS ANDERSON  
210 Cherry Dr  
Madison, IN 47250

**From:** [Tiffany Herring](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tiffany Herring - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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20 S 14th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

**From:** [Tina King](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tina King - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Tina King  
245 S Meridian Rd  
Mitchell, IN 47446

**From:** [Todd Rogers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Todd Rogers - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Todd Rogers  
5532 Railroad Ave  
Crawfordsville, IN 47933

**From:** [Todd Smith](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Todd Smith - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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2797 Ciana Court  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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724 College Ave  
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**From:** [Toni Ward](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Toni Ward - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1163 Deer Run  
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**Subject:** Tony Ater - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Tony Ater  
5465 E County Rd 725 S  
Hardinsburg, IN 47125



**From:** [Travis Eley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Travis Eley - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Travis Eley  
1807 Barton Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Verna Richardson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6368 N Blackburn Rd  
Petersburg, IN 47567

**From:** [Vicki Minder](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6828 E State Road 46  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [virgil hicks](#)  
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Regards,  
virgil hicks  
824 S 11th St  
Lafayette, IN 47905

**From:** [Walt Tom](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Walt Tom - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Monday, April 28, 2025 2:03:43 AM

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Walt Tom  
2207 S 10th 1/2 St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Yvonne Frietzsche](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Yvonne Frietzsche - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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10480 Glasswater Ln Apt 105  
Indianapolis, IN 46231

**From:** [Allison Hinde](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Allison Hinde - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1227 Dreiser Square  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Angela Lockwood](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Angela Lockwood - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 15, 2025 7:45:14 PM

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Angela Lockwood  
15051 Tiki Trail  
Noblesville, IN 46060



**From:** [Anna Radue](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Anna Radue - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Anna Radue  
270 Goodnight Rd  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Anne Brickler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Anne Brickler - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Anne Brickler  
1112 Brick N Wood Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [ARNOLD R.MAGGARD](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** ARNOLD R.MAGGARD - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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199 Ariel Ct  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [BARBARA MONTALBANO](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** BARBARA MONTALBANO - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Monday, April 14, 2025 8:43:18 AM

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BARBARA MONTALBANO  
933 Northern Goshawk Dr  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Brenda Fisher](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Brenda Fisher - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Brenda Fisher  
430 Lazy Hollow Ln  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Brenda Hutchison](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Brenda Hutchison - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Brenda Hutchison  
1095 Barcelona Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Carl Wolf](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Carl Wolf - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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**From:** [Charles Cunningham](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Charles Cunningham - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Charles Cunningham  
18338 Canyon Oak Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [charles walls](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** charles walls - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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charles walls  
2404 Warren St  
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**From:** [Chase Corbett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Chase Corbett - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Chase Corbett  
215 E 9th St  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Christi Stevens](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Christi Stevens - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Christi Stevens  
515 W Harrison Ave  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Christian Polzin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Christina Polzin - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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3187 S Hume Rd  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Christine Combs](#)  
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840 W Rca Park Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Christopher Thomas](#)  
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Christopher Thomas  
2940 Joyce Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Cindy Gilbert](#)  
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8291 Hewlet Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46268



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8192 Creek Way  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Clara Matthews](#)  
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108 E Lewis and Clark Pkwy  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Clee Oliver](#)  
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5768 County Rd West 00 N S  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Connie Biggs](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Connie Biggs - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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2320 Apache Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47909

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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25542 IN-1  
Guilford, IN 47022

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cory Gearhart - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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424 E Wylie St  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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Crystal Cooney  
3375 Elizabeth St  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Cynthia Long](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3418 John Hinkle Pl  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5399 Crooked Stick Ct  
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Dana Sibray  
936 Wabash Ave  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Daniel Huddleston  
9064 W 290 N  
Delphi, IN 46923

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Danny Estes - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Danny Estes](#)  
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Darlene Allen  
2206 Pacific Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Daryl ISisson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Daryl ISisson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Daryl ISisson  
1111 Marci Ln  
Georgetown, IN 47122

**From:** [David Chandler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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David Chandler  
400 W Adams St  
Franklin, IN 46131



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David Quinn  
719 Kent Ave  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [David Stepp](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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207 W Montgomery Ave  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Debbie Gordon](#)  
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Debbie Gordon  
521 Payne Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Debbie Sutherland](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Debbie Sutherland  
3976 Honey Creek Blvd  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Debora Schultz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Debora Schultz - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Debora Schultz  
1621 S Main St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Deborah Jones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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20 Village Pkwy  
Pendleton, IN 46064

**From:** [Deborah Oaks](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Deborah Oaks  
3336 Azalea Ct  
Westfield, IN 46074

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Dennis Kemp  
2020 E 38th St  
Anderson, IN 46013



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1275 Jonesville Rd  
Columbus, IN 47201

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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430 E Wood Ave  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Douglas Lane  
1115 Eastridge Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Edward McDonough](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Edward McDonough - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 16, 2025 9:09:10 AM

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Thank you,  
Edward McDonough  
3667 Stonecreek Circle  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Elisabeth Hedges](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Elisabeth Hedges - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Elisabeth Hedges  
793 Whitley Ct  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Elizabeth Larson](#)  
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Elizabeth Larson  
9302 Evergreen Dr W  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Emily Benford](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Emily Benford  
6333 N Cedarwood Dr  
Mccordsville, IN 46055

**From:** [Ethel Denney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Ethel Denney  
4539 Posthorn Ct  
Columbus, IN 47203



**From:** [Eugene Young](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Eugene Young  
3783 S 575 E  
Bringhurst, IN 46913

**From:** [Eva Bailey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Eva Bailey - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Eva Bailey  
4530 Tampa Ct  
Indianapolis, IN 46241

**From:** [Frank Wigley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Frank Wigley - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Frank Wigley  
1305 K St  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Fred Crago](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Fred Crago  
1503 Freedom St  
Huntington, IN 46750

**From:** [Geoff gregory](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Geoff gregory - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Geoff gregory  
210 N Sigsbee St  
Indianapolis, IN 46214

**From:** [Gina Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Gina Clark  
900 Oak St  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Gregory Rambicure](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Gregory Rambicure - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Gregory Rambicure  
13214 Dunwoody Ln  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Gregory Smith](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Gregory Smith - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Gregory Smith  
1715 W 100 N  
Franklin, IN 46131



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Harriet Moore  
725 E Seminary St  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [HARRY ODLE](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Harry Odle - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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3736 Kimberly Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47905

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Heidi Foil  
7477 Locust Lake W Dr  
Spencer, IN 47460

**From:** [Ingrid Faber](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Bloomington, IN 47404

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James Harper  
4033 N 200 W  
Greenfield, IN 46140

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James Richhart  
1580 Roberts Rd  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [James Weiland](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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James Weiland  
26 Lively Pl  
Cicero, IN 46034

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Jamie Revalee  
1224 Southlea Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47909



**From:** [Jane Rapinchuk](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jane Rapinchuk - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Jane Rapinchuk  
9095 Pebblepointe Cir  
Zionsville, IN 46077

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Janet Pottoroff  
322 Creekside Park  
Fairland, IN 46126

**From:** [Janice Hartl](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Janice Hartl - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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610 S Harrison St  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Jeff Freeman](#)  
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6940 S Charles Pl  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Jeff Ross](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1800 Dutch Ln Lot 87  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Jeffrey Fahy](#)  
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10510 Kings Way Rd Apt 311  
Fishers, IN 46037

**From:** [Jennifer Littrell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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130 Regatta Ct  
Madison, IN 47250

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My electric bill is currently double my mortgage payment. Im drowning.

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Thank you,  
Jennifer Reyes  
1305 Ivy Ln  
Attica, IN 47918



**From:** [Jeri Khajeh-Noori](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jeri Khajeh-Noori - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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622 S 11th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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Thank you,  
Jerry Dexter  
3012 Jamestown Cir  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [Jim Langley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jim Langley - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Saturday, April 12, 2025 9:58:08 AM

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Thank you,  
Jim Langley  
9115 S Pointe Ridge Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Joan Keeler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Joan Keeler - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Stand up for Hoosiers, especiaally at this volatile economic time and REJECT Duke's request in Cause Number 46193.

Respectfully,  
Joan Keeler  
3505 Constance Ave Apt 201  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [JoAnn Braithwaite](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** JoAnn Braithwaite - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
JoAnn Braithwaite  
710 Perry St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Jodi Lewis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jodi Lewis - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Jodi Lewis  
18524 Harvest Meadows Dr E  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Jodi Lewis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jodi Lewis - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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18524 Harvest Meadows Dr E  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [JoEllen McMahon](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** JoEllen McMahon - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
JoEllen McMahon  
13665 Eglin Dr  
Carmel, IN 46032



**From:** [JoEllen McMahon](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** JoEllen McMahon - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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**From:** [John Howard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** John Howard - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
John Howard  
1808 N 10th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [John Lacy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** John Lacy - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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John Lacy  
1790 Sunrise St  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Joni Kemp](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Joni Kemp - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Joni Kemp  
840 West Main Street  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Judy Klein](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Judy Klein - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Judy Klein  
1111 E Wylie St  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Julie Williams](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Julie Williams - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Julie Williams  
311 E Glendora Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [June Ryle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** June Ryle - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
June Ryle  
708 S Ryle Dr  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Justin Kerber](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Justin Kerber - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Justin Kerber  
12110 N Gray Rd  
Carmel, IN 46033



**From:** [Karen Painter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Karen Painter - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Karen Painter  
1719 Zartman Rd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Kathleen Cunningham](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathleen Cunningham - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Kathleen Cunningham  
18338 Canyon Oak Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Kathy Bledsoe](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathy Bledsoe - Please stand up for residential customers in Cause Number 46120  
**Date:** Sunday, April 6, 2025 3:23:02 PM

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Dear Counselor Bill Fine,

NIPSCO has had a really busy few years raising our utility bills, with an electric rate hike in 2023, a gas rate hike earlier in 2024, and a pending request for a \$600+ million gas peaker plant that will barely run.

With all these increases in mind, I am shocked to see NIPSCO file for yet another electric rate hike - this time by an enormous \$45 per month. We cannot afford this!

People in my community are already having a hard time keeping up with huge increases in food, housing, and healthcare without all these increases from NIPSCO. And we're not alone - data from the US Census Bureau shows that 42% of Hoosiers are struggling to afford basic expenses, the highest percentage in all of the Midwest.

Meanwhile, NIPSCO got \$2 billion from Blackstone, the world's largest alternative investment fund, at the beginning of 2024.

Please do everything you can to advocate for residential customers in Cause Number 46120. We cannot afford to pay \$45 more per month. Please reject NIPSCO's request for the highest profit margin - and the highest fixed charge - out of all big electric utilities in Indiana.

Finally, while I am stridently opposed to NIPSCO's huge rate hike, I fully support their proposed program for low-income customers. LIHEAP helps keep folks connected during the coldest months of the year, and I'm glad to see NIPSCO propose a program to help keep folks connected during the hottest months of the year. Please stand up for my vulnerable neighbors by supporting NIPSCO's low income assistance program proposals.

Respectfully,  
Kathy Bledsoe  
87 Scotsraig Dr  
Valparaiso, IN 46385

**From:** [Kathy DeYoung](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathy DeYoung - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Sunday, April 13, 2025 8:55:38 AM

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Thank you for making time to read my concerns.

Thank you,  
Kathy DeYoung  
9050 Stone Trce Blvd  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Keith Olmstead](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Keith Olmstead - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Keith Olmstead  
7130 County Rd W 200 S  
Russiaville, IN 46979

**From:** [Kelly Conn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kelly Conn - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Kelly Conn  
721 E 7th St  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Kelly Finley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kelly Finley - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Kelly Finley  
228 E Taylor St  
Huntington, IN 46750

**From:** [Ken Kouhia](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ken Kouhia - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Ken Kouhia  
8855 S 300 W  
Columbus, IN 47201



**From:** [Kimberly Hahn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kimberly Hahn - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Kimberly Hahn  
515 N Lincoln St  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Kirstin Milks](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kirstin Milks - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Kirstin Milks  
913 S Eastside Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Kitch Carter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kitch Carter - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Kitch Carter  
410 N Park Ridge Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [Kristin Moran](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kristin Moran - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Kristin Moran  
8150 W Beechwood Ave Apt 407  
French Lick, IN 47432

**From:** [Kristopher Pring](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kristopher Pring - No more rate hikes! Stop billing us to death! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Kristopher Pring  
4570 E State Road 236  
Middletown, IN 47356

**From:** [Kristopher Pring](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kristopher Pring - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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**From:** [kylie.carrithers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
kylie carrithers  
1725 S 5th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Lana Hixon](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lana Hixon - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Lana Hixon  
3122 Bond Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47909



**From:** [Lara Weaver](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lara Weaver - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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406 E Dixie St  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Larry Johnson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Larry Johnson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Larry Johnson  
2083 Southwood St  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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11771 N County Rd 200 E  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Laura Baracani](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Laura Baracani  
3204 Bruceville Rd  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Laura Conrad](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Laura Conrad - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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As Duke Energy and their parent company rake in healthy profits, many Hoosiers are forced to make tough decisions every day. People have to choose whether to pay for groceries, medicine, or their electric bill. Whether to run their air conditioning or suffer through the heat. Whether to pay their landlord or Duke. We heard as much throughout the public hearings for Duke's 2024 rate case, and that was before folks saw their Duke bills increase by \$19/month from the rate hike they just got.

It's appalling that Duke is already back at the IURC asking for even more of our money, a whopping \$3.3 billion. And it's alarming that the \$3.3 billion is the floor and not the ceiling.

First off, since Duke wants to build a huge gas plant, we know that customers will be on the hook for additional future rate hikes to pay for pipelines, operations & maintenance for the plant, and the fuel to run it.

But that's not all, thanks to Construction Work in Progress, granted to Duke by the Indiana General Assembly. CWIP shifts construction risks away from utilities and their shareholders and onto the backs of captive customers like me. With CWIP, Duke has no incentive to keep costs low because they can pass costs directly onto customers. We've already seen the impact of CWIP with Duke's own Edwardsport plant: cost overruns totaling \$1.5 billion. Please don't force us to repeat that experience!

Please reject Duke's request to hike our bills for a dirty gas plant in Cause Number 46193. Please push Duke to adopt cheaper, cleaner options that will help reduce its extreme overreliance on dirty and expensive fossil fuels.

Regards,  
Laura Conrad  
1834 S Rolling Hills Dr  
French Lick, IN 47432

**From:** [Linda Benefiel](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Benefiel - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Linda Benefiel  
13225 Deception Pass Unit 900  
Fishers, IN 46038

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2915 Arleth St Apt 220  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Linda Coyne](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Coyne - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Linda Coyne  
5950 E 161st St  
Noblesville, IN 46062



**From:** [Linda Eales](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Linda Eales  
312 Sylvia St  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [Linda Harrison](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Harrison - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Linda Harrison  
871 Chandler Dr  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

**From:** [Lindsay Warnock](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Lindsay Warnock  
11337 Seabiscuit Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46060

**From:** [Lisa Riddell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lisa Riddell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1439 IN-64  
English, IN 47118

**From:** [Marc Rucker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Marc Rucker  
20 Carrollwood Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

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5623 Eagle Oaks Ln  
Zionsville, IN 46077

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5111 W Kennett Dr  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Marie VanRiper  
129 Olive Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Martha Duryea  
807 Mechanic St  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Martins Putelis](#)  
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144 1st Ct  
Carmel, IN 46033

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Mary Austin  
611 E Main St  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Mary Kuchle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mary Kuchle  
691 Overcup St  
Westfield, IN 46074

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2961 Maralice Dr  
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**From:** [Mary OBrien](#)  
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491 Cobblestone Pl  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Mary Veltman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mary Veltman  
1020 Hadley Dr  
Utica, IN 47130

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mary.waugh  
4527 Redcliff S Ln  
Plainfield, IN 46168



**From:** [Matt Bula](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Matt Bula - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Matt Bula  
816 E Southport Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Maureen Langley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Maureen Langley - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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214 S Maple St  
Bloomington, IN 47404

**From:** [Max Johnson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Max Johnson  
925 Maple Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Michael Disney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michael Disney - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Michael Disney  
4770 E Windsor Ln  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Michael Disney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michael Harmon - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1034 Westridge Cir  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Michele muir  
3601 W Stafford Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Nancy Wright](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nancy Wright - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Nancy Wright  
1853 Archies Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131



**From:** [Nokeisha White](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nokeisha White - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Nokeisha White  
938 E Richmond St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Pamela Veteto](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Pamela Veteto  
5132 W Lilac Ln  
New Palestine, IN 46163

**From:** [Patricia Cook](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Patricia Cook - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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509 Galahad Dr  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Patricia Nelson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Patricia Nelson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Patricia Nelson  
8414 Alcona Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46237

**From:** [Patty Dennis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Patty Dennis - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Patty Dennis  
1414 Stafford  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Paul Cothern](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Paul Cothern - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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3116 Susan Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Paul Spoonamore](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Paul Spoonamore - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Paul Spoonamore  
405 La Reforma Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Paula Auten](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Paula Auten - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Paula Auten  
1609 Plymouth Dr  
New Castle, IN 47362



**From:** [Paula DeLory](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Paula DeLory - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Paula DeLory  
911 Carriage House Ct  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [Peggy Mayles](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Peggy Mayles - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Thursday, April 17, 2025 5:19:57 AM

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602 S 9th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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**Subject:** Peggy Mayles - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Peter Todd - Stop the rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Peter Todd  
2821 S Wexley Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Peter Wiegand](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Peter Wiegand - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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511 S Pleasant Ridge Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [phyllis myers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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phyllis myers  
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**From:** [Randy McKay](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Randy McKay  
2921 Bagley Dr E  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Rebecca Downen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rebecca Downen - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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8431 Andorra Dr  
Fishers, IN 46038



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Regina Powell  
11764 W Henry Rd  
Deputy, IN 47230

**From:** [Rhoda Corby](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Rhoda Corby  
925 S 3rd St  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Richard Whitesell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Richard Whitesell  
1534 Audubon Rd  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Robert Culhane](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Robert Culhane  
1024 Aquila Ln  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Robert Kronick](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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177 Union Flats Blvd  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Robert O'Brien](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert O'Brien - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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In the name of transparency. What is the cause or reason behind this billing hike?

Respectfully,  
Robert O'Brien  
816 Morning Glory Ln  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Ronda Isenhower](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ronda Isenhower - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Ronda Isenhower  
8276 W 500 S  
Tipton, IN 46072

**From:** [Sandi Reese](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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807 S Brady St  
Attica, IN 47918



**From:** [Sarah Sergesketter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sarah Sergesketter - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Sarah Sergesketter  
739 Crestwood Dr  
Jasper, IN 47546

**From:** [Sharon Sells](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sharon Sells - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Sharon Sells  
10350 Colville Ln  
Indianapolis, IN 46236

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Stacia Ahlfeld - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Stacia Ahlfeld  
312 N Truman Rd  
Jasper, IN 47546

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Stephanie Veracini - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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STEPHANIE VERACINI  
1302 Indiana Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Stephen Fiscus - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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306 E Walnut St  
Odon, IN 47562

**From:** [Steve Robbins](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Steve Robbins - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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309 W Donaldson St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

**From:** [Susan Harris](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Susan Harris  
5101 Delta Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46241

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Respectfully,  
Susan Kessler  
874 Keller Hill Rd  
Mooresville, IN 46158

**From:** [Susan Louden](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Susan Louden  
414 Alexander Dr  
Seymour, IN 47274

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thomas Nugent  
784 S Boulevard Rd  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Timothy Pace](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Timothy Pace - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Timothy Pace  
1391 Observatory Rd  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Tina Godsey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tina Godsey - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Tina Godsey  
7585 N Turner Jefferson St  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Tina Risley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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17220 Meggs St  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1000 S East St  
Farmersburg, IN 47850

**From:** [Tom Tuleja](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Tom Tuleja  
3835 Vail Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tony Swinehart - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Tony Swinehart  
PO Box 136  
Spiceland, IN 47385

**From:** [Valerie Salinas](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1504 Conti Ln  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Venetia Turner](#)  
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116 S Calumet St  
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217 W Park Pl  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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Wayne Buchinsky  
175 IN-337  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [William Fleming](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** William Fleming - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
William Fleming  
18 Roselawn Ct  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [William Rodman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** William Rodman - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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William Rodman  
4805 Mooresville Rd  
Indianapolis, IN 46221

**From:** [Adam Moore](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Adam Moore  
1515 E Oak St  
New Albany, IN 47150



**From:** [Alecia Stsrchrr](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Alecia Stsrchrr  
2406 Jefferson St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Alice Higgins](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3461 St Marys Rd  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Allen Atcheson](#)  
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Allen Atcheson  
310 N 12th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

**From:** [Amanda Struckman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Amanda Struckman  
4886 E State Rd 350  
Milan, IN 47031

**From:** [Andrea Little](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Andrea Little - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Andrea Little  
5217 Council Ring Blvd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Angel Colon](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Angel Colon  
1281 Avalon Cir  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Ann Harlow](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ann Harlow  
759 Johnson Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Anna McKinnon](#)  
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Anna McKinnon  
1420 Vigo St  
Vincennes, IN 47591



**From:** [Anton Zotter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Anton Zotter  
227 Megan Wy  
Cumberland, IN 46229

**From:** [Barbara Fairchild](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Barbara Fairchild  
1382 Adams St  
Wabash, IN 46992

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Barbara Miller  
402 W 10th St  
Oolitic, IN 47451

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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7030 Black Chapel Rd SE  
Elizabeth, IN 47117

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Beth Sills  
12476 Deerview Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46060

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Zionsville, IN 46077

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Respectfully,  
Billie Jones  
419 W Kruzan St  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Billy Zaphiriou](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Billy Zaphiriou  
117 Herman St  
Indianapolis, IN 46202



**From:** [Brian Lynch](#)  
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102 W Oak St  
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**From:** [Bruce Eby](#)  
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306 Longview Dr  
Jeff, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5265 Baysdon Cir  
Indianapolis, IN 46235

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Bryan Smith  
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Lafayette, IN 47905

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7525 Penway St  
Indianapolis, IN 46226

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3458 County Rd South 150 E  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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Carlene Quinn  
1675 E Moffett Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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Charles Gedrick  
2345 E Whipperwill Dr  
Clinton, IN 47842



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Indianapolis, IN 46201

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1515 Northaven Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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1328 S 7th St  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Chuck worth  
827 Meridian St  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Cindy Shults](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Cindy Shults  
512 S 5th St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Crystal Baldwin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Crystal Baldwin  
2227 3rd Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

**From:** [Cynthia McCarthy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Cynthia McCarthy  
1241 Blackthorne Trail S  
Plainfield, IN 46168



**From:** [Cynthia Stangle](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cynthia Stangle  
9337 W 310 N  
Delphi, IN 46923

**From:** [Dale Carpenter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dale Carpenter  
102 E 3rd St  
North Manchester, IN 46962

**From:** [daniel hill](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** daniel hill - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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daniel hill  
526 Hellers Trail  
Milan, IN 47031

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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daniel wey  
2799 US-150  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Danielle Abner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Danielle Abner  
305 Canyon Pkwy  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Danny Stultz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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724 E County Rd 1375 S  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Darlene Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6599 N Erickson St  
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**From:** [Dave King](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dave King  
Railroad St  
IN 46936



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1212 Rochelle Dr  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8601 N Redbud Ln  
Brazil, IN 47834

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Debbie Sakraida - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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788 Golf View Dr  
Milan, IN 47031

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Deborah Davis  
1778 S Elm St  
Crawfordsville, IN 47933

**From:** [Deborah Holman](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Deborah Holman  
1152 N Fox Ridge Links Dr  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Debra Garrison](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Bloomington, IN 47403

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Thank you,  
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Richland Way  
Westfield, IN 46074



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Crawfordsville, IN 47933

**From:** [Denise Farrer](#)  
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Denise Farrer  
500 Tumbleweed Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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Regards,  
Dennis Marietta  
2375 Wilbur Rd  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Dennis Schaaf](#)  
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11181 IN-13  
La Fontaine, IN 46940

**From:** [Dianna Burdine](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Dianna Burdine  
302 Woodberry Dr  
Danville, IN 46122

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Don Williamson  
204 Cheryl Dr  
New Albany, IN 47150

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Donna Fortunate  
3050 Wooded Way  
Jeff, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5240 E Temple Rd  
Marengo, IN 47140



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812 N Broadway St  
Seymour, IN 47274

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Carmel, IN 46033

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Regards,  
ED TILFORD  
9680 S County Rd 800 W  
Paris Crossing, IN 47270

**From:** [Emily Chamberlin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Emily Chamberlin  
892 Burntwood Way  
Westfield, IN 46074

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1156 Trogon Ln  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Erin Hanner](#)  
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1403 S 16th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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Gayla Faith  
105 E Loma Vista Ct  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Greg Utter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Greg Utter  
1227 126th St  
Carmel, IN 46033



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Harry Mcdonald  
309 E York St  
Martinsville, IN 46151

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309 Ridge Springs Ln  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

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604 Howard St  
Greencastle, IN 46135

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Jamey alvey  
1117 S Armstrong St  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1500 Walnut St  
New Albany, IN 47150

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266 Walls Rd  
Nashville, IN 47448



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7188 N Stuthard St  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jeffery Woodruff  
600 N 31st St Lot 4N  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Jennette Underwood](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jennette Underwood - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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2410 Sims Ct  
Columbus, IN 47203

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302 Mouser St  
Madison, IN 47250

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1728 Florence Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Jerry Bruce](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jerry Bruce  
924 West Dr  
Oakland City, IN 47660

**From:** [John Powell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** John Powell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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John Powell  
321 E Beech St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

**From:** [Jolene Latta](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jolene Latta - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Jolene Latta  
1132 St Johns Rd  
Washington, IN 47501



**From:** [Joseph Loop](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3035 Rockport Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47403

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Joy Flynn  
600 Diana Dr  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

**From:** [Joyce Barclay](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Joyce Barclay  
1538 Hillview Dr  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Judy Young](#)  
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Judy Young  
306 Old Mill Creek Dr Apt A1  
Alexandria, IN 46001

**From:** [Julia Pharris](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Julia Pharris  
12 Locksley Ct  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Karen Lawrence](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Karen Lawrence  
PO Box 53  
Nashville, IN 47448

**From:** [Kari Barron](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kari Barron - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Kari Barron  
6903 E State Road 64  
Francisco, IN 47649

**From:** [Kathleen Hamilton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathleen Hamilton - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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12205 School Ln NE  
Palmyra, IN 47164



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Kathy Caudill  
4210 W 700 N  
Edinburgh, IN 46124

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Krista Tornado - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1128 Cedarview Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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Larrabee arms  
1474 Dutch St  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [Larry Ashbrook](#)  
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1718 S Talbott St  
Indianapolis, IN 46225

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555 La Reforma Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Laurel Mitchell  
67 Woodlake Run  
Yoder, IN 46798

**From:** [Leah Leifer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8350 N Pennsylvania St  
Indianapolis, IN 46240



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257 Old Farm Rd  
Danville, IN 46122

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Crawfordsville, IN 47933

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2009 Kerri Lynn Ln  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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10678 W Laughery Creek Rd  
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919 Brentwood Ct  
New Albany, IN 47150

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343 Shamrock Ave  
Greentown, IN 46936

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Lonnie Foist  
475 Coover St  
Columbus, IN 47201

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Thank you for taking the time to consider this letter. My name is Madeline Hirschland. My husband, Lawrence Moss, and I are Duke ratepayers who live in Bloomington, zip code 47401.

I am writing in regard to Duke's proposed new Cayuga gas plants – Cause No. 46193 - and the rate increases to fund these plants for which Duke seeks your approval. I ask you to reject the proposal on the basis of the five pillars identified by Indiana's 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force and our own experience as homeowners.

Reliability, Resilience and Stability

By "reliability", the 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force refers to adequacy and operating reliability. It defines "resilience" as the ability of a system or its components to adapt to changing conditions, and to withstand and rapidly recover from disruptions or off-nominal events. "Stability", as defined by the 21st Century Energy Task Force, is the ability of an electric system to maintain a state of equilibrium during normal and abnormal conditions or disturbances... Indiana's electric system should be able to deliver a stable source of electricity with increasingly higher levels of stability." It is assumed that natural gas is a reliable source of electricity that provides resilience and stability – and that renewable resources are not reliable. Recent history does not bear this out.

Over the past 12 years, The U.S. has suffered five separate large-scale grid outages, mostly driven by the failure of gas-fired power during periods of extreme cold. The worst of them — the collapse of the Texas power grid during February 2021's Winter Storm Uri — left 4.5 million homes and businesses without power at its peak, caused billions of dollars of economic damage and led to the death of more than 200 people.

These outages challenge arguments that favor increasing reliance on fossil gas over renewable energy. Gas is frequently touted by supporters for its flexibility and reliability — especially in comparison to wind and solar — but in moments of extreme heat and cold, studies find that these purported advantages evaporate. In fact, although some politicians, regulators and fossil-fuel industry groups have blamed renewable energy policies for grid crises, in-depth research by FERC and other entities shows this to be untrue.

Over the Christmas holiday in 2022, Winter Storm Elliott caused the failure of more than



70,000 megawatts of generation capacity across the Southeast and forced Duke and the Tennessee Valley Authority to institute rolling blackouts impacting millions of customers to maintain grid reliability. From New York to West Virginia, production declined by as much as 54 percent during the storm's peak compared to the days before. Similarly, gas production shortfalls played a role in the Texas grid disaster in 2021.

On the other hand, renewables can help mitigate energy crises. In a March 2025 article, Forbes reports that:

California, which suffered rolling blackouts in August 2020 during record heat waves, made it through last summer's record heat without breaking a sweat thanks largely to storage capacity growing from .5 GW in 2018 to 13.3 GW in 2024.

Texas broke power demand records last summer amid massive data center growth and brutal heat waves, and peak summer demand is expected to soar from 85 GW in 2024 up to 148 GW in 2030. Adding 19 GW of solar and 6.2 GW of storage since 2019 helped keep the lights on – an 800% increase in solar and 5,500% increase in battery storage over that period.

As far as reliability, resilience and stability go, gas is far from a magic bullet. At a minimum, to be reliable, resilient and stable, the grid should be broadly diversified. In Indiana, Duke Energy sources 96% of its electricity from coal, gas and oil. Adding more gas would be a move away from reliability, resilience and stability.

### Affordability

The 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force notes that “decisions regarding Indiana's generation and resource mix and ratemaking constructs must result in retail electric service that is affordable across the residential, commercial, and industrial customer classes.” With an average current monthly electric bill of \$127, many Hoosier households already must decide between paying for basic needs and paying for electricity. From December 2023 to November 2024, 38,351 Hoosier households - nearly 1 in 200 – had their electricity disconnected by Duke because of non-payment of bills. On top of the \$19 a month increase already granted by the IURC, Duke is now requesting that ratepayers foot the bill for these proposed new gas plants, which, by 2030, will increase ratepayers' bills by an additional estimated \$15 a month. How many thousands or tens of thousands more Hoosier households will have to choose between electricity and other essentials when their bills increase by, on average, an additional \$34 a month - an average increase of 27%?

The Task Force identifies two means to help low-income customers afford their energy bills. First, it identifies “customer assistance programs, such as the federally-funded Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), the federally-funded Weatherization Assistance Program (WAP)” and programs funded by utility companies, e.g. Duke. In April, all the federal LIHEAP staff were laid off and the administration has proposed eliminating WAP, whose funds have been frozen intermittently since February. With its energy efficiency plan, Duke expects to reduce energy use by 1.15% per year. If this reduction is compounded and projected out to 2030, it would result in an average household reducing its energy use by 7.8%. But the combination of the already-approved Duke rate hike and the proposed Duke rate hike would increase the electricity bills of an average Hoosier household by 27%. Clearly, these programs cannot be relied on to make electricity affordable to low and moderate-income Hoosiers.

As its second strategy to make utilities affordable, the 21st Century Task Force notes: The ability to draw power from multiple types of resources as part of a diverse generation resource mix allows for the mitigation of price volatility and serves as a hedge against constraints, such as those involving fuel supplies and supply chains, and against other potential future disruptions in supply.

The new tariffs increase the likelihood of price volatility and supply chain disruptions. With 96% of its resource mix coming from coal, gas and oil, Duke's energy resource mix for Indiana is far from diversified!

At the projected cost of \$3.3 billion, the proposed plant will be extraordinarily expensive. With the uncertainty in the supply chain and tariffs on steel and other imported parts, however, the cost can be expected to balloon to many times this projection. This happened with the last similarly extremely expensive project: the Edwardsport coal plant was projected to cost \$1.9 billion but ended up costing \$3.5 billion. With the proposed gas plants, ratepayers will also be on the hook for an estimated \$5.3 billion in financing costs and future rate hikes to pay for a new pipeline to serve the plant, operation and maintenance costs to run the plant and fuel costs to supply the plant.

A March 18, 2025 Forbes article entitled "Solar-Plus-Storage: The Fastest, Cheapest Way To Meet Surging Power Demand" reports:

Many utilities have embraced gas, or promoted restarting closed coal or nuclear plants, but that overlooks the cheapest and fastest-to-build option – solar energy combined with battery storage, also known as solar-plus storage... Utilities must build new generation at the lowest possible price to provide the electricity their customers need. Choosing unaffordable options that can't come online in time to meet surging demand could leave consumers footing the bill, or worse, in the dark.

Environmental Sustainability

The 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force states that:

Decisions regarding Indiana's generation mix must take into account both environmental regulations and consumers' demands for sustainable sources of generation. The transition to clean energy resources and innovative technologies is occurring and should be encouraged... Renewable energy generation sources are highly desirable with respect to reducing carbon emissions and are presently economically competitive with existing conventional generation resources because of technological advancements, market innovations, and federal government subsidies.

The proposed gas plants simply replace one high-emissions fossil fuel resource with another. In addition to continuing to emit carbon, the new plants would produce significant amounts of other types of harmful air pollution, including carbon monoxide, particulate matter and volatile organic compound emissions. To repeat, 96% of Duke Indiana's electricity is generated from fossil fuels. Because it would produce more electricity than the coal plants it replaces, the proposed new gas plants would actually increase the percentage of electricity that Duke sources from fossil fuels. This would be happening at the same time as the price of solar plus batteries plummets. This would make a mockery of the 21st Century Energy Policy Development Task Force's emphasis on environmental sustainability.

Furthermore, the main constituent of natural gas is methane, which is enormously harmful to the climate. Methane emissions from gas operations are much higher than earlier estimated. Over a twenty-year period, methane is about 84 times more potent as a greenhouse gas than

carbon dioxide.

Researchers have discovered massive amounts of methane leaks from natural gas facilities.

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On a personal note, through a combination of simple conservation measures and the replacement of old gas appliances with high-efficiency electric ones, my household has reduced our energy use, measured in BTUs, by well over 70%. Our 1960's 2000 sq. ft. home is all-electric and, year after year, reliably generates more electricity from its 29 solar panels than we use. As soon as we're able, we plan to purchase an electric vehicle with "bidirectional charging" that we can use as battery storage so that we can harmonize the timing of our demand for electricity with our solar-generated supply. Our solar panels save us thousands of dollars a year in utility bills. We know first-hand that it is possible for households to generate environmentally sustainable, affordable electricity – be it on their own roofs or through community solar or through utility-scale solar. If data centers cannot manage with clean, affordable energy, shouldn't they foot the bill rather than loading it onto the shoulders of already-stretched ratepayers? And is it fair that ratepayers should bear the enormous non-financial costs of dirty coal and gas plants that they do not need?

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Respectfully,  
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Terre Haute, IN 47804

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MELISSA Vickers  
4234 S Willowbrook Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



**From:** [Merle Adams](#)  
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Regards,  
Merle Adams  
4625s300e  
Anderson, IN 46017

**From:** [Michael Oliver](#)  
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Michael Oliver  
3005 Slone Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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Michele Burns  
8414 Hill Gail Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46217

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133 W Depot St Apt 101  
Perrysville, IN 47974

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Mildred Collette  
720 W 600 S  
Atlanta, IN 46031

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Mistie Jinks  
131 N Carter St  
Greentown, IN 46936

**From:** [Ms Jones](#)  
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Ms Jones  
1583 Shady Ln  
Columbus, IN 47201



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Nancy Evans  
993 Maple Grove Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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1721 E Hunter Ave  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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117 Watkins Prairie Ln  
New Albany, IN 47150

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301 Ridge Rd  
Charlestown, IN 47111

**From:** [Parker Shepherd](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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212 W Riverside Dr  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [Pat Fox](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pat Fox - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Pat Fox  
730 Greenlee Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46234



**From:** [Paula Briner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Paula Briner  
501 Orchard Ln  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Penny Chelf](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1878 Mystic Fls Cir  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [Phil Lambert](#)  
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Phil Lambert  
1231 N Exeter Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46222

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Phillip Robinett  
2305 Shelby St  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Randall Pennington](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Randall Pennington - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Randall Pennington  
515 N Capitol Ave  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [Randy Choisser](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Randy Choisser  
1286 Clover Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Randy Hamilton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Randy Hamilton  
9235 IN-56  
Aurora, IN 47001

**From:** [Raymond Ivy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1715 S Main St  
Princeton, IN 47670



**From:** [Rayven Martin](#)  
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2511 Elva Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Reaunna Murphy  
5108 Woodside Ct  
Carmel, IN 46033

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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290 W Lakeview Dr  
Princes Lakes, IN 46164

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2260 E Haythorne Ave  
North Terre Haute, IN 47805

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598 Hurricane St  
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**From:** [Rick Adams](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rick Adams - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Rick Adams  
Lafayette  
IN 47909

**From:** [Ricki Luedeman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ricki Luedeman - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Ricki Luedeman  
8210 N County Rd 200 W  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Ricky Dailey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ricky Dailey - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Ricky Dailey  
5752 E 200 N  
Shelbyville, IN 46176



**From:** [Robert Capo](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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925 Knox Dr  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Robert Corbin](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert Corbin - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Robert Corbin  
4611 W Belle Ave  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Robin Bellamy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Robin Bellamy  
366 N Main St  
Scottsburg, IN 47170

**From:** [Rodney Weaver](#)  
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**Subject:** Rodney Weaver - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Rodney Weaver  
9341 E Sugar Grove Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Rosalie Kramer](#)  
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**Subject:** Rosalie Kramer - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Rosalie Kramer  
4964 W Cedar Creek Dr  
New Palestine, IN 46163

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Ruby Brentlinger  
N 12th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Ruth Cowling](#)  
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Ruth Cowling  
14 Lily Run  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Sandra Asher](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sandra Asher - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Sandra Asher  
7861 N 600 W  
Fairland, IN 46126



**From:** [Sandra Warren](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sandra Warren - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Sandra Warren  
702 Shady Oak Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Sandra Welsh](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sandra Welsh - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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612 W Havens St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sharon Fraysse - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Sharon Fraysse  
627 N Market St  
Delphi, IN 46923

**From:** [Sharon Rusk](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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13646 Eglin Dr  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Shelley Stephenson](#)  
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**Subject:** Shelley Stephenson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Shelley Stephenson  
708 S Cory Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Sheron Miller](#)  
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Sheron Miller  
381 Reagan Cir  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Sherrell Rigney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sherrell Rigney  
10652 E 650 N  
Wilkinson, IN 46186

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3501 Edgewood Village Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130



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Respectfully,  
Stephen Mankin  
20 Monterey Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

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242 Ridgeview Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Tanna Mosier](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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411 Eastview Dr  
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13547 W 75 N  
Linton, IN 47441

**From:** [Thomas Davis](#)  
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2460 Auburn Way  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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Martinsville, IN 46151

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Tiera Hale  
1390 Fairfield Ave Apt 38  
Brookville, IN 47012

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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7360 S County Rd 825 E  
Plainfield, IN 46168



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3617 N Co Rd 850 W  
Mulberry, IN 46058

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Kokomo, IN 46902

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Vicki Biddle  
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**From:** [Vicki Clemons](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Vicki Clemons - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Vicki Clemons  
5662 N Clover Elm Dr  
Fairland, IN 46126

**From:** [Vicky Snydersnyder](#)  
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911 Hale Rd  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

**From:** [Victoria Meyer](#)  
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948 Cliff St  
Brookville, IN 47012

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3909 Old US Highway 231 S Trlr 24  
Lafayette, IN 47909



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Respectfully,  
wanda hall  
217 W Park Pl  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [William Buchanan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6723 Abington Pike  
Centerville, IN 47330

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1993 IN-135  
Vallonia, IN 47281

**From:** [Adrian Coy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Adrian Coy  
5313 N 875 W  
Boggstown, IN 46110

**From:** [Alicia Quick](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Alicia Quick  
694 Thomas Jefferson Ct  
Nineveh, IN 46164

**From:** [Ann Holden](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ann Holden - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Ann Holden  
412 Waterford Ln  
Avon, IN 46123

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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534 S Court St Apt 3  
Sullivan, IN 47882

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Annie Goble  
2475 Meadowlark Way  
Plainfield, IN 46168



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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11258 Lucky Dan Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46060

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Antonia Geiger  
737 Flat Wood Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

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610 N Broad St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2810 E 950 S  
Markleville, IN 46056

**From:** [Barbara Schuler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6369 Private Rd 320 W  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Barbara Thomas](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Brazil, IN 47834

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437 Fairview St  
Loogootee, IN 47553



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**From:** [Betty Cornwell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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523 Francis Ave Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

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6694 Parkewood Rd  
Rosedale, IN 47874

**From:** [Brad Wisbey](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Brad Wisbey  
129 Allendale Terrace  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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3640 St Joseph Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Brian Ramer](#)  
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2124 Tryon Rd  
North Manchester, IN 46962

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Brian scott  
314 McClure Blvd  
Mooresville, IN 46158

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Burhan Elturun  
810 W 7th St  
Bloomington, IN 47404



**From:** [butch alcorn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** butch alcorn - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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butch alcorn  
104 Park Rd  
Galveston, IN 46932

**From:** [Candie Trent](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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I am very concerned that Hoosiers are struggling to afford ever-increasing utility bills. Indiana now pays the 12th highest residential electric bills in the country!

Residential utility customers have an extremely limited role in controlling the cost of our utility service. With unaccountable utility regulators, an appointed Consumer Counselor, and legislation passed by the Indiana General Assembly that tips the regulatory process in favor of the utilities, it's no wonder that utility bills across Indiana have continually increased while our ability to pay those bills continues to diminish. Thousands of Hoosiers have had electric and gas service disconnected every month since September 2022, according to data reported to the Office of Utility Consumer Counselor.

Struggling to afford utility service puts Hoosiers in difficult and dangerous positions. We need policies that protect consumers and public health, like strong weatherization programs, affordable repayment plans to catch up on utility debt, and a summer disconnection moratorium to limit the number of Hoosiers enduring high temperatures without electricity. Please do everything you can to pursue affordable monthly utility bills for all Hoosier households!

Regards,  
Candie Trent  
2470 S Morristown Pike  
Greenfield, IN 46140

**From:** [Carl Retzlaff](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Carl Retzlaff - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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516 Forest View Dr  
Bedford, IN 47421

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Carol Messersmith - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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214 S 5th St  
Francisco, IN 47649

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18 Sunset Manor Dr  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Carrie Nowak](#)  
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432 Ravine Dr  
Bedford, IN 47421

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**From:** [Charles Brooks](#)  
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Charles Brooks  
1615 Ohio St  
Terre Haute, IN 47807



**From:** [CHARLES HARRIS](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** CHARLES HARRIS - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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CHARLES HARRIS  
4555 Pine Ridge Dr  
Columbus, IN 47201

**From:** [Charles Hendren](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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6239 E Co Rd 500 N  
Michigantown, IN 46057

**From:** [Cheryl Blickenstaff](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Cheryl Blickenstaff  
20282 Atchison Wy  
Westfield, IN 46074

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484 Hampton Dr  
Richmond, IN 47374

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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916 Harbon Dr  
Franklin, IN 46131



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Dana Risch - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Dana Risch  
3179 N Brownsville Rd  
Brownsville, IN 47325

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3326 Tingler Rd W  
Richmond, IN 47374

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New Albany, IN 47150

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New Albany, IN 47150

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Shirley, IN 47384

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David chiabai  
3205 Stephenson Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47909

**From:** [David Lamb](#)  
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Respectfully,  
David Lamb  
8996 IN-256  
Lexington, IN 47138

**From:** [David Rose](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
David Rose  
5744 Mesa Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47805



**From:** [Debbie Wentz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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430 N 2nd St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Debora Gunnels](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5723 Bluegrass Cir  
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Debra Jackson  
2915 Arleth St Apt 306  
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**From:** [Denise Kavanagh](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1433 S Fruitridge Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Doug Chamberlain](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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222 W South St  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

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Eleanor Rodie  
1100 Lower Sandford Rd  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Ellen Bowen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2905 W Blvd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ethel Eitel  
2609 Maynard Dr  
Indianapolis, IN 46227



**From:** [Gail Kent](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Gail Kent - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Gail Kent  
203 Mt Tabor Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Gary Henderson  
4365 E Evans Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Gregory Johnson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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7981 S River Bottom Rd  
Hanover, IN 47243

**From:** [Heidi Anderson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Heidi Anderson - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Heidi Anderson  
17910 Sundial Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Jack Walthour](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jack Walthour  
1744 W Jefferson St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [James Lindsey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** James Lindsey - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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James Lindsey  
2516 Locust Ln  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [James Lowery](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** James Lowery - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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James Lowery  
1561 Broad St  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Jan Walburn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jan Walburn - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1278 S State Road 57  
Petersburg, IN 47567



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**Subject:** Janis Wilson - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Janis Wilson  
5 Stardust Pl  
Cloverdale, IN 46120

**From:** [Jeanette Babbs](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1513 Blackiston Mill Rd  
Clarksville, IN 47129

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jeffery Walls - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Jeffery Walls  
2080 S 200 E  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Jennifer Green](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Jennifer Green  
2055 E Railroad St  
Attica, IN 47918

**From:** [Jeremy Winter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jeremy Winter - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Jeremy Winter  
3799 IN-236  
Anderson, IN 46017

**From:** [Jerry Swank](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jerry Swank - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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2927 E 19th St  
Indianapolis, IN 46218

**From:** [Jill Parker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jill Parker - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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3408 Wenzel Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Jim Spendal](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Jim Spendal - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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175 N Chestnut Ave  
Clinton, IN 47842



**From:** [Jimmy Holland](#)  
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Jimmy Holland  
17 Red Oak Ln  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Jo Shelton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Sullivan, IN 47882

**From:** [John Benya](#)  
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**Subject:** John Benya - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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John Benya  
820 Laurel Hill Pl  
Fort Wayne, IN 46825

**From:** [John Braithwaite](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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John Braithwaite  
710 Perry St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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400 Hawthorne St  
Dana, IN 47847

**From:** [Josefina Ramos](#)  
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Indianapolis, IN 46237

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Joseph Browning  
4515 N 18th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Joseph LeBlanc - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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2207 E 65th St  
Indianapolis, IN 46220



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Salem, IN 47167

**From:** [Julie Brady](#)  
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Julie Brady  
1677 Rudgate Dr  
Avon, IN 46123

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Julieta Ramos  
8113 W 400 S  
Russiaville, IN 46979

**From:** [Karen Davis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5825 S Priddy Rd  
New Pekin, IN 47165

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1116 Coleman Ave  
Clarksville, IN 47129

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4250 S 5th St Apt 3  
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Kathleen Dugan  
1242 Cherry St  
Noblesville, IN 46060

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Regards,  
Kathleen Hyatt  
2424 Addmore Ln Lot 36  
Clarksville, IN 47129



**From:** [Kathy Dalton](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathy Dalton - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Tuesday, April 22, 2025 11:16:35 PM

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Thank you,  
Kathy Dalton  
306 Millstone Pointe Dr  
Greencastle, IN 46135

**From:** [Keith Linville](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Keith Linville - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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1926 N 8th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Kelly Greene](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Kelly Greene  
2300 Lafayette Ave Trlr 10  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Kenneth Stingley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kenneth Stingley - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Kenneth Stingley  
1002 W 7th St  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Kim Sharpe](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kim Sharpe - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Kim Sharpe  
1526 Old Mill Cir  
Carmel, IN 46032

**From:** [Kyle Wheeler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kyle Wheeler  
3608 E Imperial Ave  
North Terre Haute, IN 47805

**From:** [Laura Moseley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Laura Moseley - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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2490 Franks Dr  
Madison, IN 47250

**From:** [Laura Wilson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Laura Wilson - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Laura Wilson  
395 Cramertown Loop  
Martinsville, IN 46151



**From:** [Lawrence Schuler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lawrence Schuler - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Lawrence Schuler  
264 Decatur St  
Aurora, IN 47001

**From:** [Leilani Alberty](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Leilani Alberty - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Leilani Alberty  
12525 Trophy Dr  
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**From:** [Leslie Eyre](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Leslie Eyre - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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1908 N 27th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Ligaya McGovern](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Ligaya McGovern  
1500 W Blvd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Linda Harcourt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Harcourt - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Linda Harcourt  
3461 Woodmar Ct  
West Lafayette, IN 47906

**From:** [Linda Malott](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Linda Malott - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Linda Malott  
241 Westbrook Dr  
New Whiteland, IN 46184

**From:** [Lisa Delaney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lisa Delaney - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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409 Mill St  
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Lisa Sallade  
2518 L St  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Loren Adams](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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17058 Puntledge Dr  
Noblesville, IN 46062

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7221 W Sandford Ave  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Louie miller](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Louie miller  
8615 S Nash St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

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4844 4 S  
Avon, IN 46123

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2049 N 20th St  
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Marcia Schaffer  
9734 S Conner St  
Columbus, IN 47201

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Margot Sondgeroth  
2214 N 22nd St  
Lafayette, IN 47904



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646 Red Bud Ln  
Plainfield, IN 46168

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1464 Old Ford Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

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3112 Beechwood Dr  
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1458 Rosewood Dr  
Charlestown, IN 47111

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3804 Pine Creek Cir  
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**From:** [melanie bruce](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
melanie bruce  
572 Cielo Vista Ct  
Greenwood, IN 46143

**From:** [Melanie Swaim](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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964 Rolling Hill Rd  
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108 Cardinal Dr E  
Seymour, IN 47274

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Michael Spitzer  
1639 Grand Ave  
New Castle, IN 47362

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**From:** [Michele McKinley](#)  
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919 Romine Rd  
Anderson, IN 46011

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3400 S Weeping Willow Way  
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**From:** [Mike Holder](#)  
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Mike Holder  
5747 Lafayette St  
Clayton, IN 46118

**From:** [Monica Bopp](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Monica Bopp  
1441 Alabama St  
Indianapolis, IN 46202



**From:** [Nola Nottingham](#)  
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275 N 6th St  
Middletown, IN 47356

**From:** [Norman Swettenam](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Norman Swettenam  
4872 E Old Hwy 50  
Vincennes, IN 47591

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112 Yenowine Ln  
Georgetown, IN 47122

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**Subject:** Patricia Roberts - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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530 W 1st St  
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patti moebius  
9248 Colgate St  
Indianapolis, IN 46268

**From:** [Paul Murry](#)  
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6015 N 2nd St  
Bicknell, IN 47512

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Peter palmer  
10965 Gavyn Way SE  
Elizabeth, IN 47117



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17120 Joliet Rd  
Westfield, IN 46074

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Rella Ingram  
154 Highland Ave  
Franklin, IN 46131

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Rex Feltenberger  
1020 W Mulberry St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Rhonda Hovermale](#)  
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Rhonda Hovermale  
2823 Twain Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Richard Hargrave](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Richard Hargrave  
3303 E Sycamore Ave  
North Terre Haute, IN 47805

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1109 Lancashire Dr  
Richmond, IN 47374

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201 E Curry Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Robert George](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Robert George  
200 Brooks Ave  
Loogootee, IN 47553



**From:** [Robert Koons](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert Koons - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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8705 IN-64  
Georgetown, IN 47122

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1313 N Courtland Ave  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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17973 Free Spirit Wy  
Westfield, IN 46074

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2193 County Rd South 600 W  
Russiaville, IN 46979

**From:** [Rose Glowner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2830 S East St Apt B6  
Indianapolis, IN 46225

**From:** [Rose Winn](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rose Winn - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Rose Winn  
314 N 23rd St  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

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Sabrina OConnell  
2905 Franklin St  
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PO Box 803  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Sara House](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sara House - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Sara House  
702 N Main St  
Salem, IN 47167

**From:** [Sean Kidd](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sean Kidd - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1015 N Morgan St  
Rushville, IN 46173

**From:** [Sharon Robinson](#)  
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Sharon Robinson  
11683 Buttonwood Dr  
Carmel, IN 46033

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7974 Greenwood Ct  
Terre Haute, IN 47802

**From:** [Stephen Barger](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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12847 Lenover St  
Dillsboro, IN 47018

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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2962 E Brown Rd  
New Castle, IN 47362

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2942 US-150  
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4871 County Rd North 100 W  
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Susan Ament  
1335 Crest Ct  
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**From:** [Susan Hammond](#)  
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2881 S Walnut Street Pike  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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1324 N Apperson Way  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Suzanne Justice](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Suzanne Justice  
422 4th St  
Aurora, IN 47001

**From:** [Tamara Turner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Tamara Turner  
975 W Central Ave  
Brazil, IN 47834

**From:** [Tammi Duis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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350 W Adams St  
Franklin, IN 46131



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20 W Jefferson St  
North Vernon, IN 47265

**From:** [Tammy Schwartzenberger](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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928 Apple Valley Rd  
Greenwood, IN 46142

**From:** [Tara Clay](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Tara Clay - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Tara Clay  
250 McDowell Ln  
Springville, IN 47462

**From:** [Ted Gregorek](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ted Gregorek - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Ted Gregorek  
1703 N Talbott St  
Indianapolis, IN 46202

**From:** [Teresa Walter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Teresa Walter - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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845 Harvest Dr Apt A  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Terri Stevens  
2426 Steiner Ave  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Terry Castor](#)  
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Terry Castor  
3099 W County Rd 1000 N  
Brazil, IN 47834

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489 Nick Ct  
Martinsville, IN 46151



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1165 David Ave  
Linton, IN 47441

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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203 Westwood Ln  
Madison, IN 47250

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thomas Thompson  
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Medora, IN 47260

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Timothy Walker  
11120 S County Rd 225 W  
Cloverdale, IN 46120

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Tom Johnson  
7809 N 28th 1/2 St  
Terre Haute, IN 47805

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5811 Sly Fox Ln  
Indianapolis, IN 46237

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Tracy Noppert  
668 Harrison Brookville Rd  
West Harrison, IN 47060

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Respectfully,  
Urban Sampson  
923 Hoosier St  
North Vernon, IN 47265



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Vanessa Crowell  
120 W Lake Dr  
Nashville, IN 47448

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Vicki Cox  
4590 N 590 E  
Crawfordsville, IN 47933

**From:** [Vicki Garrett](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Vicki Garrett  
839 Willark Dr  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Wanda Hall  
217 W Park Pl  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Wayne Johnson  
400 W Terrace Dr Trlr 14  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [WILBUR Lewellen](#)  
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4638 S Old 60  
Salem, IN 47167

**From:** [William Lewis](#)  
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1800 Dutch Ln Lot 7  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8296 S Ketcham Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47403



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Regards,  
William Pierce  
9899 County Rd 350 W  
Worthington, IN 47471

**From:** [Abby Causey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Abby Causey - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Abby Causey  
1018 W Havens St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Alan Murray](#)  
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**Subject:** Alan Murray - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Alan Murray  
1544 Dutch St  
Corydon, IN 47112

**From:** [Alisia Lawrence](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Alisia Lawrence - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Alisia Lawrence  
2023 N 27th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Amanda Altherr](#)  
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Regards,  
Amanda Altherr  
1225 S Buckeye St  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Amy Surface](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Amy Surface - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Amy Surface  
833 Sweetbriar Ave  
New Whiteland, IN 46184

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Andrew Iredale - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Andrew Iredale  
2905 Middle Rd  
Jeff, IN 47130

**From:** [Andy Whitt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Andy Whitt  
1800 S 18th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



**From:** [Ann Parks](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ann Parks - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Ann Parks  
9531 Lorton Cir  
Indianapolis, IN 46239

**From:** [Annette Jarvis](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Annette Jarvis - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Annette Jarvis  
13718 Deer Creek Ave  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Annie Arens-Walker](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Annie Arens-Walker - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Annie Arens-Walker  
402 Sharp St  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

**From:** [Anthony Short](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Anthony Short - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Anthony Short  
3613 Sun Rise Cir  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Ashley Sparrow](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ashley Sparrow - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Ashley Sparrow  
2213 Willard Ave  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Barb Joy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Barb Joy - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Barb Joy  
2810 E 950 S  
Markleville, IN 46056

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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9999 Franklin Ct  
Indianapolis, IN 46280

**From:** [Barbara Stoffer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Barbara Stoffer - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Barbara Stoffer  
2186 Stonecreek Ln  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



**From:** [Bernard Broadus](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Bernard Broadus  
p.box 292  
Georgetown, IN 47122

**From:** [Betty Peltonen](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Betty Peltonen  
5620 Battersea Ln  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Betty Stanczak](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Betty Stanczak - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Betty Stanczak  
1155 De Wolf St  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Beverly Cleaver](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Beverly Cleaver - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Beverly Cleaver  
1011 S Maple St  
Orleans, IN 47452

**From:** [Beverly Noblitt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Beverly Noblitt - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Beverly Noblitt  
2840 W Elm Ave  
New Goshen, IN 47863

**From:** [Beverly Rawlings](#)  
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Beverly Rawlings  
18180 Knobstone Way  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [Bill Mohler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Bill Mohler - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Bill Mohler  
5992 N Co Rd 300 E  
Frankfort, IN 46041

**From:** [Brent Pierce](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Brent Pierce - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Brent Pierce  
4573 Neuman Lake Rd  
IN 47357



**From:** [CARA Weir](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** CARA Weir - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
CARA Weir  
2119 Garfield Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [Carissa Dee](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Carissa Dee - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Carissa Dee  
3021 S Rogers St  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Carl Retzlaff](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Carl Retzlaff  
516 Forest View Dr  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Carol Brisentine](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Carol Brisentine - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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1294 Trogdon Ln  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Cathy Atterson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Cathy Atterson - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Cathy Atterson  
1106 N 10th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47807

**From:** [Cecil Hammond](#)  
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Cecil Hammond  
861 Shelby's Crst Pr  
Shelbyville, IN 46176

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Charles Beswick  
2285 County Rd South 600 W  
Russiaville, IN 46979

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
charles Cottom  
1918 E Lexington Dr  
Terre Haute, IN 47802



**From:** [Charles Greenburg](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Charles Greenburg - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1597 Lacebark Dr Unit I  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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5248 Fallwood Dr Apt 104  
Indianapolis, IN 46220

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6567 IN-158  
Bedford, IN 47421

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1018 Sherwood Dr  
Greencastle, IN 46135

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323 S 22nd St  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Clarence Mason](#)  
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1583 2nd Way E  
Carmel, IN 46033

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7373 Woodruff Ln  
Nineveh, IN 46164

**From:** [Damon Havlicek](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Damon Havlicek - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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1889 E State Road 44  
Connersville, IN 47331



**From:** [Dana Morrison](#)  
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2428 Ashley Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Daniel Lockhard](#)  
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Daniel Lockhard  
4955 N Crystal St  
North Vernon, IN 47265

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181 N Franklin St  
Campbellsburg, IN 47108

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DARLENE CASTELLANO  
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Lexington, IN 47138

**From:** [Dave Brown](#)  
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New Richmond, IN 47967

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714 Ridgewood Ave  
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Regards,  
David sandlin  
1145 Southbridge Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46142

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306 S Lincoln St  
Westport, IN 47283

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Dennis Bargar  
7762 E County Rd 200 S  
Dugger, IN 47848

**From:** [Diana Neal](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Diana Neal  
2870 S Brookside Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401

**From:** [Donnie Bean](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Donnie Bean  
303 Day Ln NW  
Depauw, IN 47115

**From:** [Douglas Ludwig](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Douglas Ludwig  
220 Green Rd  
Madison, IN 47250



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Doyle Proffitt - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1712 Hunter Ave  
New Castle, IN 47362

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Eugenia Wesner  
5358 W County Line Rd  
Elnora, IN 47529

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108 E Marion St  
Converse, IN 46919

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3600 Western Ave Apt 334D  
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**From:** [Fred Powell](#)  
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9700 White St  
Clarks Hill, IN 47930

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9718 W Cricket Ln  
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3090 N Morton St  
Franklin, IN 46131

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Indianapolis, IN 46217

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Rushville, IN 46173

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Bloomfield, IN 47424

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Jeffersonville, IN 47130

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Thank you,  
Jill Fleener  
1137 E Chaney St  
Sullivan, IN 47882



**From:** [Jody Ashba](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1056 E County Rd 75 N  
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**From:** [Joel Hershberger](#)  
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Thank you,  
Joel Hershberger  
409 Montgomery Dr  
Westfield, IN 46074

**From:** [John Bolan](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** John Bolan - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
John Bolan  
2229 Indian Village Blvd  
Fort Wayne, IN 46809

**From:** [JOHN CIANTEO](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** JOHN CIANTEO - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
JOHN CIANTEO  
2640 Garfield Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

**From:** [John Hiatt](#)  
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John Hiatt  
113 Willowood Ln  
Fishers, IN 46038

**From:** [Jon Beasey](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Jon Beasey  
4315 E 400 N  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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Joseph Hance  
17333 Cherry Tree Rd  
Noblesville, IN 46062

**From:** [Joseph Snodgrass](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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11 E North St  
New Palestine, IN 46163



**From:** [Judy Jones](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Judy Jones - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Judy Jones  
3575 Central Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46205

**From:** [Julia Waggoner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Julia Waggoner - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Julia Waggoner  
4931 Franklin Villas Pl

Indianapolis, IN 46237

**From:** [Julie Clark](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Julie Clark - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Julie Clark  
7706 N 1000 E  
Darlington, IN 47940

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Karen Hilpisch  
7787 Wooden Shoe Cir  
Avon, IN 46123

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Karen Painter - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Karen Painter  
1719 Zartman Rd  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Kathleen Warren](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kathleen Warren  
4623 Hillside Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46205

**From:** [Kathy Stroud](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kathy Stroud - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Kathy Stroud  
4781 W Meadow Lake Dr  
New Palestine, IN 46163



**From:** [Keith Kraehmer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Keith Kraehmer  
3497 E 600 S  
Hillsdale, IN 47854

**From:** [Kelly Bradford](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Kelly Bradford  
1189 E Harrison St  
Martinsville, IN 46151

**From:** [Kenneth Plummer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Kenneth Plummer  
3437 N Section St  
Sullivan, IN 47882

**From:** [Kenneth Stingley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Kenneth Stingley  
1002 W 7th St  
Greensburg, IN 47240

**From:** [Kent Mitchell](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kent Mitchell - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Kent Mitchell  
1100 Cedar Cir  
Georgetown, IN 47122

**From:** [Kevin Scheirmann](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kevin Scheirmann - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Thank you,  
Kevin Scheirmann  
3037 Lotus Ln  
Vincennes, IN 47591

**From:** [Kimberly Rickgauer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kimberly Rickgauer - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Kimberly Rickgauer  
6300 N State Line Rd  
Cayuga, IN 47928

**From:** [Kristie Demmary](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Kristie Demmary - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Kristie Demmary  
5201 White Pine Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47403



**From:** [Lana Braukhoff](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lana Braukhoff - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Lana Braukhoff  
1601 E Locust St  
Petersburg, IN 47567

**From:** [Laura Baldini](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Laura Baldini - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Laura Baldini  
706 S Locke St  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Lawrence Schuler](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lawrence Schuler - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Lawrence Schuler  
264 Decatur St  
Aurora, IN 47001

**From:** [Lilith Marlar](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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4114 E Shorts Corner Rd  
New Pekin, IN 47165

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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linda backus  
202 Franklin St  
Akron, IN 46910

**From:** [Linda KayHudson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Linda KayHudson  
2528 Harrison Ave  
Terre Haute, IN 47803

**From:** [Lisa Davies](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Lisa Davies - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Lisa Davies  
645 Clinton St Apt A106  
Clinton, IN 47842

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Respectfully,  
Lisa Norris  
9449 Priority Way West Dr Ste 140  
Indianapolis, IN 46240



**From:** [Loren Wire](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Loren Wire - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Loren Wire  
2872 Karen Ct  
Columbus, IN 47203

**From:** [Mark Hamer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Mark Hamer  
71 Ashlin Ct  
Batesville, IN 47006

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Mark Mcnear  
9022 Hosta Way  
Indianapolis, IN 46113

**From:** [Mark Mirus](#)  
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Mark Mirus  
165 Dixon St  
Aurora, IN 47001

**From:** [Mary Grose](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mary Grose - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Mary Grose  
4401 Leaf Cir  
Sellersburg, IN 47172

**From:** [Mary morrow](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Mary morrow - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Mary morrow  
3320 S Arlington Ave  
Indianapolis, IN 46203

**From:** [MaryLynn HurstRiley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
MaryLynn HurstRiley  
230 Forest Dr  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Megan Hale](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Megan Hale - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Megan Hale  
3135 E 116th St  
Carmel, IN 46033



**From:** [Melanie Craig](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Melanie Craig  
806 S Main St  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Michael Defur](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michael Defur - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Michael Defur  
4245 Stillwater Dr  
Plainfield, IN 46168

**From:** [Michael Shoaf](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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3491 E Lanam Rd  
Bloomington, IN 47408

**From:** [Michelle Moore](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Michelle Moore - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1525 S Ave  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Mike anderson](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mike anderson  
5267 Old Paris Rd  
West Terre Haute, IN 47885

**From:** [Mr. Orcutt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Mr. Orcutt  
9515 S Co Rd 900 W  
Daleville, IN 47334

**From:** [Nadine Treece](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Nadine Treece  
525 W Perrin St  
Mulberry, IN 46058

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Regards,  
nancy Mattice  
1014 E Heather Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401



**From:** [Nancy Miller](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**From:** [Nathan Jenkins](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Nathan Jenkins  
1138 N Marion St  
Mitchell, IN 47446

**From:** [Neshea Schmidt](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Neshea Schmidt  
130 E 7th St  
Rushville, IN 46173

**From:** [Nyoka Matney](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Nyoka Matney - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Nyoka Matney  
156 W 3rd St  
Campbellsburg, IN 47108

**From:** [Pam Murch](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pam Murch - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Pam Murch  
2052 Whiteland Rd  
Whiteland, IN 46184

**From:** [Pam Wooten](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pam Wooten - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Pam Wooten  
107 N Mulberry St  
Sulphur Springs, IN 47388

**From:** [Pamela Richert](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Pamela Richert - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Pamela Richert  
3942 Kensington Dr  
Lafayette, IN 47905

**From:** [Patricia Bates](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Patricia Bates - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Patricia Bates  
3335 Ashley Ln  
Indianapolis, IN 46224



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Patricia shull  
3100 W Jonestown Rd  
Clinton, IN 47842

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Peggy Bush - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Peggy Bush  
861 Jennifer Dr  
Greenwood, IN 46143

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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8 Chateau Dr  
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Perry Jackson  
236 E Wood Ave  
Clinton, IN 47842

**From:** [Phyllis Hoffman](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Phyllis Hoffman - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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204 W Everton Rd  
Connersville, IN 47331

**From:** [Rebecca Jolly](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rebecca Jolly - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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1176 Ida Ct  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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17869 Sandy Run Ct  
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**From:** [Rebekah Medley](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rebekah Medley - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
**Date:** Friday, April 25, 2025 12:43:26 PM

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Respectfully,  
Rebekah Medley  
3301 Williams Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902



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Rex Porter  
708 S Cory Ln  
Bloomington, IN 47403

**From:** [Rhonda Davenport](#)  
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Rhonda Davenport  
2809 N 275 W  
Crawfordsville, IN 47933

**From:** [Richard Cummings](#)  
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Richard Cummings  
803 E 2nd St Ext  
North Manchester, IN 46962

**From:** [Rick Jones](#)  
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Rick Jones  
10157 E State Rd 38  
Kirklin, IN 46050

**From:** [Rita Turner](#)  
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Rita Turner  
1610 S Lafountain St  
IN 46901

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Robert Goodin  
10837 Woodlook Ln  
Indianapolis, IN 46239

**From:** [Robert Lee](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Robert Lee  
7576 W Co Rd 100 N  
Greensburg, IN 47240



**From:** [Robert Stucker](#)  
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Robert Stucker  
2132 E County Rd 900 S  
Clayton, IN 46118

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Robert Tipton  
3402 S I St  
Bedford, IN 47421

**From:** [Robert Wagner](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert Wagner - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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1313 N Courtland Ave  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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8431 E County Rd 200 S  
IN 47263

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Robert Whitaker - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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2900 Middle Rd  
Jeffersonville, IN 47130

**From:** [Robin Bellamy](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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366 N Main St  
Scottsburg, IN 47170

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Regards,  
Ronald Cross  
5389 N Fouts Rd  
Liberty, IN 47353

**From:** [Rondall Short](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Rondall Short - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Rondall Short  
109 S Dayton St  
Worthington, IN 47471



**From:** [Ross Ryan](#)  
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Ross Ryan  
651 County Rd N 300 E  
Kokomo, IN 46901

**From:** [Ruth Reynard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Ruth Reynard - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Ruth Reynard  
1213 Tepee Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Sally Holz](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Sally Holz  
807 Holz Rd  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Sandy Loften](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sandy Loften - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Regards,  
Sandy Loften  
1214 Woodward Ave  
New Castle, IN 47362

**From:** [Sarah Hunter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sarah Hunter - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Respectfully,  
Sarah Hunter  
4294 S State Road 65  
Owensville, IN 47665

**From:** [Sarah Penquite](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Thank you,  
Sarah Penquite  
5235 Sherwood Ct  
Carmel, IN 46033

**From:** [Sarah Shannon](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sarah Shannon - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Sarah Shannon  
2329 Wellington Green Dr  
Clarksville, IN 47129

**From:** [Shannon Moses](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Shannon Moses - Cause Number 46193 Put Hoosiers ahead of profits for Duke  
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Respectfully,  
Shannon Moses  
2000 E Marilyn Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401



**From:** [Shri Beard](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Shri Beard - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Shri Beard  
616 James Dr  
Kokomo, IN 46902

**From:** [Stephanie Slaughter](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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525 E 9th St  
New Albany, IN 47150

**From:** [Stephen Hall](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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300 N Illinois St  
Colfax, IN 46035

**From:** [Steven Flowers](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Steven Flowers - Please Reject Duke's \$3.3 Billion Request in Cause Number 46193  
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Steven Flowers  
4663 E 200 S  
Anderson, IN 46017

**From:** [Steven Hilpisch](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Steven Hilpisch - Please stand up for cheaper, cleaner options in Cause Number 46193  
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Steven Hilpisch  
7787 Wooden Shoe Cir  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [Steven Peters](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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208 S Main St  
Marengo, IN 47140

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Sue Terhune - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Sue Terhune  
20 Lincoln Ct  
Franklin, IN 46131

**From:** [Sue White](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Regards,  
Sue White  
2102 Saratoga Ave  
Kokomo, IN 46902



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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Syed hussain  
912 Weeping Way Ln  
Avon, IN 46123

**From:** [T. Gumberts](#)  
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Regards,  
T. Gumberts  
221 S Jackson St  
Morristown, IN 46161

**From:** [Tamara Spencer](#)  
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Respectfully,  
Tamara Spencer  
727 Ramblin Rd  
Greenwood, IN 46142

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Tamera Machango  
5649 W Mcneely St  
Ellettsville, IN 47429

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Tammy Baugh  
2511 N Fritz Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47408

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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Terri Meehan  
2702 N 12th St  
Terre Haute, IN 47804

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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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1604 IN-252  
Martinsville, IN 46151

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Theresa Marshall  
8509 Sansa St  
Indianapolis, IN 46113



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Thomas Barnard  
PO Box 66  
Hymera, IN 47855

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66 Lakeshore Dr  
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4734 E Donington Dr  
Bloomington, IN 47401

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Tim Shirar  
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North Manchester, IN 46962

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815 Brooks Dr  
Fortville, IN 46040

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**From:** [Wanda Wilkey](#)  
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NO! Just no.

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Our income doesn't go up!

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**From:** [William Dougherty](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** William Dougherty - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
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**From:** [Wilma Ellsworth](#)  
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Wilma Ellsworth  
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**From:** [Yvonne Geyer](#)  
**To:** [UCC Consumer Info](#)  
**Subject:** Yvonne Geyer - No more rate hikes! Please stand up for customers in Cause Number 46193  
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Terre Haute, IN 47802

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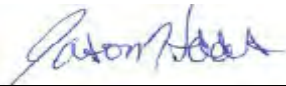
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