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Subject: TECO/People's Gas - Request for Natural Gas Rate Increase

It is absolutely scandalous that TECO is requesting an increase in gas rates. While they not have increased rates since 2008, the wholesale price of gas since 2008 has dropped 75%. Why do they need a price increase when the cost of their commodity has dropped significantly?

Furthermore, about 80% of my monthly bill is not therm related; distribution, overhead, base rate, blah, blah, blah. Maybe TECO needs to stop spending money on excessive corporate functions and employee benefits and focus on fulfilling its core function of delivering gas.

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