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To: Idaho Public Utilities Commission

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My wife, Donna & I are against
the automated meter proposal.

With the uncertainty of future power
rates with dry weather and drought
and the likely need to rely on outside expensive
power from natural gas or coal, it
would be very unwise to add \$6.5
million to do the automated meter reading

at this time. Also it will put people out

of work
who read meters.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. & Mrs. Adrian L. Arp