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Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2015 8:05 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~OSVEC: E-01375A-15-012771P013-0248 TED: E-01033A-15-0100 UNS~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Solar is the future. Please don't let corporate greed come before what's right.

Sincerely,

martha gee

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Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:48 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SCMFC, E-01575A-15-0127, AP 3, 15-0248, TED, E-01032A, 15-0100, UNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

As a solar customer I'm doing my part to use natural and renewable resources that are clean and safe for the environment. Currently, the power company is already making a profit off the power I don't use by selling it to my non solar neighbours which they reimburse me at a fraction of that cost. In addition the power I still use from the grid is sold to me at going grid rates. They are reaping profits in both resale of the power generated by my solar, the power they sell back to me at a higher cost, all while not having the burden of maintaining the solar panels or the land to house the panels while still reaping the benefits of the panels. Ongoing and unnecessary rate increases will stunt the growth of solar and continue our dependence on non-renewable resources.

Sincerely,

Dace Tapley

Debra Scordato

From: Patrice Welsh-Benjamin <pwelsh25@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:52 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SCMFC E-01575A-15-0127 AP 5-15-0248 TEL E-01033A-15-0100 UNB~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Solar rates should only be addressed in the proper setting of a rate case! Do not act only in the various utility interests!

Sincerely,

Patrice Welsh-Benjamin

Debra Scordato

From: Juanita Hull-Carlson <roycenita@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:54 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC. E-01375A-15-0127 APB. 15-0248 TED. E-01355A-15-0100 SMC~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please think of the long term. We need to transition to sustainable power sources and SOLAR is huge in AZ. Be smart, be kind, be thoughtful and considerate of the future of the planet, not just your pressure groups and their pocket books.
thanks.

Sincerely,

Juanita Hull-Carlson

Debra Scordato

From: Dan Williamson <dan@dbmk.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:56 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SS REG E-01575A-15-0127 AND E-015804B-15-0048 TED E-01932A-15-0100 UNIS~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

The only proper place to discuss Solar customers is in a all-encompassing rate change hearing.

Sincerely,

Dan Williamson

Debra Scordato

From: Joe Stevens <stevenscasita@msn.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:56 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC: E-01375A-15-0127 APS: 15-0248 TEP: E-01333A-15-0100 GNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please do not allow the utility companies to raise solar customer rates without there being a fair rate case discussion. These companies are obviously concerned about their bottom line, however solar should is a natural in Arizona and should not be penalized. Thank you. Sincerely, Joe Stevens

Sincerely,

Joe Stevens

Debra Scordato

From: Shanna Fowler <smrwbf@msm.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:57 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVLC; E-01375A-15-0127 AFS; 15-0248 TEL; E-01375A-15-0127 AFS.

Dear Commissioner Forese,

utility companies shouldn't be allowed to make additional profit from customers using solar. Customers are paying for solar in addition to a base amount from the utility companies already. People should not be penalized for trying to use a renewable resource just because utility companies don't have a monopoly on solar. Using solar should be an affordable option for everyone! Additionally the committee members should represent the majority of people in this state and not corporate stake holders. Do what is right, what is fair, and what is legal please.

Sincerely,

Shanna Fowler

Debra Scordato

From: Steve Abbott <ttsabbott@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:57 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SENSE: E-01461A-15-0127 AND S-15-0246 TEL: E-01461A-15-0100 LINS:~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

To whom it may concern:

Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar.

The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.

All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case.

The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Steve Abbott

Debra Scordato

From: Rachel Mobley <rachel.mobley@comcast.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:58 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CCNYEC, E-01575A-15-0127 AF3, 15-0248 FER, E-01038A-15-0100 UNIC~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please support solar energy.

Four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Rachel Mobley

Debra Scordato

From: Bobbie Howard <bchoward123@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:58 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~66MEG-E-01575A-15-0127~~ ~~TRICO-15-0048~~ ~~TRICO-15-0055A-15-0100~~ ~~TRICO-15-0100~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please stop being unfair to solar customers. Your sneak attacks are very transparent. The world is changing. We are sick of Big Oil and the politicians who want to protect the polluters.

Sincerely,

Bobbie Howard

Debra Scordato

From: DAVID SHEETS <RHABBI2014@GMAIL.COM>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:59 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 33VLEC. E-01375A-15-0127 APS. 15-0248 TEL. E-010001-15-0100 UNCL

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I WOULD HOPE AND PRAY THAT YOU DO YOUR JOB TO THE LETTER ON THE SUBJECT OF MAKING THE ENERGY COMPANIES GO THROUGH THE PROCESS OF RAISING RATES . I WAS TOLD THAT WE NEEDED TO USE SOLAR TO PROTECT OUR FUTURE AND NOT PUT A LOAD ON THE ENERGY COMPANY. LOOKING TO THE FUTURE I DID JUST THAT, I PURCHASED SOLAR AND TRADED MY CARBON CREDITS AWAY SO THE ENERGY COMPANY HAS THEM TO SELL AND KEEP THEIR COSTS UNDER CONTROL.NOW THEY WANT TO ALSO PLACE A FEE ON THE VERY PERSON WHO WANTS TO HELP THEM AND OUR INFASTRUCTURE. I THINK SOMEONE IS GETTING BOUGHT OFF AT YOUR LEVEL. PLEASE STOP THE DOUBLE TAXATION OF THOSE WHO ARE TRYING TO HELP. STOP ALL TAXES ON THE SOLAR USERS, THIS IS NOT RIGHT AND YOU KNOW IT.

Sincerely,

DAVID SHEETS

Debra Scordato

From: Dorothy Conner <dorthyconner@msn.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:00 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC: E-01375A-15-0127 APS: 13-0349 TED: E-013881-15-0100 OTIS~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I got solar panels to help the environment as I'm sure others did. Please take this into consideration.

Sincerely,

Dorothy Conner

Debra Scordato

From: CRAIG MURPHY <cryanm89@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:03 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SECRET E-01461A-15-0127 APR 15 02 10 PM EST~~
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Dear Commissioner Forese,

These Utilities are overstepping their boundaries and acting as if there is no oversight. Their public communications would have people believe that the proposed rate hikes are already in place. These actions are destroying business in Arizona and scaring consumers into thinking that the Utilities can do whatever they choose when it comes to solar customers. Please she'd light on this issue by enforcing the rules and haveven a rate case for all of the utilities individually. The misinformation they are spreading is astounding... and it is damaging. New Jersey has friendlier solar policy than Arizona and this needs to change. The sun is the greatest resource in THIS state. Thank You.

Sincerely,

CRAIG MURPHY

Debra Scordato

From: Chad Kennedy <drchadkennedy@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:05 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CC FILE: E-01461A-15-0127-APP-13-0049-TRC-E-01461A-15-0100-ONS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

We are in an age where we need pro-renewable policies including solar not the opposite. Even China is planning on major reductions in greenhouse gas emissions with massive investment in solar and other renewables. Stop pandering to the old way of doing business and set forth intelligent policy to usher in the culture of distributed power generation.

All the best,

Dr. Chad Kennedy

Sincerely,

Chad Kennedy

Debra Scordato

From: Paul Robinson <paulr82450@live.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:06 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSV# [REDACTED] 15-0310 APS 12-0310 TFD E-01461A-15-0100 GNS.

Dear Commissioner Forese,

The only thing the utility companies care about is making money for their shareholders. They care nothing about their customers. Look at the salaries, benefits and perks they get. Every time you turn around they have their hand out crying poor me. They act like the people at the corner of Wal-Mart. I am sick and tired of it. If I could I would take my Solar and go off the Grid.

- Four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures.
- Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar.
- The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.
- All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case.
- The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Thoroughly fed up

Sincerely,

Paul Robinson

Debra Scordato

From: Juanita Colucci <juanita@eclectic-resources.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CC REG. E-01461A-15-0127 APG-13-0348 TEP-E-01557A-15-0100-0110~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Stick to your words. Discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process. Do not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

And why this war on Solar anyway? You are making it appear that you are merely puppets of the utility companies, which may or may not be true. None-the-less, it is what your actions are saying.

Sincerely,

Juanita Colucci

Debra Scordato

From: Cathy Morgan <gjcvmor@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CSVEC: E-01375A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01335A-15-0100 UNS:~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Keep solar decisions in a rate case not outside of normal channels.

Sincerely,

Cathy Morgan

Debra Scordato

From: Dutch Hollaender <dutchhollaender@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEG, E-015797, 15-0127 APG, 13-0348 JED, E-0-1022A, 15-0100 LNS~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Dear Commissioner,

You currently have several Arizona utility companies proposing higher rates (penalties) for solar customers in their utility district. Before any decisions are made, these requests should go to a rate case.

The utility companies have made claims that solar customers do not pay their fair share of grid costs, but have not been required to offer any hard evidence of such claims. Taking these proposals to a rate case will allow all parties to fairly present their case.

Please do as you had promised and hold any decisions until after the next rate case.

Sincerely,

Dutch Hollaender

Debra Scordato

From: Eve Shapiro <shapiroe@u.arizona.edu>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:08 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01375A-15-0127 APS: 15-0248 TEP: E-01335A-15-0108 SJW

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Four Arizona utilities (APS, Trico, TEP, and SSVEC) are currently trying to tax solar customers? They are attempting to do this outside of the established proceeding. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. It should be done in a rate case, as all the Commissioners have agreed. Please stick to your word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Eve Shapiro

Debra Scordato

From: Anthony Reeves <areeves@cableone.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:10 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVLEC-E-01575A-15-0107-APC-13-0248-TEL-E-01032A-15-0100-ONS:~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

We need to protect solar customers, I implore you to use a fair process to make sure things we do to help the environment does not cause strain on people that want to help save our future.

Sincerely,

Anthony Reeves

Debra Scordato

From: Robert Alpbert <ralpbert@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:10 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CCNYEC-E-01575A-15-0127 APS-15-0240 FER-E-0-1000A-15-0100 LINE~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

It has come to my attention that the ACC is trying to bypass established procedures and grant "special" good ol boy kickbacks to the monopoly utilities.

Four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures.

Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. Utilities should be promoting solar not trying to KILL SOLAR!

SOLAR PROVIDES FREE ENERGY TO THE WORLD. ACCEPT IT. The days of having to pay a monthly power bill are limited UNLESS BUREAUCRATS LIKE YOU CONTINUE TO SUPPRESS SOLAR TECHNOLOGY.

Do you want your grandchildren to know you intentionally suppressed FREE ENERGY FOR THE WORLD?

The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case.

The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Robert Alpbert

Debra Scordato

From: Tom Hicks <hickst@theriver.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:12 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSMFC E-01575A-15-0127 NPS-15-0248 TEL E-01557A-15-0100 UNS~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Rate increases, for whatever reason, should be handled by normal procedure. Utilities should not get special treatment for solar rate discussions. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Tom Hicks

Debra Scordato

From: Amalia Benson bodkin <amaliathree@hotmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:16 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC. E-01975A-15-0127 ADC-12-0318 TRIC~~
~~1955A-15-0100 GNS~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

This is a gross assault on citizens and businesses who are trying to make a difference in our world.

Utilities are forever gouging us, increasing rates, adding "tariffs", "taxes" and "usage" penalties.

NO MORE!!!! DO YOUR JOB AND PROTECT/DEFEND CONSUMERS!

Sincerely,

Amalia Benson bodkin

Debra Scordato

From: Donald Scholtz <donscholtz@aol.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:23 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SOVLEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APG: 12-0248 TED: E-010324-15-0100 DNS:~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please do not let utilities levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures.
Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates for solar.
The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.
PLEASE do not let utilites raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Thank for listening, Donald Scholtz

Sincerely,

Donald Scholtz

Debra Scordato

From: Rosanne Couston <rosannemargaret@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:25 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0107 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01537-15-0100 GNS:

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I am writing to express my concern over proposed taxes by four Arizona utilities (APS, Trico, TEP and SSVEC) to solar costumers. They are attempting to do this outside of the established proceeding called a rate case.

Utilities should not receive special treatment to raise rates for solar and the fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case. You should stick to your word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Rosanne Couston

Debra Scordato

From: Keavin Grob <Kdkeg@icloud.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:26 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 AND E-01575A-15-0128~~
~~E-01575A-15-0127 AND E-01575A-15-0128~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Shamefull tactics when considering Solar rates!

Sincerely,

Keavin Grob

Debra Scordato

From: Mark Volner <mvsc_ca@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:27 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

We need more solar not less. Period, unless you want your grandkids to live on a planet with a climate far less stable than the one we know.

Sincerely,

Mark Volner

Debra Scordato

From: Becky Lombard <becky.lombard@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:31 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please stick to your word.

Sincerely,

Becky Lombard

Debra Scordato

From: Chris Uhls <uhls1986@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:33 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CVLC: E-01461A-15-0127 AP3: 15-0218 TEL: E-01461A-15-0057~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Don't kill solar with unfair taxes and rate increases. I'm very against this.

Sincerely,

Chris Uhls

Debra Scordato

From: vince Dorsey <vinced751@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:36 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CC: E-01461A-15-0107 ADG-13-0248 FER-E-0-15587-15-0100 GNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Let Solar grow..leave it alone

Sincerely,

vince Dorsey

Debra Scordato

From: Stephen Gray <gr8stay@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:38 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 [REDACTED] 15-0100-ONS.

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Commissioner:
Do NOT add fees/Taxes to our solar usage.

Sincerely,

Stephen Gray

Debra Scordato

From: Thomas Hughes <tomphughes@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:39 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~REDACTED~~
~~1022A-15-0100-07B.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Thank You for your time and Service....I'm a Senior in Tucson where I saved for 20 years to afford Solar Panels when I retired....My last months TEP bill was \$11.64.....WHAT WAS YOU BILL???? Do you have Solar roof top panel....if not you DON'T UNDERSTAND. THANKS FROM TUC-SUN.....WE will prevail.....I'll write again in 5 years and up date you!! Thomas Hughes

Sincerely,

Thomas Hughes

Debra Scordato

From: Nik Shehaj <nik@trismartsolar.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:41 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CC: E-01575A-15-0127 APB: 15-0248 TEL: E-01033~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

We are local solar company with 35 employees. People with families who have finally started to earn respectable wages and are contributing to their families, putting money aside for their children's college fund, purchasing homes, buying better cars, and spending money which then strengthens our local economy. There are thousands of people employed in solar in the valley.

Their livelihood depends on your decisions as our elected representatives. Please, be mindful of our concerns, needs and objectives. We are doing something good for this state. Please, don't allow century old monopolies to dictate the rules of the new and improved economy and society.

Thank you,
Nik Shehaj
C. 480-393-0445

Sincerely,

Nik Shehaj

Debra Scordato

From: matthew Bonnstetter <matthewlb@aol.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:41 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
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Dear Commissioner Forese,

We need solar in AZ. There has to be a way people can buy or lease solar and have the utilities still be able to make a profit.

Sincerely,

matthew Bonnstetter

Debra Scordato

From: Noelle Everhart <Noelle531@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:42 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SMEG E-01575A-15-0187~~ ~~AP S. 15-0248 PER E~~
~~1800A-15-0100 GNS:~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I voted for you due to your pro-solar energy stance.

Pls. make sure any solar tax hike goes through a rate case.

Sincerely,

Noelle Everhart

Debra Scordato

From: Matt Herrman <mateoboneo@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:43 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. There are better ways to encourage clean energy than to arbitrarily tax it. Get off your butts and do some research!

Sincerely,

Matt Herrman

Debra Scordato

From: Dave Haycock <espdave@hotmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:48 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC: E-01375A-15-0127~~ ~~TRICO: E-01461A-15-0057~~ ~~SSVEC: E-01375A-15-0127~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

One by one the utilities are trying to levy unfair unwarranted charges on to the bills of customers wanting to adopt solar and save money. ED3 recently announced changes to there program and currently APS, TEP, Trico and SSVEC are attempting to do the same with out following the proper procedures. The changes all need to be part of a Rate Case according to established procedures. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. Furthermore I would ask you put these solar related extra fees on hold. The voters of Arizona voted for Net Metering in Arizona and made it the law so solar can develop and thrive.

Arizona rate payers and tax payers have spent millions to develop solar into a viable home energy efficiency tool. Now that solar is mature and has come down in costs and is able to make a home extremely energy efficient the utilities are putting in place special discriminatory rate plans designed to undermine the Arizona voter established Net Metering law. Please put a stop to these discriminatory rate plans and allow solar to reach it's full potential in Arizona. Do not allow utilities to stop people from using solar to make their homes energy efficient and lower electrical costs. Do not allow utilities to undermine the Net Metering laws that voters approved. Do not allow utilities to stop fair competition with discriminatory rate plans designed specifically to undermine our state laws.

Do not allow utilities to cause years of investment and millions of dollars in financial support for the development of solar in Arizona to be wasted money.

Sincerely,

Dave Haycock

Debra Scordato

From: jeff hartig <rosencrantz@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:49 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CCVFC E-01575A-15-0127 APS 15-0278-15~~ E-01922A-15-0100 ~~UNL~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Commissioners, I want to express some deep distain for your current treatment of the solar industry. Everyone of you have said stated at one time or another that solar rates should be discussed in a rate case. So presumed you would stick to your word! Of course what am I thinking, you are all politicians working for the large corporations not the consumer and have no desire to do the right thing. Its all about kick backs under the table for the likes of your bank accounts. I am embarrassed to say I live in Arizona because of the out of control corruption in State Government. And your commission is a perfect example of that. Dark money provided by the APS coffers got two commissioners elected, Forse and Little. No its all over but the shouting. Your credibility is gone You all said you wouldn't let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. Please. What a waste of time to listen to what ever you have to say.

Do the right thing and not raise rates on solar without having a rate case.

Sincerely,

jeff hartig

Debra Scordato

From: Bernadine Helriegel <bernmar@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:50 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVLC. E-01461A-15-0127 ANS. 15-0210~~
~~15-0100 GNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Back 5+ years ago when I purchased my solar panels it was the thing to do to cut down the consumption of fossil fuels, help the air quality, save money, blah, blah. Well now since the solar program was so successful APS wants to penalize me for making a good decision.

How about if you don't put additional fees on our electric bills and just cut down on the exorbitant salaries paid to upper level executives and let me enjoy my solar in peace!

Sincerely,

Bernadine Helriegel

Debra Scordato

From: Dan Heaton <cyberloon@aol.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:53 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SECRET. E-01575A-15-0127 APB. 15-0248 TEL. E-01555A-15-0100 UNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Do the right thing for us, the people. Grow some melons.

Sincerely,

Dan Heaton

Debra Scordato

From: Spencer Hunter <shunter@u.arizona.edu>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:54 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SECRET~~ ~~E-01461A-15-0057~~ ~~SECRET~~ ~~E-01461A-15-0100~~ ~~SECRET~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

It is extremely important in this, the sunniest area on Earth, that utility rates favor established venues and not be dictated by utility companies. Please do your job and regulate this process fairly.

Sincerely,

Spencer Hunter

Debra Scordato

From: nancy warthan <skipalong1@hughes.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:57 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

keep your word

Sincerely,

nancy warthan

Debra Scordato

From: Brian Beitman <BBeitman@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:57 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Clearly there is some sort of problem when you side step judicial procedure to enact any fine, tax, or penalty to the public.

Sincerely,

Brian Beitman

Debra Scordato

From: Jason Zeller <Jzeller150@gmail.com>

Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:58 AM

To: Forese-Web

Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-057 [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please do not raise taxes on solar customers more than regular power customers

Sincerely,

Jason Zeller

Debra Scordato

From: Denny Lensegrav <majorpapa1@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 10:59 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Commissioners:

Whatever ever actions you are taking regarding solar energy is hurting the customers of the utilities involved. Why are you giving APS, for example, special treatment? They consistently are filing rates and changes to gain more revenue and this is so absurd it is creating much conflict. That is, stirring the pot and creating conflict in customer's budgets, while they should be looking within their own organization and do "cutbacks and downsizing" to accommodate their revenue needs.

No more rate increases because customers want to use alternate energy. That is the customers right to do so without penalty from any electric utility.

Please, as Commissioners, stay with in the proper review processes you have enjoyed and practiced in the past and don't allow special treatment.

Sincerely,

Dennis Lensegrav
17626 N Coconino Dr
Surprise, AZ 85374

Sincerely,

Denny Lensegrav

Debra Scordato

From: Lu Horton <lulu11412000@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:07 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please give solar the proper discussion of rate increases before raising rates, taxing, etc.

Sincerely,

Lu Horton

Debra Scordato

From: Hugh Phillips <hphillips16@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:07 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057, ~~SCVEC, E-01575A-15-0127, APB, 15-0248, TEP, E-01553A-15-0100, GNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Stick to their word and ensure a fair rate-making process.

Sincerely,

Hugh Phillips

Debra Scordato

From: kenneth feintuch <kentuc@netzero.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:08 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CC REC. E-01375A-15-0127 AP 15-0248 TEL. E-01338A-15-0100 MW 15~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

APS asked us to conserve to avoid building new, expensive, and hard to get approved power plants. Solar energy helps us reach these goals. I can only imagine how the public would react to another power plant in our backyard. Let`s do the right thing.

Thank You,
Kenneth Feintuch

Sincerely,

kenneth feintuch

Debra Scordato

From: Ronald Wright <ronwright38@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~05/12/15 01:17 PM~~ ~~05/12/15 02:18 PM~~ ~~05/12/15 03:00 PM~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

No rate increase

Sincerely,

Ronald Wright

Debra Scordato

From: Lori Buhlman <lori.buhlman@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SECRET - E-01461A-15-0057~~ ~~APR 15 02 10 2015~~ ~~E.O. 13526~~ ~~15-0100-0103~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I am concerned about some recent proposals by Arizona utility companies. Four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Thank you for reading my concerns.

Sincerely,

Lori Buhlman

Debra Scordato

From: Phil Roark <pwroark@aol.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CONF. E-01461A-15-0057-0127-APP-15-0218 TEL. E-01461A-15-0100-ONS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

The use of solar energy is critical to achieving a sustainable future which minimizes the use of fossil fuels. Rate considerations should view all economic benefits including the costs of global warming and international security. Levying charges on solar outside of a comprehensive study is folly and extremely shortsighted. I oppose raising rates on solar.

Sincerely,
Phil Roark

Sincerely,

Phil Roark

Debra Scordato

From: JANE SWICEGOOD <janesgood@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:15 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVLC: E-019757A-15-0127, APC: 13-0249, TED: E-019757A-15-0127, LNS:~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Come on gang.... get with the program to help your constituents, not your party, OK?

Sincerely,

JANE SWICEGOOD

Debra Scordato

From: Thomas McPherson <tmcpherson@fenixpcg.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:17 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~05/28/15 01:57:5A 15-0127-11 05/15/15 02:18:7ED E-0-1555A 15-0100-ONS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please ensure a fair rate-making process. Solar is the future of energy here in Arizona and you should be working to protect the consumer. NOT to help the utility companies profit.

Thanks,

Sincerely,

Thomas McPherson

Debra Scordato

From: Gwen Moore <9pz2gwen_t@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:19 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC: E-015757-15-0127 TRS: 15-0240 TEL: E-010334-15-0100-015.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Don't kill Solar, what more is there to say. I'm interested in getting solar, but now as a senior citizen it probably won't happen if taxes are to be imposed.

Sincerely,

Gwen Moore

Debra Scordato

From: Phil Bradley <awca@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:22 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~STATE E-01575A-15-0127 AND E-15-0248 TRF. E-1022A-15-0100 UNCL~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

My name is Phil Bradley, and I have been a solar customer only since Feb 2014. Arizona should be leading the way in solar development and use, not stifling it.

Almost all governing bodies proclaim that they approve of green technology, that the world needs wind, solar, etc., technology to be developed and put into place. Yet here we are again with another issue that can stifle that development and make it so expensive or non-usable for the average consumer that it will degrade the very reason "of" solar development.

In the end, the issue is clear: When someone says they care about the future of their families, do they, or don't they?

How can additional taxes without due process indicate any intention other than deceit? When did it become acceptable for a governing body to even consider an action such as this?

Allowing this or any other measure like it to move forward is a clear signal that our representatives do not care. They may say they do. They may even proclaim whatever figures to show a different opinion; however, it is still wrong. And no matter how they try to justify differently, they KNOW it is wrong.

Arizona has the opportunity to show the world what solar, wind, and other green technologies can do for our planet, our communities, our families. And because we have that opportunity, we have the RESPONSIBILITY.

We were blessed to be in this day and age where we can make a real difference, a POSITIVE difference. Arizona is right up front in developing a technology that can positively impact the entire world.

But instead of caring about others, the greed of utility companies and others like them continue attempting to suppress those opportunities, such as imposing taxes on solar customers without due process.

The funny thing is that we hear these companies proclaiming the negative impacts that solar companies have on profits, environment, etc... until they try to sell you "their" solar system. Then suddenly, solar is a great choice, isn't it? As long as it's "their" system, they have no problem with it.

I urge you to consider the positive impact that solar has on Arizona, the U.S., and even the world, but also what this tax increase without due process will do to our state.

Arizona should be the THE solar capital of the world, yet here we are again, encountering road blocks from those who care only about themselves rather than the greater good of our state, our communities, and our families.

This measure is yet another attempt to put greed over the betterment of our state.

Many will say they care about Arizona. They said they wanted positive changes in the development of green technology, and solar in particular.

In the end, it's a simple question: Do they? Or don't they?

Sincerely,

Phil Bradley

Debra Scordato

From: David Stutsman <straittojunkmail@gmail.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:23 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CC: E-01575A-15-0127, APC: 12-0348, TFD: E-0-1533A-15-0100-ONS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

It is clear that these utilities are attempting to avoid the system and these should all be discussed in a rate case.

Sincerely,

David Stutsman

Debra Scordato

From: bob cunningham <sideways00711@aol.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:27 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CCVEC. E-01575A-15-0127 AFS. 13-0248 TEL. E-01533A-15-0100 UNC~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I wonder what the true reason for this potential rate increase is as its not in the name of energy subtainability that we so desperately need nor does it promote energy subtainability what is the true reason for the rate increases other than looking out for the well being large utilities?

Sincerely,

bob cunningham

Debra Scordato

From: Eloise Lawrence <elawrence9@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:34 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 15-0248 TL: E-01555A-15-0100 GNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar.

Solar is what we bought instead of a new car. We already pay more to run our equipment and every season for a rate hike we must speak up or be run over by APS .

APS baited us into solar now we must work to keep the monopoly from sucking us dry.

Please if anyone is interested in the *real numbers* contact me. APS is trying to kill solar!

Sincerely,

Eloise Lawrence

Debra Scordato

From: Mike Simon <Mikesimon@cox.net>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:39 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CCNYC E-01575A-15-0127 AP6-13-0248 TEL E-01937A-15-0100-010.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I am starting to feel like our elected officials are representing the utilities company's more than the people who vote them in. Quit raising rates on solar users. As it stands now I will not vote for anyone to be re elected. We need to promote solar usage and not discourage it with higher fees.

Sincerely,

Mike Simon

Debra Scordato

From: Wally Ebell <wally.ebell@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:42 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~CSMFC E-01373A-15-0127 APS-13-0218 TEP E-01353A-15-0100 UNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Solar is one of the best things going for Arizona. Don't tax a growing environmentally friendly industry out of business!

Sincerely,

Wally Ebell

Debra Scordato

From: Peter Johnson <Prjohnsonaz@yahoo.com>
Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:43 AM
To: Forese-Web
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 ~~SSVEC: E-01375A-15-0137 ABC: 13-0248 TED: E-0133A-15-0100 UNS.~~

Dear Commissioner Forese,

How is this fair? This is an attack on solar customers pure and simple! It's being led by the utilities, with money collected from us as fees! How is this fair? This is an attack on solar customers pure and simple! It's being led by the utilities you are in place to protect us from.

Don't protect their monopoly at our expense. These solar fees should be part of a regular and legal process.

Sincerely,

Peter Johnson