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Since the last briefing of the Committee in September, the City has submitted the expert testimony of William Marcus to the Public Service Commission in opposition to MGE's rate proposal. We are the only governmental entity to submit testimony in opposition to MGE's proposal. Mr. Marcus's testimony addressed MGE's cost of service studies, rate design and the policy implications of its proposal as a way to support our opposition to MGE's application. On October 9, the City participated in the public hearing and technical hearing at the Public Service Commission. The City will be submitting a brief in support of its position on October 21. Following additional briefing and procedural matters, all arguments are due to the Commission on Monday, November 3. The three member Commission is expected to rule on MGE's request sometime in late November.