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I want Solar in Arizona &  
so do my Tucson neighbors

SAY NO to TEP's <sup>solar</sup> proposal

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**From:** Russell Lowes <russlowes@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:13 PM  
**To:** Forese-Web  
**Subject:** Stop the TEP-proposed solar penalties along with those of the thre other AZ utilities

Dear Commissioner Forese,

Please deny the request from TEP, and the other three utilities that are proposing to penalize solar. I am a TEP customer. TEP reps say they are trying to not cost the non-solar customers more money, by having solar customers reduce their bills and hence total pay-in. However, solar customers are adding value to grid stability. They are also reducing electric costs.

It costs far more to non-solar homes and businesses to finance the utilities' solar and non-solar added capacity, than it does when homeowners and business-owners buy their own systems.

Who do TEP PR hacks and executives think they are kidding? Anyone with basic business and math skills can tell that the utilities' installations cost the non-solar users much more. In fact, because rooftop solar investors pay for all the costs themselves and because their systems displace a substantial amount of purchased peak and intermediate load electricity, non-solar users get a positive cash flow from the rooftop systems.

Sincerely,

Russell Lowes

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**From:** Trudi Wieduwilt <vonwieduwilt@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 10, 2015 6:47 AM  
**To:** Forese-Web  
**Subject:** TEP edocket E-01933A-15-0178

Dear Commissioner Forese,

There is one more thought to add to the mix of responses to TEP and the tariff they have retroactively added to new solar customers. I do not think anyone has addressed is that our utility is a monopoly. As consumers, we have no choice as to where we get our power and how much we pay for it. Solar installations are the only option we have as competition to the utilities. To me this is the elephant in the room. Do you allow a monopoly to shut down competition? Obviously, it is making our utility corporations afraid of the competitive trend to go solar and become a green state.

Please, do your part as the regulatory body over the monopolies to allow solar to continue to make sense as a viable option for consumers by not allowing the utilities to tariff net metering and/or do away with it as they have retroactively put into effect.

Thank you,  
Trudi Wieduwilt



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Barbara H. Warren, MD, MPH

June 5, 2015

Dear Commissioner Forese,

I am a customer of Tucson Electric Power and a solar electric customer. Net metering is the backbone of Tucson's solar economy, allowing rooftop solar customers to use electricity at a one-to-one ratio of what our solar panels produce. T.E.P. has filed a proposal to the ACC to end net metering and substitute it with an unfair scheme to credit rooftop solar producers of free energy to them for half the energy produced. This is unfair and outside of the standards of the ACC

I ask you to tell TEP that their proposal should only be heard during a regular rate case.

Thank you  
Barbara H. Warren  
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