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Subject: Net Metering in NH

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To the Right Honorable PUC Commissioners,

As a homeowner in Cheshire County I ask that you do not issue a negative order in the net energy metering docket as it will directly impact my overall housing cost by increasing my annual electric bill. This will negatively impact me and my family's quality of life, especially during this period of economic inflation.

Our rooftop PV system, installed in 2021, saves my family approximately \$1,000 in annual electric cost. This savings allows our family to make improvements to our property, go out to eat, and other local activities that spur economic activity in our community.

Decisions like this, to increase energy costs for families exacerbates the already severe housing affordability crisis within NH and further puts the American Dream out of reach for middle class families such as mine. Please take into account the impact to every day families in your decision making, especially considering the fact that electricity costs in NH are already some of the highest in the nation.

Be well,--

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