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Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Attn. Mr. Robert F. Powelson, Chairman
P.O. Box 3265
Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265


RE: Comments on Docket No. L-2009-2107155, Rulemaking Re Amendment to 52 Pa. Code Sec. 59.18
Meter Location

Dear Chairman Powelson,

I, Thomas Yuracka, have been a resident of the West Park Historic District since 1984. I have been a strong advocate of historic preservation and have made a personal investment in six additional properties in the district to ensure their restoration and preservation. All six properties are currently UGI customers. I view moving the meters to an outside location as an aesthetic assault to the facades of my properties. Not to mention, I have safety related concerns with the outside meters' due to exposure to vandals, vehicle contact, and weather related issues, as well as meters being used as a non-intended tethering post.

If UGI requires the relocation of gas meters to an outside location, I am prepared to discontinue the services of UGI as an energy provider as equipment replacement dictates, or when purchasing future properties. There has been no compelling evidence to support the outside location of the meters. My personal research has led me to believe significant safety hazards result from the outside location of meters. I urge you not to deface historic properties for the convenience of UGI.

Sincerely,



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