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**Summary of Testimony of
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Summary of Testimony of Rick Gilliam (The Vote Solar Initiative)

As a result of the dramatic decrease in cost of solar generation resources, a time when incentives to install solar are no longer needed is on the horizon. Without incentives to exchange for renewable energy credits (RECs), how can the utility acquire the RECs necessary to prove it is in compliance with the distributed energy standard? The proposals in this case fall into three camps. First is to eliminate the requirement; second is to track distributed energy generation for indirect compliance; and third is to establish a REC market for buying and trading of RECs based on market value. Vote Solar supports the third strategy and vigorously oppose the first two.