

Ms. Janie M. Gonzalez CPS Energy Board of Trustee & RAC Liaison

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San Antonio City Council 115 Plaza de Armas, 2nd Floor San Antonio, TX 78205

Dear	Council	Member	
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I am writing to you today with excitement for the implementation of the Rate Advisory Committee (RAC) for CPS Energy. On December 14, 2020, the Board of Trustees approved the creation of the RAC with a mission to provide helpful and unique perspective to CPS Energy's efforts related to rate structure and design.

As a member of this community, a CPS Energy Board member, and a customer, I have been in full support of the RAC. This complementary community stakeholder group will not only provide customers the opportunity to weigh in on utility rate concerns, but it will also:

- Review the design of the utility's current and future rate structures
- Offer input to Management & the CPS Energy Board of Trustees on rate changes
- Provide input on customer impact

In addition, I am honored to have been asked by Mayor Nirenberg to serve as the Board Liaison for the RAC, as we will soon begin the application process for prospective committee members. The application packet is forthcoming for use with your respective district appointee.

In the meantime, please feel free to send the names and contact information of anyone you would like to nominate directly to John Leal @ <u>JCLeal@CPSEnergy.com</u>. As soon as the application packet is ready, we will send it to your nominee and provide helpful assistance to them, as needed.

I look forward to this incredible opportunity for community engagement and dialogue, strengthened by the CPS Energy philosophy of putting *People First!*

Sincerely, *Danie*