## **Resolution of the Board**

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LGE Gas: 4.2 Percent	
authorizes the superintendent ("KSBA") up to \$26	the <u>DANSON</u> SPRING Board of Education ("Board") hereby to provide funding support to the Kentucky School Boards Association to represent the interests of the Board before the PSC in Case Nos. 2016 and will be billed and hereby commits to reimburse KSBA for its share of sts.
	Board of Education
	Chair
	Attest
	Title





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December 21, 2016

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Mr. Leonard Whalen, Superintendent Dawson Springs Independent Schools 118 East Arcadia Avenue Dawson Springs, KY 42408

Dear Superintendent Whalen:

On November 23, 2016 the Louisville Gas and Electric and Kentucky Utilities Companies requested the Public Service Commission for authority to increase electric and gas rates. If approved as submitted individual schools could experience the following average utility cost increases:

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KU Electric: 6.4 percent

The PSC will suspend implementation of the proposed rates until July 17, 2017 to permit review of the request and for parties to voice their concerns. KSBA has intervened on behalf of districts, most recently in 2014 with contributions from affected districts to an intervention fund. In other prior proceedings funding was provided by the Council for Better Education ("CBE"). The CBS will be providing \$25,000 for the current proceedings. Because those funds may not cover all intervention costs your district is being asked to consider committing to contribute to a Supplemental Intervention Fund of \$10,000 to cover legal and professional witness costs should the need arise. Attached is a list showing the cost per district if all or half of the eighty-three affective districts participate.

As a first step, we are asking that you respond by email to Ron Willhite (<a href="mailto:ron.willhite@ksba.org">ron.willhite@ksba.org</a>) indicating **Yes** or **NO** that you will recommend to your board participation up to the <a href="mailto:amount shown">amount shown</a> in the "Half" participating column. We are asking for an up to commitment as we cannot predict if all districts will participate. In the 2014 proceeding only four districts declined participation. Next please insert that amount in the attached Resolution and present to your Board for authorization to participate in the intervention and committing the Board to reimburse KSBA for the Board's share of actual incurred costs that exceed the CBE contribution.

Your immediate attention to this matter is requested.

Sincerely,

Mike Armstrong
Executive Director

# LGE-KU RATE CASE INTERVENTION **COST by DISTRICT**

DISTRICT	Share District's Participating		DISTRICT	Share	
				District's Participating	
	All	Half		All	Half
AI.	\$27	\$41	Jessamine	\$51	\$77
Anchorage	\$27 \$68	\$102	Knox	\$51 \$51	\$77
Anderson	\$68 \$17	\$102 \$26	LaRue	\$78	\$117
Augusta Ballard	\$17 \$51	\$20 \$77	Laurel	\$119	\$179
Barren	\$31 \$34	\$77 \$51	Lee	\$34	\$51
Bath	\$5 <b>1</b>	\$77	Lincoln	\$85	\$128
Bell	\$120	\$179	Lyon	\$51	\$77
Bourbon	\$86	\$128	Madison	\$204	\$306
Boyle	\$86	\$128	Marion	\$85	\$128
Bracken	\$51	\$77	Mason	\$68	\$102
Bullitt	\$201	\$300	McCracken	\$68	\$102
Burgin	\$17	\$26	McCreary	\$51	\$77
Campbellsville	\$51	\$77	McLean	\$51	\$77
Carroll	\$68	\$102	Meade	\$37	\$56
Casey	\$86	\$128	Mercer	\$51	\$77
Caverna	\$51	\$77	Middlesboro	\$68	\$102
Christian	\$17	\$26	Montgomery	\$102	\$153
Clark	\$120	\$179	Muhlenberg	\$153	\$230
Clay	\$34	\$51	Nelson	\$51	\$77
Crittenden	\$51	\$77	Nicholas	\$34	\$51
Danville	\$86	\$128	Ohio	\$68	\$102
Dawson SP	\$17	\$26	Oldham	\$339	\$509
East Bernstadt	\$17	\$26	Pendleton	\$17	\$26
Elizabethtown	\$86	\$128	Pineville	\$34	\$51
Eminence	\$34	\$51	Pulaski	\$136	\$204
Estill	\$51	\$77	Robertson	\$17	\$26
Fayette	\$856	\$1,275	Rockcastle	\$68	\$102
Fleming	\$51	\$77	Rowan	\$34	\$51 \$102
Gallatin	\$68	\$102	Russell	\$68 \$17	\$102
Garrard -	\$34	\$51	Science Hill		\$332
Grayson	\$86	\$128	Scott	\$221 \$136	\$204
Green	\$68	\$102 \$438	Shelby Somerset	\$130 \$51	\$77
Hardin	\$294	\$438	Taylor	\$51 \$51	\$77 \$77
Harlan Co	\$137	\$204 \$51	Trimble	\$31 \$27	\$41
Harlan Ind	\$34 \$51	\$31 \$77	Union	\$85	\$128
Harrison	\$103	\$153	Washington	\$34	\$51
Hart	\$103 \$17	\$26	Webster	\$85	\$128
Henderson	\$17 \$96	\$20 \$143	West Point	\$17	\$26
Henry Hickman	\$34	\$51	Williamsburg	\$17	\$26
Hopkins	\$120	\$179	Woodford	\$119	\$179
Jefferson	\$3,218	\$4,805		•	•

\$10,000 Allocated on K-12 Schools: \$9,000 Electric LGE&KU

\$1,000 Gas LGE