

PUC Electric Deregulation Report Card

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Current Evaluation</u>	<u>Improvement</u>
Utility Bills	Up 22 to 34%	Fix Price to Beat Base prices on ALL fuel costs!
Consumer Protection • OPUC Threatened	Weakened!	Strengthen! Give OPUC the authority to initiate enforcement action!
Low Income	Cut 50%! Discount reduced from 17 to 10%- Weatherization program eliminated!	Restore Programs!
Cost of Regulation	Doubled in Price	Move most functions to PUC Cap fee
Openness and Fairness in Regulation	Most records are secret Current contracting scandals	Open Records- Open Meetings Open Contracts
Air Pollution	50 % reduction in Smog	Need additional reductions Reduce NO _x by 27% Reduce So ₂ by 75% Reduce H _g by 98%
Renewable Energy	Great start but now 9 out of 14 RPS exceed Texas' RPS	RPS needs to be increased to 20%
Transmission	Nodal costs too much and does too little!	We need a transmission plan!