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# MEMO

To: Arizona Corporation Commission, Docket Control  
From: Office of Chairman Susan Bitter Smith  
Date: July 17, 2015  
Re: APS  
E-01345A-13-0248

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## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Tom Scheel <tom\_scheel@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 15, 2015 10:36 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** even more fees on solar households

Susan,

I'm writing to register my complete opposition to charging solar customers even more money in an attempt to preserve the dated APS business model.

Solar customers spend THOUSANDS of dollars to add capacity to the APS grid. Solar power reduces the need for more expensive, polluting AGW causing, power plants. Solar power reduces transmission losses (if the home that has the solar doesn't need it, it goes to the neighbors). It reduces line maintenance, and if done intelligently, increases the viability of the grid (just as the internet is hard to take out, multiple source of power strengthen the grid).

Charging these folks MORE money is an affront to common sense.

Now - rather than tack on meaningless charges to allow APS to preserve an outmoded business model, you might consider a 10% below true net-metering reduction in the amount that solar customers are reimbursed by APS for electricity purchased. That acknowledges the new role APS could play - that of a distribution system, with, perhaps, a role in backup power.

The alternative is you keep rubber stamping APS rate increases for solar customers, and those same forward thinking households invest in battery technology (as it continues it's amazing improvement trend over the next decade) and leave the APS grid and all the bogus fees. Then the non-solar rate payers will be stuck with the full brunt of adding capacity, line maintenance and other savings solar provides (providing power at the time of peak demand being one major benefit).

Continuing to double and triple charge the solar households is not sustainable, and will lead APS to a true crisis.

Thank you for considering my views on this.

Tom

PS - I note that Pinnacle West had another record setting profit year in 2014 - as a state sponsored monopoly, they are entitled to make a small profit - but increasing their profit on the backs of the solar homeowners who have spent thousands of their own dollars to build the capacity APS has available seems a violation of the public trust.

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Tom Scheel

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**From:** Ed Dunn <solar.ed@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 15, 2015 10:16 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar benefits everyone

Please vote to reject APS proposal to raise fees for solar owners.

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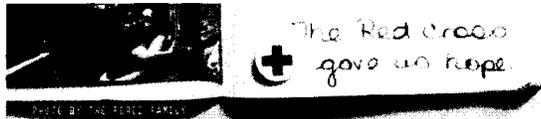
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### Solar Owners Are Givers, Not Takers

A new report shows that everyone benefits as solar-generated electricity gains traction

POSTED ON JUL 9 2015 BY ROB SARGENT

With the solstice behind us, summer has officially begun. Across the country, that means the sun is shining and the mercury is climbing, and our air conditioners and the electricity grids they rely upon are stretched to their limits.

In response, we've seen utilities urge customers to turn up their thermostats a notch or two to ease their burden. They've recommended the use of fans, energy-efficient bulbs, and double-paned windows — all good measures to reduce energy use.

What we haven't seen is much action by the utilities to encourage people to go solar. In fact, in state after state, by proposing to increase fees for owners of photovoltaic (PV) systems or to lower their reimbursement rates, utilities are doing the opposite.

That's a shame, because a new Environment America Research & Policy Center report shows that when people put PV panels on their rooftops and in their neighborhoods through programs like net-metering, they reduce the strain on our electric grid, lower prices for all electric customers, and cut pollution to boot.

Net-metering programs credit solar panel owners at a fixed rate — often the retail price of electricity — for providing excess power to the grid, similar to rollover minutes on a cell phone plan. These programs are the law of the land in 44 states, and have helped solar energy skyrocket across the country; last year, every two and half minutes, another U.S. home or business went solar.

The report, *Shining Rewards: The Value of Rooftop Solar Power for Consumers and Society*, examines recent analyses of net-metering programs conducted by utilities, public utility commissions, and independent groups to assess the value of solar power.

As the chart at the top of this page details, of the 11 net-metering studies reviewed, eight found that the value of solar energy was higher than the average local residential retail electricity rate; the three that didn't were conducted by utilities.

The median value of solar power across all of the studies was nearly 17 cents per kWh, compared to the nation's average retail electricity rate of about 12 cents.

In other words, despite utility claims that solar costs too much, and that solar users are benefiting at the expense of other customers, the opposite is more likely true. Solar panel owners are givers, not takers.

#### Even utility studies see benefits

Every single one of the studies — even those conducted by the utilities — found that solar customers offer net benefits to the electric system, as the second chart shows (see Image #2, below).

Solar panels connected to the grid help bring down ongoing energy costs. They reduce the amount of electricity utilities must generate or purchase from fossil fuel-fired power plants. And they reduce the amount of energy lost in generation, long-distance transmission and distribution, losses that tend to cost ratepayers.

Solar also brings down new capital investment costs. By reducing overall demand, solar energy production helps ratepayers and utilities avoid investing in new power plants, transmission lines and other forms of electricity infrastructure.



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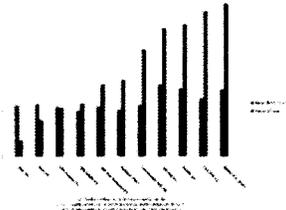


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In eight of 11 net metering studies, the value of solar-generated electricity was calculated to be higher than the average local residential retail rate, according to a report from the Environment American Research & Policy Center.



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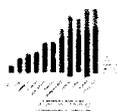
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What's more, solar power boosts the local economy, producing local jobs that can't be outsourced. And as everyone knows, solar helps cut our dependence on dirty sources of energy and the global warming and air pollution that comes with it.

This study has real implications right now for debates raging across the country over net metering and other rooftop solar programs. Nevada, for example, is considering a new fee for solar panel owners who sell excess power. Arizona Public Service is proposing to lower the reimbursement rates for solar power. The Wisconsin Public Utility Board has approved a similar plan to lower payments to solar customers, which advocates are appealing.

As these battles unfold across the country, decision makers should take into account the report's findings, which reinforce what advocates have long argued: solar power has far more rewards than costs. Instead of penalizing its use, we should be encouraging it, right alongside programmable thermostats and double-paned windows.

*Rob Sargent is the energy program director for Environment America and oversees policy and strategy development for energy and global warming campaigns. This blog was originally published at Huffington Post.*



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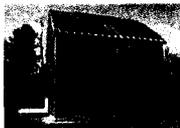
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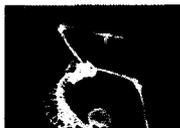
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COMMENTS

1.  
JUL 9, 2015  
11:36 AM ET

**But the value decreases with PV's grid share.**  
by Dana Dorsett

The value of PV on the grid will never be higher than it is RIGHT NOW, since at low penetration it is primarily lowering stress on distribution grid infrastructure and offsetting peak power, lowering the amount of low-efficiency spinning reserves

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peakers. By the time PV is providing 25% of annual kwh going onto the grid it's value is much lower than the grid-retail price, and it begins to impart other costs for stabilizing the grid. It still has value, just not as much value.

The utility analyses tend to view it from the "after" picture of widely distributed PV at high penetration, the independent analyses tend to start with a snapshot of the value of the next 1k of PV going onto the grid, sometimes projecting forward, other times not. Net metering at retail forever is not a very good policy, but grandfathering in net-metering for 20-25 years for PV installed in the early years of the ramp up is a bargain for the average ratepayers, in most of the US. (But not Hawaii, where the penetration levels are large.)

Minnesota's Value of Solar Tariff (VOST) methodology for compensating solar self-adjusts over the long term, as does Maine's recently enacted block-step "standard buyer" version. Just how fast the stuff goes up matters- it's accelerating, with an increasing exponent to the exponential growth rates in many markets, which is only making the stuff cheaper and more attractive under any compensation scheme.

New York's "Reforming Energy Vision" approach is much more nuanced, assessing the value based on geography & location within the grid infrastructure. eg: PV going into a congested point on the grid that has marginal throughput capacity has FAR more value than putting in on lightly loaded circuits, since it eliminates or reduces the size of the grid infrastructure investments necessary going forward. This approach to valuing solar (and grid batteries) is also being scrutinized in the CA-ISO region.

2.  
JUL 9, 2015 5:58  
PM ET

**"Assessing the value of .... "**  
by w d

Graph #1 shows in red "the value of solar". Proposals on "the value of solar" are prolific. They all have one thing in common: they tend to be the (PV) supplier's idea of what the buyer (local Utility) "should" pay. It's like a "supply and demand" graph with only a supply curve, no demand curve.

PV is beneficial and it's growing, with or without ever sweeter subsidies. I like that.

3.  
JUL 9, 2015  
10:53 PM ET

**kWh Rates**  
by Peter L

Dana,

We are around .14 cents per kWh in my neck of the woods (Arizona). What do you think the price will be in the next 5-10 years with more people going to PV solar?

4.  
JUL 10, 2015  
9:15 AM ET

**Response to Peter L**  
by Martin Holladay, GBA Advisor

Peter,

Like you, I'm interested in how Dana will answer your question. I'd like to point out, though, that those who can accurately predict future energy prices should create a new hedge fund. They will soon be rich.

It's almost impossible to predict future energy prices because there are so many variables, and because utilities are monopolies that set prices based on political considerations rather than market forces.

Dropping prices for wind-generated electricity and solar-generated electricity are putting downward pressure on electricity prices. A future carbon tax would put upward pressure on electricity prices. Political developments in other countries can also affect energy prices in unpredictable ways.

Make your predictions here... and in 10 years we'll come back and see whose predication was most accurate.

5.  
JUL 10, 2015  
11:40 AM ET

**No simple answers. (response to PeterL)**  
by Dana Dorsett

The regulatory environment in AZ is in a huge state of flux (disarray?) with the major monopoly utilities fighting the expansion of PV on their grids with fees, and smaller utilities fighting it with demand charge rate structures for PV owners and high per-kw fixed charges, high connection fees, etc. It's not exactly clear how that is going to shake out in the next 5-10 years, but the utilities are under extreme pressure from solar to adapt their business models to stay in business.

What IS clear is that the levelized COST of small scale solar right now in AZ (even without subsidy) is below 14 cents/kwh, and in 5-10 years it's likely to be well

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under 10 cents. Right now 20 year power purchase contracts from utility scale solar farms in Texas are now all coming in under 5 cents, and some under 4 cents. To finance those projects (even with the tax credits) the unsubsidize LCOE of those projects has to be under 5 cents. At the learning rate of solar, a small scale roof top project's LCOE in 2025 will be less than that of utility scale LCOE today.

If the AZ regulators & utilities adjust regulations & business models accordingly to allow the rapid deployment of small scale solar & storage the net per kwh cost to other ratepayers will likely be lower in 10 years than it is today. There are plenty of ways to screw that up, and the AZ utilities have been pretty creative on punitive stalling tactics to date. But the rising PV tsunami has reached the point of inevitability- if they keep screwing around grid-defection could become financially rational for those with the financial resources, which would lead to HIGHER prices for the remaining ratepayers.

This is currently a major food-fight in the AZ courts, primarily between third-party solar installers, who of course would prefer net-metering forever, or more favorable rates for paying for grid infrastructure, and the monopoly utilities who would of course prefer to live in a competition-free environment and not have to deal with creating a different business model, and in some instances would like to be able to leverage their monopoly position and access to cheap capital to compete directly against the solar company interlopers intent on eating what they presume to be THEIR rightful lunch.

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<http://www.seia.org/state-solar-policy/arizona>

So, it's going to be a volatile ride, and it's not clear that the state regulators will be able to get ahead of it to prevent grid defection or utility bankruptcies. Penetration of rooftop solar is currently on the order of 1% of all houses in AZ (compared to about 25% & rising in Australia, with similar amounts of sunshine.) But the rate at which it can (and eventually will ) expand is astounding, and the existential threat perceived by the utility companies is real. If the utilities & regulators don't get it together, it could be really rough for ratepayers in the nearer term. There absolutely WILL have to be write-downs of some existing power generation in AZ. Even without outright grid-defection (unhooking from the grid), solar will be cheaper than the fixed-rate energy portion of the residential bill within 10 years- the net demand for grid-sourced electricity will continue to fall.

For privately owned roof top solar that doesn't produce a net excess (which is most rooftop arrays), PV's effect on grid load and kwh sales is pretty much the same as efficiency. Are those high performance AZ homes built with extremely low cooling & heating loads and high efficiency mechanical systems also deserving of high connection charges or demand charge rate structures? What makes solar different? Should a code min McMansion with a 10 ton air conditioner and multiple tankless electric hot water heaters be assessed demand charges? These are the sorts of things that need to be scrutinized in greater detail when adjusting utility regulations and rate structures, rather than simply playing to the desires of utilities or the third party solar companies. I personally can't understand how residential demand charges for only PV owners can pass a fairness test, especially for the early adopters that are lowering the cost of the grid infrastructure for everyone. Demand charges across the board for all ratepayers are arguably a fairer way of paying for the grid infrastructure than fixed multipliers based on the total energy use, which has been the predominant method of paying for the grid in rate structures of the past century.

It's now amply clear that there isn't sufficient economies of scale with solar to fully rationalize monopoly utilities going forward based on the 20th century model, especially in places as sunny as AZ. Managing the transition to Utility Rev.X may be pretty rough at first, but it should be cheaper for everyone in the end.

6.  
JUL 15, 2015  
1:40 AM ET

**Questions for Dana and others  
by Steve Vigoren**

I have noticed people using the statement that utilities will have to 'write down' assets. Could you elaborate on that. I have a vague idea what it means, but I am not sure.

I also read somewhere that fossil fuel companies have 'capitalized' their coal reserves. I assume that means if the coal company is worth half a trillion dollars, most of that value is in coal in the ground. If the market for coal dries up, the coal company all of a sudden has no assets. Is that correct?

And now PV is upsetting the business model that for profit utilities have had for a long time. It is easy to see why the alliance between the utilities and the fossil fuel

companies has developed to fight the scourge of PV. After all, they were mostly fat and happy until PV showed up with a new game plan.

7.  
JUL 15, 2015  
4:22 AM ET

**Response to Steve Vigoren  
by Martin Holladay, GBA Advisor**

Steve,

A utility might borrow \$100 million to build a new coal-fired power plant, hoping to profit from the sale of the electricity produced by the plant. It might take 20 years to pay off the loan. Once the loan is paid off, the investment makes money for the utility. But in Year 8, the utility still owes a lot of money, and isn't necessarily receiving enough revenue yet to justify the investment.

If the plant has to be moth-balled and disassembled in Year 10, the \$100 million loan will prove to be a bad investment.

A financial analysis might set the value of the coal plant based on the assumption that it will last 40 years. If it has to be demolished after 10 years, the utility has to "write down" -- that is, reduce -- the assumed value of the asset. At that point it is transformed from an asset (a good investment) into a liability (money down the drain).

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**From:** Barry Wittels <Barrwitt@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, April 28, 2015 12:41 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** No rate increase I am retired and disabled, fixed income

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Commissioners please look out for the tax payer

Sincerely,

Barry Wittels

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Gerry Milliken <dolphin@communitynet.org>  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 11, 2015 9:35 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Three 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.

Sincerely,

Gerry Milliken

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**From:** Jim Kuzma <kuzmaj@centurylink.net>  
**Sent:** Sunday, July 12, 2015 9:41 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please tell the ACC not to raise our rates unfairly.

Thank You

Sincerely,

Jim Kuzma

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Jay Williams <jpwjr1@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 14, 2015 4:15 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Commissioners,

Please follow proper and established procedures when discussing rate increases for solar customers. I am one. There should be no special treatment for utilities when requesting rate changes. This is a rate case and commissioners should stick to their word and only discuss during a proper rate case hearing process and venue.

Jay Williams  
PO Box 2271  
5902 East Chuparosa Place  
Carefree, AZ 85377-2271

Sincerely,

Jay Williams

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**From:** Marco Castellanos <hessian13@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 16, 2015 7:45 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do not strangle the solar industry in its infancy by raising rates, and especially don't raise rates outside of established procedures.

Sincerely,

Marco Castellanos

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Nicholas Acciardo <nacciardo@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:04 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Get On Board

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Greetings,

As we approach the deadline, PLEASE use your head and not your evil money making ways!

Arizona is a state which has a lot to offer...Why are you offering only to the Mega Million Corporations?

Feel the need to worry about the people who vote you into office and those who worry about the state.

It's time to take action...It's time to do the world right! Please help us doing the right thing.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Jay M. & Sandy L. Lieberman <SJMLIEBERMAN@AOL.COM>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 08, 2015 8:56 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Remember, the ACC is supposed to work for us, not for the utilities. Don't let TEP sneak through an unfair rate increase when noone is looking.

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Chairman Smith, Commissioner Burns, Commissioner Forese, Commissioner Little and Commission Stump:

Please Remember, the ACC is supposed to work for us, not for the utilities. Don't let TEP sneak through an unfair rate increase when noone is looking.

Thank You,  
Jay M. & Sandy L. Lieberman

Sincerely,

Jay M. & Sandy L. Lieberman

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Craig Schmidlin <craig.schmidlin@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 07, 2015 12:34 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Keep Utilities from taxing Sun Power

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Give a choice. Dont tax the sun power. Stay with rate the hearing schedules. No under the table increases.

Sincerely,

Craig Schmidlin

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Donald Nordlund <dnordlund@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 06, 2015 9:48 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Keep your word

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

C'mon, please. Do the right thing.  
Donald Nordlund  
Scottsdale, AZ

Sincerely,

Donald Nordlund

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Robert Simonetti <rsimon.5@q.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 5:20 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Unfair decision based on money from out of state.

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am taking the time to remind you of your job duties for the citizens of AZ. Unfortunately two of you got in with outside funds in favor of utilities and therefore raise the question which side are you on? You were elected to make the CORRECT decisions related to homeowners electricity rates and decisions. Unfortunately this election was a farce based on outside supporters that sent mass money to AZ for the utility company. I TRULY hope you will make the decisions based STRICTLY on the right thing to do for AZ homeowners and corporations, not the utility!

Sincerely,

Robert Simonetti

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Gerard Ervin <erwin7841@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 03, 2015 6:47 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web; Stump-Web; Forese-Web; Little-Web  
**Subject:** Docket No. E-01933A-15-0100  
**Attachments:** Corp Commission net metering.pdf; ATT00001.htm

The attached letter is provided for your consideration. Thank you for your attention.

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Gerard (Jerry) Ervin  
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June 3, 2015

Arizona Corporation Commission  
1200 W. Washington  
Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: Docket No. E-01933A-15-0100

Dear Commissioners:

As I write this, I have just come in with my mail for the day, which included my electricity bill from TEP. The temperature was 101° outside, and I was very glad to re-enter my air-conditioned home.

I opened the bill and saw, as I expected, that in the past month our rooftop solar array has generated more power than we have used—more than twice as much, in fact. That means that our rooftop solar not only has been supplying the needs of my house, but also has contributed (and continues to contribute) to the electric power available on the grid for others to use on days like this.

I submit to you that it is the rooftop solar on our house and on thousands of other homes in this area that helps TEP avoid brownouts; and it will continue to do so over the summer. But of course we still need to be connected to the grid, and are more than willing to pay our fair share for that privilege.

Energy conservation and maximizing the use of renewable resources, with overhead costs (such as construction and maintenance of distribution networks) spread out *transparently and equitably* among all those who benefit from them, should be paramount in your deliberations. Arizona's electric utilities and the Arizona Corporation Commission should be doing everything possible to *encourage* the continued expansion of rooftop solar (among other renewable sources of energy). Any proposal—such as gutting net metering, as advanced by our electric utility companies—that *discourages* further installation of rooftop solar is short-sighted in both the short and the long run.

Thank you for your attention.



Gerard L. Ervin, Ph.D.

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, July 10, 2015 8:01 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Vanessa Rosa [<mailto:73nessie@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 09, 2015 11:49 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

We live in Arizona and the USA... land of the free... Taxes solar makes me sick, I'm a veteran and I love our country, but this makes me ashamed of what we are becoming... It is wrong to tax, we need to have integrity and do what's right... Thank you, vanessa Rosa

Sincerely,

Vanessa Rosa

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Kevin Krause <Kevin@solarstore.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 30, 2015 7:26 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Utilities net metering

Good evening Chairman Smith, just a simple question, why are the utility's allowed to stop offering net metering presently. If what they presented was rescinded then the present net metering program that is now being stopped should give those still interested in installing solar the benefits of the net metering program of the past. Giving those opportunity's to benefit rate for rate and be able to roll over energy credits to offset usage. Would this be fair to our Arizona consumers, when I hear the utility say we're not trying to manage solar into the ground. But on one hand their building solar farms a quickly as they can, and now offering roof top solar programs themselves.

So it's good for the utilities to benefit from solar but consumers not so much. I'm just a simple man helping consumers become better stewards of the planet to which we all have a responsibility to protect. I thank you for your time and ear to my concerns. I'm hoping you and the others can agreed to re-instate the present net metering program and require the utility to re-open applications and accept any new consumers who want to install solar using net metering program and allow net metering until the utilities can present a reasonable utility plan.

Sincerely

Kevin Krause  
Sales and Marketing Manager  
The Solar Store  
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520-322-5180 off:  
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**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Tom Adams <tla85258@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2015 4:09 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Don't let them get away with this...

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The utility companies are giving solar the shiitty end of the stick. They've constantly raised the rates for solar customers. Don't let them get away with this again.

Utilities shouldn't be able to raise rates on solar customers without bringing a rate case, and for sure, whatever rates they get should not be applied retroactively!

Distributed solar power generation is what we should be promoting in Arizona, with all the free sunshine we have. Utilities want to concentrate power - both power generation, and their economic power to set monopoly rates. It's your job to regulate them in the public interest, and to defend customers from being taken advantage of by corporate economic power.

You should be encouraging customers to install solar power panels, and demand that the electric utility companies change their business models to adapt to this greener way of generating electricity!

Sincerely,

Tom Adams

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Sue E. Dean <deanks@juno.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2015 3:02 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Do not raise solar customer's rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I just want to reaffirm that, as a solar customer of APS, I think raising rates on one class of customers will prove to be unconstitutional because it unfairly singles out the customers whose solar panels compete with APS's power.

Please do not do this.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Sue E. Dean

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 11:54 AM  
**To:** Teresa Tenbrink  
**Subject:** FW: stick to your word

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Laurence Wittig [<mailto:retmusaz@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 11:31 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** stick to your word

Dear Commissioner,

Supervisors,

Stick to your word and encourage, not tax, solar. Ignore pressure from Arizona's traditional energy corporations such as APS.

Sincerely,

Laurence Wittig

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Shirley McAllister <sunmacaz@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 4:22 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I paid a lot of money a few years ago to add solar panels to my home. I did so for two reasons: to move to renewable energy from fossil fuels to help clean our environment and to cut my costs for energy. I knew when I made this decision that I might not live long enough (I am 83) to make it a good investment for me but thought I should do what was responsible for the future of my grandchildren (4) and great grandchildren (12) who live in AZ. I hoped the solar system on my house would enhance its value when my son come to sell the house once I die.

I have bills for electricity some months that are less than \$10 a month. The last one I paid was \$8.95. I will strongly oppose any actions that increase my APS bill. That would be breaking the deal that I, and many others, made when deciding to help improve our environment.

Sincerely,

Shirley McAllister

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Greg Thompson <gregthomp8@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 1:34 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Concerned Arizona Citizen

Hello Ms. Smith

I recently added solar panels to my 23 year old home, my electricity provider is APS. In addition, I made about \$5,000 in energy efficiency improvements. I am concerned about the potential extra taxes and/or fees that may be added to my bill just because I have solar. I have lived in AZ for 25 years and many years ago AZ was concerned as to how they were going to meet the power needs of our growing state. Now that solar technology is becoming affordable they (APS) seem to want to stop it. What gives here? It is our responsibility to make this state a better place to live for my children and grandchildren and suppressing solar growth to benefit APS is not the answer. APS needs to revisit it's business model and adjust. Let's continue to encourage solar growth for residential use as well as commercially. We don't need to give the farm away for solar but rather allow it to be a competitive alternative to APS. I am in favor of breaking out a grid charge for all but no extra fees just because I have solar. Half of my power still comes from APS.

We have so much sun here why not utilize it for the benefit of our citizens and future generation.

Regards,

Greg Thompson  
602-743-3852 Cell  
[gregthomp8@gmail.com](mailto:gregthomp8@gmail.com)

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Michael Morgan <mmorgan9@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 16, 2015 8:28 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web; Stump-Web; RBurns-Web; Forese-Web; Little-Web  
**Subject:** Docket #E-01933A-15-0100--Please do a cost-benefit economic study before imposing a net-metering tariff on rooftop solar

Honorable Commissioners:

I am a TEP customer, account #8262744758. I do not have rooftop solar, but I am saving for a PV system. I am also an Arizona resident and am mindful of the many jobs and economic potential that the Sun brings to our state.

TEP's request to impose a net metering tariff on customers who have rooftop solar should not be granted unless an independent, comprehensive economic study of the costs and benefits of rooftop solar to consumers and to TEP shows that such a tariff is justified.

TEP argues that ratepayers who install solar are not paying their fair share of fixed infrastructure costs -- for example, construction of power plants, transmission lines, and associated infrastructure. However, the rooftop ratepayers point to the benefits that solar customers provide to the grid -- for example, a ready source of inexpensive energy at peak demand times, less water use, less pollution, and reduced need for additional power plants and other infrastructure.

In addition, I have read that TEP pays rooftop solar owners less than 6 cents per kilowatt-hour but resells it to other customers for about 13 cents per Kwh. Further, I note that SRP is imposing an average, additional \$50 per month fee, while APS is asking for \$21 fee per month. These very large discrepancies in both resale pricing and in infrastructure fees need to be evaluated. Can the economic realities between SRP and APS be that different?

Where lies the truth in these conflicting claims? Is rooftop solar a burden or a boon to other ratepayers? If a burden, is it a \$21 or \$50 a month burden? Or is rooftop solar no burden at all? If a boon, are Arizona utilities cheating rooftop solar folks out of a fair price by only paying less than half of what they reap by reselling rooftop solar power to others?

I therefore urge the Commission to do an independent, comprehensive study of the costs and benefits of rooftop solar to consumers and suppliers of electric energy before granting TEP's or any utility's request to impose special infrastructure fees on customers who have rooftop solar.

Without treating TEP's request for the imposition of an infrastructure fee as a "rate case", how can the amount of any such fee be correctly and fairly assessed?

Respectively submitted, Michael D. Morgan, Tucson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Edward Stolbof <estolbof@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 27, 2015 3:28 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Power Support  
**Attachments:** Letter to Chairman Bitter Smith.doc

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please read my attached letter to you regarding solar power support.

Thank you for your help.

Regards,

Edward Stolbof

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Charles <cdesha@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, April 17, 2015 11:45 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Cc:** Forese-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Stump-Web; RBurns-Web  
**Subject:** Email from Public for Utilities Division - Solar Power

Greetings It has come to my attention that APS would like to impose a rather significant fee\ surcharge \ service on customers who have solar power. I am opposed to such fees.

- 1) We (Solar Customers) already pay fees and taxes to connect to the grid.
- 2) This proposed extra fee is counter productive to "going green". I personally know of one family who decided against Solar Power because the additional APS fee would remove any financial benefit and make Solar Power more costly than having only APS.
- 3) Why should individuals who have chosen to help reduce the state's and nation's dependence on fossil fuels etc. and helping to improve the air quality of the valley by doing so; Have to pay extra? Solar Customers should instead be getting reduced fees and tax benefits.
- 4) As generators of Solar Power we bear the cost of operating and maintaining the equipment. Yet the reimbursement rate for energy generated in excess of what Solar Customers use is determined by APS. Seems rather one sided to me.
- 5) Is it a bad thing if Solar Customers are able to reduce their energy costs while benefiting the environment and possibly making more disposable income available to invest in goods and services which benefit the economy?

Simply put anything that makes it more difficult or costly for consumers to "Go Solar" is not in the best interest of the public.

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<http://www.avast.com>

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Elizebeth Lawson <E.14.lawson@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 8:50 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Carbon Footprint

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I beg you to please reduce the reteric and going around processes. It is essential this world increase the use of renewable energy as quickly as it can. For our future's sake.

Sincerely,

Elizebeth Lawson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:54 AM  
**To:** Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Stump-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Mike Conner [<mailto:michaeladamconner@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:08 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

For utilities to be able to raise their rates or impose fees on customers who have only tried to reduce their dependence on these legal monopolies outside of a "rate case" is non-sense. This is especially true after they have agreed not to and that the typical solar customer does not require any additional "grid support" once the installation is commissioned. AZ Corp. Commission, Please do your job and protect the people of this state from being convinced they have no alternatives but to pay for ever increasing electricity costs.

Sincerely,

Mike Conner

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:54 AM  
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**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Amy Tropp [<mailto:amy.tropp@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 6:40 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Taxing solar customers is ludicrous. The point of solar energy usage is that it costs less and does NOT require a company to monitor the sun.

Sincerely,

Amy Tropp

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:53 AM  
**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Sean Martin [<mailto:kam.sean@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 07, 2015 10:33 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

This is the valley of the sun why are you letting the utilities kill solar. Solar is the future and Arizona is behind. We should be making it easier and maore cost effect to have solar not less.

Three utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. These utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Sean Martin

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:53 AM  
**To:** Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Stump-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Sharon Kopina [<mailto:1004slk1950@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 07, 2015 9:35 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

As a customer of APS, I am requesting ACC to stick to your word to NOT allow utilities to do a blanket tax on solar customers. You are now attempting to do so outside of "a rate case" an established proceeding you agreed to follow. This will NOT allow due process, something our country is based upon as one of our rights.

Utilities should NOT get preferential treatment over customers. A fair and transparent process already exists, the rate case, so please use it.

Sincerely,

Sharon Kopina

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:52 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Tony Dudzinski [<mailto:tkdudzinski@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 07, 2015 6:22 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Please say no to any increases or rate changes for residents that have solar. Please do not penalize the residents for saving energy and helping keep our state clean. We have already paid the price when purchasing our solar panels and need your support to keep solar affordable to anyone who is thinking of getting solar on their rooftops. Thank you for your time.

Tony Dudzinski City of Peoria Resident

Sincerely,

Tony Dudzinski

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:51 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** John Oleson [<mailto:dragonstonejohn@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 06, 2015 6:05 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Please adhere to the standard of discussing rates for Solar ONLY during a Rates Change venue. I personally hope you don't raise any taxes on Solar especially at the behest of an unethical company such as APS.

Kindly follow proper protocol when addressing Solar or any other electrical rate consideration. I would hope you would think of the PEOPLE for a change and NOT APS bottom line.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

John Oleson

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:51 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Robert Aloe [<mailto:robalo@yaho.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 06, 2015 8:37 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Dear ACC,

I am writing to you to express my concerns about the efforts of utility companies to unfairly tax solar companies, and to do so outside of the established rate case procedure.

Solar energy is good for our economy, it's good for our environment, and benefits Arizonans in several ways. But it is also beneficial to the very utility companies that are trying to impede its growth. Utility companies can sell homeowners' excess electricity for a sizable profit; and solar customers take pressure off of the grid and curb the need to build new billion-dollar energy plants.

The solar industry has created jobs here in Arizona, and has provided an alternative for Arizonans. The growth of solar customers has a positive impact even for non-solar customers. For these reasons, I urge that you support the solar industry here in Arizona, and do not allow the utility companies to unfairly tax solar simply as a means to discourage growth and make even more of a profit off of the backs of the citizens of this state. At the very least, I hope that you will stick to your word (and make APS stick to theirs) and hold a proper rate case before considering any taxes on solar. This issue is very important to me and I vote.

Sincerely,

Robert Aloe

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:49 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** John Nichols [<mailto:johnknichols@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 06, 2015 2:17 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Keep lobbyists out of my energy. Don't flip-flop on the commitment to not tax my solar energy.

If you work for the public and not for the energy companies, you will listen and take the actions that favor the environment, the planet and my ability to afford to use solar energy.

Sincerely,

John Nichols

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** David Feiring [<mailto:dfrave@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, July 05, 2015 6:42 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Please do not let dark money that is sourced by nonrenewable energy (Koch brothers) influence your decisions about solar energy. Solar energy is a key strategy in maintaining energy for the world while supporting an environment that will not sabotage future generations by driving up cost caused by changes in global weather. The men and women on this commission are in the forefront of making the decisions that could harm the people on Earth for a long time if not forever.

Sincerely,

David Feiring

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Linda Mooney [<mailto:paleflag@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 10:53 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Three 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.

Sincerely,

Linda Mooney

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:48 AM  
**To:** Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Stump-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Bridget Doherty [<mailto:bridgetd01@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 4:07 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

I think Arizona should be a leader in the Solar Industry with the abundance of sunshine we have been blessed with. I have invested in solar panels on my rooftop and to date I have produced more energy than I use. Each month SRP has benefited from my investment. In a fortunate timing situation I was able to be grandfathered in and will not have to pay the surcharge they have imposed on other solar providers. If I did have to pay that surcharge I would be paying more per month in the winter months than I was prior to my solar purchase since I rely on primarily gas 1/2 the year. Make the utility companies go through the established procedures to ensure a fair rate charge.

Sincerely,

Bridget Doherty

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:47 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web; Stump-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Christy DuCharme [<mailto:christyducharme@msn.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 1:25 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Christy DuCharme

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** diane diane [<mailto:diane.connect@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 1:23 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Your profits or agendas are NOT more important than the Future, the Environment or the population as a whole.

Sincerely,

diane diane

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:46 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Concerned Citizen [<mailto:digitalwav@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 2:41 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

I support this action! You should too!

Sincerely,

Concerned Citizen

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:46 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Walter Jacobson [<mailto:jjacobson272@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 9:01 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Do the right thing!  
Enough greed

Sincerely,

Walter Jacobson

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:45 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Barry Wilson [<mailto:thecount173ad@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 6:09 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

I want you to know that I oppose any public utility raising rates on ANY consumer without a request for a rate increase going before you.

This is illegal and unfair. In the past you have indicated that you would only discuss rate increases, solar or any other kind, in the established process of a rate case. Keep your word!!

Thank you for keeping your word.  
Barry Wilson

Sincerely,

Barry Wilson

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** susan wilson [<mailto:r3s2b1@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 6:07 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Susan Wilson  
AZ voter and taxpayer

Sincerely,

susan wilson

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Susan Wilson  
AZ voter and taxpayer

Sincerely,

susan wilson

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**From:** Robin Kladke [<mailto:Rkladke@hotmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 5:28 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

I spent a huge amount of money to put solar panels on my roof. I can generate my own power now, cleanly. My agreement with TFS was that I would pay the minimum service fee with TEP. I'm saving the planet for all of us, so why am I being penalized?

Sincerely,

Robin Kladke

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:44 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Gomati Wilson [<mailto:gomati@truthconsciousness.org>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 3:47 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

It is imperative that the ACC stick to their word regarding solar in Arizona. Arizona should be the solar capitol of the USA.

Please do NOT cave in to the three major utility companies. The majority of citizens DO NOT want the big utilities to receive special treatment to raise rates for solar.

This discussion should be held only in the venue of a rate case. The ACC needs to make sure that happens and to not allow the utilities to raise their rates without a fair hearing.

Sincerely,

Gomati Wilson

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Leah Loveday [<mailto:leah@truthconsciousness.org>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 3:17 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Dear Corporation Commissioners,

Please stick to your original plan to discuss rate changes in the proper place. Utilities should not be the ones to decide rate changes. It isn't fair to the rest of us. Solar is important to consumers and to the well-being of our state. Please do not let the utilities raise rates unfairly.

Respectfully,  
Leah Loveday

Sincerely,

Leah Loveday

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:43 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Catherine Estrada [<mailto:Badcathy57@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 1:55 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

It is unfair to tell the citizens one thing and then do another. Why should the utility companies make money for getting power from something they are getting free.

Sincerely,

Catherine Estrada

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:42 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Susan Klement [<mailto:nutshell@me.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 12:59 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

We who have solar panels paid a lot for them and are trying to save energy. We should not have to pay more when we are giving our excess energy to the power companies.

Sincerely,

Susan Klement

Sincerely,

Susan Klement

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:41 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Kathryn Babcock [<mailto:kathybabcockaz@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 12:23 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

The utilities should be at the head of the solar industry, championing solar for all customers. Astute business leaders would have come up with a new business model that would allow the utilities to profit from the common-sense use of readily available energy that customers want.

Do not raise rates on solar customers. Utilities should take this as an opportunity.

Sincerely,

Kathryn Babcock

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:40 AM  
**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Thomas Watkins [<mailto:twatkinstom@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 11:20 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioners,

I made this substantial investment into solar to ease into my retirement years. Please stand by your word and not let APS raise rates outside the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Thomas Watkins

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:39 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Thomas Arni [<mailto:tjhiker902@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 10:20 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Since when have owners of solar panels become the enemy. Why is it that that our investments of tens of thousands of dollars to generate electricity for ourselves and the grid, not to mention a considerable contribution in lowering for my own and your grandchildren, makes us the bad guy? Funny how we, several years ago, were STRONGLY encouraged by your Commission and APS to make our solar investment. Could it be for greed, for the APS shareholder that they now wish to further tax us? Is there no consideration that the hundreds of millions of dollars invested by the solar homeowners has allowed APS the luxury of not having to add additional, expensive, polluting coal burning generators?

Please take a breath here and take a HARD look at how solar homeowners have really HELPED APS in the long-term. This is the kind of thing that all APS customers should be strongly encouraged to do. This is the right thing to do for our air, our health, our environment and our grandchildren.

Cordially,  
Thomas Arni  
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Sincerely,

Thomas Arni

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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**From:** Carol Maurer [<mailto:cem9844@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 9:46 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

It seems a search for funds is once again going ass-backwards. Just think how much well-beingness we will have with a great deal more solar usage in AZ! This should be REWARDED rather than penalized. Where are your loyalties?

Sincerely,

Carol Maurer

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Villinski [<mailto:johnv@abstractsouthwest.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 9:40 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Solar energy needs everyone's support. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.

Sincerely,

John Villinski

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:37 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web; Stump-Web; Forese-Web  
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**From:** Sonya Lowry [<mailto:SonyaLowry@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 8:07 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Three 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. You and the others on the Commission should stick to your word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Sonya Lowry

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:36 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Dona LaSchiava [<mailto:dslaschiava@comcast.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:47 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

STOP IMPEDING SOLAR ENERGY! The state of Arizona should be leading the country in solar energy!

Three 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

Sincerely,

Dona LaSchiava

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**From:** Jeanne Saint-Amour [<mailto:beproper1@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:49 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Don't hurt Arizona solar.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Saint-Amour

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**From:** John DelTognoArmanasco [<mailto:jrdta1010@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:13 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

I am a solar user. This reduces the load on the utility system and means that the utility companies do not have to build another generating system.

I am saving the utility company money. This is a case of wanting to have their cake and eat it, too.

You need to stand up for the citizens that you work for and tell the power companies that they only get one bite at the apple. Not two!

Sincerely,

John DelTognoArmanasco

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:35 AM  
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**From:** Rodney Smith [<mailto:rodneyleesmith@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:23 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

There should be open hearing and on a schedule that is not hidden. This sneaky behind closed doors hearing agenda is not correct. And will be spoken of many time by me, Your board is established to create a balance between reasonable profit and consumer protection. It is obvious that lobbyist and politics control your solar ideas. Solar cost utilities nothing and they do make profits because they already sell the solar in the summer for over 3 times more than we are netted. It sames them the need to increase production facilities and the cost of fuel. increase solar production not the price to consumers for the suns free source.

Sincerely,

Rodney Smith

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**From:** James Rawlins [<mailto:jasrawlins@juno.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 8:11 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

I had solar installed on my home to help us from using so much electricity. The concept was to lower or eliminate our electric bill, with the added advantage that SRP would not have to build additional power plants if enough people installed solar on their home. Only to my surprise they turn and want to tax us solar customers for their lost revenue from solar customers. As soon as an efficient low cost storage battery is developed I will go off the grid and no longer be a utility customer. Then SRP will lose out on the extra power we are producing that they are selling from our solar panels.

Please don't let the utility companies destroy a good environmental business that is good for all. KEEP SOLAR AFFORDABLE FOR ALL.

Sincerely,

James Rawlins

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**From:** WILLIAM CRUTCHFIELD [<mailto:sundagger44@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:56 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

No new taxes on solar customers. It is taxation without representation if done outside of established procedures and not in a rate case.

All this double speak from the APS CEO is appalling.

There should be no taxes on renewable , sustainable, clean solar energy, period.

Sincerely,

William Crutchfield

Sincerely,

WILLIAM CRUTCHFIELD

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:34 AM  
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**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** SUZANNE J. ARNOLD [<mailto:omisuzche@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:54 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Let everyone have the solar panels on their homes to save on electricity and make the home safer and better especially for those that are on fixed income or are on the poor list for living. We need to fix the Country's lighting before the electricity disappears!

Sincerely,

SUZANNE J. ARNOLD

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**From:** Loretta Herger [<mailto:dogy330@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:09 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

You should be doing everything to promote & help people to have solar power, not discourage them.

Sincerely,

Loretta Herger

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**From:** dorothea herman [<mailto:dade4@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:03 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

please stick to your word/// let people have solar benefits

Sincerely,

dorothea herman

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Darlene Blackwell Blackwell [<mailto:Darleneb1942@mac.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 6:00 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioners,

STICK TO YOUR WORD!

Sincerely,

Darlene Blackwell Blackwell

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:27 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Andre Dargis [<mailto:andredargis@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:59 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Dear Chairman Smith,

When I retired six years ago, I moved to Scottsdale, a beautiful city in a beautiful state. I love the topography of the state, the climate, and the reasonable cost of living. Five years ago I purchased a rooftop array of solar panels to contribute to a cleaner environment and to preserve the air and water quality of my new home. At the time APS assisted me in the purchase and congratulated me on my initiative. I also saved money on my electric bill. I am alarmed that our local utilities have seemingly "turned sour" on rooftop solar and want to penalize us with unfair charges. Please stay with examining proposed increased solar rates in the context of established procedures. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Andre Dargis

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:26 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Barbara Domingues [<mailto:bdomingues1@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:48 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Do not talk out of one side of your mouth to appease the public, then do the opposite.

Stick to you original words on solar, help to keep the corporate dollars out of your pocket and serve the peoples interests as you have publically spoken.

There will come a day those who serve corporate tactics vs. what is right for US Citizens will be exposed for back slidden activities. Keep your slate clean and do what you have said.

Remember Corporate Utilities and Government ARE NOT TO BE IN BED TOGETHER.

All this ridiculous anti solar activity from the corporate giants is due to the drive for monies.

SUN is a FREE commodity given by god. Stick to your original agreements and tell the corporate greed machine to stop polluting our air.

Sincerely,

Barbara Domingues

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:25 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Paul Cooper [<mailto:heliotrope@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:38 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Dear Commissioner,

I am very concerned about the Commission's deliberations of new taxes, in the guise of rates or outside the rate setting process, on citizens who opt to invest in clean, renewable, electrical grid easing Solar Power. Unlike most industrialized nations and other States, it seems that Arizonans are constantly disincented by the Utility Companies via the Arizona Corporation Commission.

I urge you to resist these attempts to "tax" solar installations in your proper role in protecting the citizens of Arizona from the large Utility Corporations, whose privilege to do business as a state sanctioned Monopoly is your responsibility to protect

There are many arguments in favor of solar energy I could make, which you have probably already heard, so I won't repeat them now. Please regard me as a staunch supporter of the public use of solar energy and will be expecting your protection of that public good.

I am also an eligible voter and I talk to people every day about solar energy in Arizona. I would prefer to speak about the progress we are making in utilizing our greatest resource, solar energy.

Sincerely,

Paul R Cooper  
Phoenix, AZ

Sincerely,

Paul Cooper

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:25 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Sherry Sass [<mailto:sushi4334@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:27 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

I hope and expect that the Commission will stick to its assertion that the proper context to consider raising rates for solar generation is in a rate case.

Since you represent utility customers/rate payers, you are our sole protection from unfair practices of utility companies. Thank you for doing your job, and maintaining a fair process for determining rate increases.

Sincerely,

Sherry Sass

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Stephan Meyer [[mailto:reblys\\_wolf316@yahoo.com](mailto:reblys_wolf316@yahoo.com)]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:16 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Quit screwing people who are energy efficiant                      FREEDOM FROM THE GRID

Sincerely,

Stephan Meyer

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:24 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Andre Pernet [<mailto:apernet1@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:50 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

You had 150 years of hegemony for producing electricity using carbon products. You should have seen it coming, unlike selling bogey whips companies and Kodak and Bell and Howell. If you have not predicted the end of fossil fuel , it is just too bad . Don't try to usurp profit from solar energy. It does not belong to you,never did. Just go away.

Sincerely,

Andre Pernet

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:24 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** R Lansing [<mailto:rlpublic001@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:37 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Please, no rate increases for solar, wind, and any non corporate producers. W E should get refunds for saving power companies in fuel costs, maintenance costs, and depreciation expenses.

we invested a lot in electric production and it saves the power companies money every day.

Thanks

Sincerely,

R Lansing

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Javier liera [<mailto:javierliera3@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:13 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioners,

Please stop the madness our sun is a great asset to this state let's take advantage of it. Let's give the small business man a fighting chance.

Javier liera

Sincerely,

Javier liera

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:23 AM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Thomas Blaney [<mailto:Onesky11@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:00 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Stop being the global asses!

Sincerely,

Thomas Blaney

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Diane Bradshaw [<mailto:diane@dianebradshaw.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:26 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Sincerely,

Diane Bradshaw

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:22 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web; Stump-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** D.E. Whitcomb [<mailto:diamondd22@earthlink.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:24 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Please don't negatively impact the use of solar energy. It makes no sense, especially in Arizona:  
Three 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.

Sincerely,

D.E. Whitcomb

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:20 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web; Stump-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** thomas dunlap [<mailto:fitzink@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:20 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case.

Sincerely,

thomas dunlap

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Mike Conner <michaeladamconner@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 11:08 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

For utilities to be able to raise their rates or impose fees on customers who have only tried to reduce their dependence on these legal monopolies outside of a "rate case" is non-sense. This is especially true after they have agreed not to and that the typical solar customer does not require any additional "grid support" once the installation is commissioned. AZ Corp. Commission, Please do your job and protect the people of this state from being convinced they have no alternatives but to pay for ever increasing electricity costs.

Sincerely,

Mike Conner

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Amy Tropp <amy.tropp@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 08, 2015 6:40 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Taxing solar customers is ludicrous. The point of solar energy usage is that it costs less and does NOT require a company to monitor the sun.

Sincerely,

Amy Tropp

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Sean Martin <kam.sean@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 07, 2015 10:33 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

This is the valley of the sun why are you letting the utilities kill solar. Solar is the future and Arizona is behind. We should be making it easier and maore cost effect to have solar not less.

Three utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. These utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Sean Martin

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Sharon Kopina <1004slk1950@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 07, 2015 9:35 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As a customer of APS, I am requesting ACC to stick to your word to NOT allow utilities to do a blanket tax on solar customers. You are now attempting to do so outside of "a rate case" an established proceeding you agreed to follow. This will NOT allow due process, something our country is based upon as one of our rights.

Utilities should NOT get preferential treatment over customers. A fair and transparent process already exists, the rate case, so please use it.

Sincerely,

Sharon Kopina

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Tony Dudzinski <tkdudzinski@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 07, 2015 6:22 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please say no to any increases or rate changes for residents that have solar. Please do not penalize the residents for saving energy and helping keep our state clean. We have already paid the price when purchasing our solar panels and need your support to keep solar affordable to anyone who is thinking of getting solar on their rooftops. Thank you for your time.

Tony Dudzinski City of Peoria Resident

Sincerely,

Tony Dudzinski

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Oleson <dragonstonejohn@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 06, 2015 6:05 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please adhere to the standard of discussing rates for Solar ONLY during a Rates Change venue. I personally hope you don't raise any taxes on Solar especially at the behest of an unethical company such as APS.

Kindly follow proper protocol when addressing Solar or any other electrical rate consideration. I would hope you would think of the PEOPLE for a change and NOT APS bottom line.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

John Oleson

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Robert Aloe <robaloe@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 06, 2015 8:37 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear ACC,

I am writing to you to express my concerns about the efforts of utility companies to unfairly tax solar companies, and to do so outside of the established rate case procedure.

Solar energy is good for our economy, it's good for our environment, and benefits Arizonans in several ways. But it is also beneficial to the very utility companies that are trying to impede its growth. Utility companies can sell homeowners' excess electricity for a sizable profit; and solar customers take pressure off of the grid and curb the need to build new billion-dollar energy plants.

The solar industry has created jobs here in Arizona, and has provided an alternative for Arizonans. The growth of solar customers has a positive impact even for non-solar customers. For these reasons, I urge that you support the solar industry here in Arizona, and do not allow the utility companies to unfairly tax solar simply as a means to discourage growth and make even more of a profit off of the backs of the citizens of this state. At the very least, I hope that you will stick to your word (and make APS stick to theirs) and hold a proper rate case before considering any taxes on solar. This issue is very important to me and I vote.

Sincerely,

Robert Aloe

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Nichols <johnknichols@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, July 06, 2015 2:17 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Keep lobbyists out of my energy. Don't flip-flop on the commitment to not tax my solar energy.

If you work for the public and not for the energy companies, you will listen and take the actions that favor the environment, the planet and my ability to afford to use solar energy.

Sincerely,

John Nichols

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** David Feiring <dcfrave@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, July 05, 2015 6:42 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do not let dark money that is sourced by nonrenewable energy (Koch brothers) influence your decisions about solar energy. Solar energy is a key strategy in maintaining energy for the world while supporting an environment that will not sabotage future generations by driving up cost caused by changes in global weather. The men and women on this commission are in the forefront of making the decisions that could harm the people on Earth for a long time if not forever.

Sincerely,

David Feiring

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Linda Mooney <paleflag@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 10:53 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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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.

Sincerely,

Linda Mooney

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Bridget Doherty <bridgetd01@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 4:07 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I think Arizona should be a leader in the Solar Industry with the abundance of sunshine we have been blessed with. I have invested in solar panels on my rooftop and to date I have produced more energy than I use. Each month SRP has benefited from my investment. In a fortunate timing situation I was able to be grandfathered in and will not have to pay the surcharge they have imposed on other solar providers. If I did have to pay that surcharge I would be paying more per month in the winter months than I was prior to my solar purchase since I rely on primarily gas 1/2 the year. Make the utility companies go through the established procedures to ensure a fair rate charge.

Sincerely,

Bridget Doherty

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Christy DuCharme <christyducharme@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 1:25 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Christy DuCharme

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**From:** diane diane <diane.connect@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 1:23 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Your profits or agendas are NOT more important than the Future, the Environment or the population as a whole.

Sincerely,

diane diane

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Concerned Citizen <digitalwav@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, July 04, 2015 2:41 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I support this action! You should too!

Sincerely,

Concerned Citizen

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Walter Jacobson <jjacobson272@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 9:01 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do the right thing!  
Enough greed

Sincerely,

Walter Jacobson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Barry Wilson <thecount173ad@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 6:09 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I want you to know that I oppose any public utility raising rates on ANY consumer without a request for a rate increase going before you.

This is illegal and unfair. In the past you have indicated that you would only discuss rate increases, solar or any other kind, in the established process of a rate case. Keep your word!!

Thank you for keeping your word.  
Barry Wilson

Sincerely,

Barry Wilson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** susan wilson <r3s2b1@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 6:07 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Thank you for keeping your word.  
Susan Wilson  
AZ voter and taxpayer

Sincerely,

susan wilson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Robin Kladke <Rkladke@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 5:28 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I spent a huge amount of money to put solar panels on my roof. I can generate my own power now, cleanly. My agreement with TFS was that I would pay the minimum service fee with TEP. I'm saving the planet for all of us, so why am I being penalized?

Sincerely,

Robin Kladke

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Gomati Wilson <gomati@truthconsciousness.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 3:47 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

It is imperative that the ACC stick to their word regarding solar in Arizona. Arizona should be the solar capitol of the USA.

Please do NOT cave in to the three major utility companies. The majority of citizens DO NOT want the big utilities to receive special treatment to raise rates for solar.

This discussion should be held only in the venue of a rate case. The ACC needs to make sure that happens and to not allow the utilities to raise their rates without a fair hearing.

Sincerely,

Gomati Wilson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Leah Loveday <leah@truthconsciousness.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 3:17 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Corporation Commissioners,

Please stick to your original plan to discuss rate changes in the proper place. Utilities should not be the ones to decide rate changes. It isn't fair to the rest of us. Solar is important to consumers and to the well-being of our state. Please do not let the utilities raise rates unfairly.

Respectfully,  
Leah Loveday

Sincerely,

Leah Loveday

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Catherine Estrada <Badcathy57@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 1:55 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

It is unfair to tell the citizens one thing and then do another. Why should the utility companies make money for getting power from something they are getting free.

Sincerely,

Catherine Estrada

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** James & Kathleen Pitre <jpitre@logic-inc.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 1:07 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

We seem to have forgotten that we are facing an energy crisis and that we have a relatively short period of time to sort out how we are going to survive longer term without an ample supply of relatively cheap energy. Just because oil prices have temporarily dropped doesn't mean that we trash renewable energy sources - we have only been given a brief reprieve to give us time to adjust our sources and uses appropriately.

Killing solar and other alternate energy sources is not only an ignorant decision leading us into a black hole, but such decisions add to our climate change problems. Our energies MUST be redoubled and collectively directed at solving our long term energy needs - and not at punishing those of us who are working towards finding and providing solutions

Sincerely,

James & Kathleen Pitre

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Susan Klement <nutshell@me.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 12:59 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

We who have solar panels paid a lot for them and are trying to save energy. We should not have to pay more when we are giving our excess energy to the power companies.

Sincerely,

Susan Klement

Sincerely,

Susan Klement

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Jill Marlowe <jill@truthconsciousness.org>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 12:25 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Three utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. The Corporation Commission and APS have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case. 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. utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar.  
Thank you for considering this concern.

Sincerely,

Jill Marlowe

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Kathryn Babcock <kathybabcockaz@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 12:23 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The utilities should be at the head of the solar industry, championing solar for all customers. Astute business leaders would have come up with a new business model that would allow the utilities to profit from the common-sense use of readily available energy that customers want.

Do not raise rates on solar customers. Utilities should take this as an opportunity.

Sincerely,

Kathryn Babcock

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Thomas Watkins <twatkinstom@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 11:20 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I made this substantial investment into solar to ease into my retirement years. Please stand by your word and not let APS raise rates outside the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Thomas Watkins

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Thomas Arni <tjhiker902@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 10:20 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Since when have owners of solar panels become the enemy. Why is it that that our investments of tens of thousands of dollars to generate electricity for ourselves and the grid, not to mention a considerable contribution in lowering for my own and your grandchildren, makes us the bad guy? Funny how we, several years ago, were STRONGLY encouraged by your Commission and APS to make our solar investment. Could it be for greed, for the APS shareholder that they now wish to further tax us? Is there no consideration that the hundreds of millions of dollars invested by the solar homeowners has allowed APS the luxury of not having to add additional, expensive, polluting coal burning generators?

Please take a breath here and take a HARD look at how solar homeowners have really HELPED APS in the long-term. This is the kind of thing that all APS customers should be strongly encouraged to do. This is the right thing to do for our air, our health, our environment and our grandchildren.

Cordially,  
Thomas Arni  
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Sincerely,

Thomas Arni

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Carol Maurer <cem9844@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 9:46 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

It seems a search for funds is once again going ass-backwards. Just think how much well-beingness we will have with a great deal more solar usage in AZ! This should be REWARDED rather than penalized. Where are your loyalties?

Sincerely,

Carol Maurer

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Villinski <johnv@abstractsouthwest.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 9:40 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar energy needs everyone's support. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.

Sincerely,

John Villinski

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**From:** Sonya Lowry <SonyaLowry@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, July 03, 2015 8:07 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Sonya Lowry

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**From:** Dona LaSchiava <dslaschiava@comcast.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:47 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

**STOP IMPEDING SOLAR ENERGY!** The state of Arizona should be leading the country in solar energy!

Three 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

Sincerely,

Dona LaSchiava

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**From:** Jeanne Saint-Amour <bepower1@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:49 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Don't hurt Arizona solar.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Saint-Amour

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John DelTognoArmanasco <jrdta1010@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:13 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am a solar user. This reduces the load on the utility system and means that the utility companies do not have to build another generating system.

I am saving the utility company money. This is a case of wanting to have their cake and eat it, too.

You need to stand up for the citizens that you work for and tell the power companies that they only get one bite at the apple. Not two!

Sincerely,

John DelTognoArmanasco

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Rodney Smith <rodneyleesmith@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:23 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

There should be open hearing and on a schedule that is not hidden. This sneaky behind closed doors hearing agenda is not correct. And will be spoken of many time by me, Your board is established to create a balance between reasonable profit and consumer protection. It is obvious that lobbyist and politics control your solar ideas. Solar cost utilities nothing and they do make profits because they already sell the solar in the summer for over 3 times more than we are netted. It sames them the need to increase production facilities and the cost of fuel. increase solar production not the price to consumers for the suns free source.

Sincerely,

Rodney Smith

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** James Rawlins <jasrawlins@juno.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 8:11 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I had solar installed on my home to help us from using so much electricity. The concept was to lower or eliminate our electric bill, with the added advantage that SRP would not have to build additional power plants if enough people installed solar on their home. Only to my surprise they turn and want to tax us solar customers for their lost revenue from solar customers. As soon as an efficient low cost storage battery is developed I will go off the grid and no longer be a utility customer. Then SRP will lose out on the extra power we are producing that they are selling from our solar panels.

Please don't let the utility companies destroy a good environmental business that is good for all. KEEP SOLAR AFFORDABLE FOR ALL.

Sincerely,

James Rawlins

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**From:** WILLIAM CRUTCHFIELD <sundagger44@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:56 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

No new taxes on solar customers. It is taxation without representation if done outside of established procedures and not in a rate case.

All this double speak from the APS CEO is appalling.

There should be no taxes on renewable , sustainable, clean solar energy, period.

Sincerely,

William Crutchfield

Sincerely,

WILLIAM CRUTCHFIELD

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** SUZANNE J. ARNOLD <omisuzche@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:54 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Let everyone have the solar panels on their homes to save on electricity and make the home safer and better especially for those that are on fixed income or are on the poor list for living. We need to fix the Country's lighting before the electricity disappears!

Sincerely,

SUZANNE J. ARNOLD

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Loretta Herger <dogy330@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:09 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You should be doing everything to promote & help people to have solar power, not discourage them.

Sincerely,

Loretta Herger

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** dorothea herman <dade4@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 7:03 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

please stick to your word/// let people have solar benefits

Sincerely,

dorothea herman

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Darlene Blackwell Blackwell <Darleneb1942@mac.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 6:00 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

STICK TO YOUR WORD!

Sincerely,

Darlene Blackwell Blackwell

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**From:** Andre Dargis <andredargis@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:59 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Chairman Smith,

When I retired six years ago, I moved to Scottsdale, a beautiful city in a beautiful state. I love the topography of the state, the climate, and the reasonable cost of living. Five years ago I purchased a rooftop array of solar panels to contribute to a cleaner environment and to preserve the air and water quality of my new home. At the time APS assisted me in the purchase and congratulated me on my initiative. I also saved money on my electric bill. I am alarmed that our local utilities have seemingly "turned sour" on rooftop solar and want to penalize us with unfair charges. Please stay with examining proposed increased solar rates in the context of established procedures. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Andre Dargis

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Barbara Domingues <bdomingues1@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:48 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do not talk out of one side of your mouth to appease the public, then do the opposite.

Stick to you original words on solar, help to keep the corporate dollars out of your pocket and serve the peoples interests as you have publically spoken.

There will come a day those who serve corporate tactics vs. what is right for US Citizens will be exposed for back slidden activities. Keep your slate clean and do what you have said.

Remember Corporate Utilities and Government ARE NOT TO BE IN BED TOGETHER.

All this ridiculous anti solar activity from the corporate giants is due to the drive for monies.

SUN is a FREE commodity given by god. Stick to your original agreements and tell the corporate greed machine to stop polluting our air.

Sincerely,

Barbara Domingues

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**From:** Paul Cooper <heliotrope@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:38 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Commissioner,

I am very concerned about the Commission's deliberations of new taxes, in the guise of rates or outside the rate setting process, on citizens who opt to invest in clean, renewable, electrical grid easing Solar Power. Unlike most industrialized nations and other States, it seems that Arizonans are constantly disincented by the Utility Companies via the Arizona Corporation Commission.

I urge you to resist these attempts to "tax" solar installations in your proper role in protecting the citizens of Arizona from the large Utility Corporations, whose privilege to do business as a state sanctioned Monopoly is your responsibility to protect

There are many arguments in favor of solar energy I could make, which you have probably already heard, so I won't repeat them now. Please regard me as a staunch supporter of the public use of solar energy and will be expecting your protection of that public good.

I am also an eligible voter and I talk to people every day about solar energy in Arizona. I would prefer to speak about the progress we are making in utilizing our greatest resource, solar energy.

Sincerely,

Paul R Cooper  
Phoenix, AZ

Sincerely,

Paul Cooper

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**From:** Sherry Sass <sushi4334@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:27 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I hope and expect that the Commission will stick to its assertion that the proper context to consider raising rates for solar generation is in a rate case.

Since you represent utility customers/rate payers, you are our sole protection from unfair practices of utility companies. Thank you for doing your job, and maintaining a fair process for determining rate increases.

Sincerely,

Sherry Sass

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**From:** Stephan Meyer <reblys\_wolf316@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 5:16 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Quit screwing people who are energy efficient      FREEDOM FROM THE GRID

Sincerely,

Stephan Meyer

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Andre Pernet <apernet1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:50 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You had 150 years of hegemony for producing electricity using carbon products. You should have seen it coming, unlike selling bogey whips companies and Kodak and Bell and Howell. If you have not predicted the end of fossil fuel , it is just too bad . Don't try to usurp profit from solar energy. It does not belong to you,never did. Just go away.

Sincerely,

Andre Pernet

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** R Lansing <rlpublic001@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:37 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please, no rate increases for solar, wind, and any non corporate producers. W E should get refunds for saving power companies in fuel costs, maintenance costs, and depreciation expenses.

we invested a lot in electric production and it saves the power companies money every day.

Thanks

Sincerely,

R Lansing

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**From:** Javier liera <javierliera3@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:13 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stop the madness our sun is a great asset to this state let's take advantage of it. Let's give the small business man a fighting chance.

Javier liera

Sincerely,

Javier liera

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Thomas Blaney <Onesky11@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 4:00 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stop being the global asses!

Sincerely,

Thomas Blaney

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Diane Bradshaw <diane@dianebradshaw.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:26 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Sincerely,

Diane Bradshaw

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** D.E. Whitcomb <diamondd22@earthlink.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please don't negatively impact the use of solar energy. It makes no sense, especially in Arizona:

Three 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.

Sincerely,

D.E. Whitcomb

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**From:** thomas dunlap <fitzink@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:20 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

thomas dunlap

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:04 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web; Forese-Web; Stump-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Renee de la Fuente  
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Arizona Corporation Commission  
Utilities Division  
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Phoenix, AZ 85007  
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[rdelafuente@azcc.gov](mailto:rdelafuente@azcc.gov)

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**From:** Ronald Zebal [<mailto:rzebal@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:53 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

I invested \$20,000 in my Tucson home solar in 2011. The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar.

Sincerely,

Ronald Zebal

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:03 PM  
**To:** Stump-Web; Forese-Web; BitterSmith-Web  
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**From:** Merv Tvinnereim [<mailto:jmt5960@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:01 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Please stick to your word and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue-area case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together. Solar power is the energy of the future and we have an abundance of cheap energy available in Arizona. We need to reduce our dependency on fossil fuels which are expensive and pollute the air.

Sincerely,

Merv Tvinnereim

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**From:** Merv Tvinnereim <jmt5960@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 3:01 PM  
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Sincerely,

Merv Tvinnereim

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:35 PM  
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**From:** Rex Hardesty [<mailto:rdhsjh@hotmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:34 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Rex Hardesty

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**From:** Daniella Hauptmann [<mailto:dmusca@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:29 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Please stick to your word about solar rates. Work for the people and not the utility companies who stand to make profits from solar. Also think about the environment. We want this earth to be in good shape for our grandchildren and the money hungry ways of today's corporation are not helping the environment!

Three utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures.  
Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar.  
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Sincerely,

Daniella Hauptmann

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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Sincerely,

Rex Hardesty

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**From:** Bettina Bickel [<mailto:bbickel08@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 1:51 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

I strongly support solar energy in Arizona, as it benefits our economy and our environment,.Three 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.
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Sincerely,

Bettina Bickel

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**From:** james wiesenberg [<mailto:jim.wiesenberg@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:05 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Only a rate case should be basis for increasing rates due to solar.

Sincerely,

james wiesenberg

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Joan Tomoff <joantomoff@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:30 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Please make the utilities stick to established procedures for raising rates on their customers. All Commissioners, and APS, my utility (as if I had a choice) 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. You know that decentralized solar is the obvious and best way for Arizonans to harness energy. I have wished to harness the solar energy hitting my roof since the 1970s. Now that it's finally affordable for ordinary people like me, a retired teacher, please keep it that way.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Joan Tomoff

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**From:** Daniella Hauptmann <dmusca@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:29 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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

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Daniella Hauptmann

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Renee de la Fuente  
Administrative Support Specialist  
Arizona Corporation Commission  
Utilities Division  
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**From:** Linda Jennings [<mailto:Adnil153@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 2:08 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Only a rate case should be basis for increasing rates due to solar.

Sincerely,

james wiesenberg

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**From:** Bettina Bickel <bbickel08@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 1:51 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

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**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 1:47 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:57 AM  
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Dear Commissioner,

Arizona solar just makes sense. Please require APS to go through the proper channels regarding any effort to tax this precious resource.

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Martin Kirk

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**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:13 AM  
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Dear Commissioner,

When we signed up and installed solar at our son's residence, we operated with the best intentions regarding reduction of conventional sources of energy production and the pollution and ultimate expense associated with it. Since that time our efforts have come under non-stop attack from energy producers seemingly to maintain not only their grip on production but more importantly to guarantee their bottom line at the expense of anyone who seeks to avoid the pitfalls of our current system.

To add rate increases because we no longer need to acquire energy in the conventional manner goes against the very reason that more clean energy is needed. Rather than penalizing people who took the government's request to reduce dependency we should encourage more participation in an open and truthful offering with no subsequent gotchas.

Sincerely,

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Sincerely,

Ron Wilcox

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Solar is the future here in AZ and a forward looking utility company would jump on board and turn solar in to a long term energy source instead of using a short sighted policy of punishing any new solar.

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**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:15 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Don't let the power companies sneak in charges on the solar producers. Have open hearings so the public is informed.

Sincerely,

Ron Wilcox

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Mitchell & Nancy Trainer <mitchebay@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:13 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

When we signed up and installed solar at our son's residence, we operated with the best intentions regarding reduction of conventional sources of energy production and the pollution and ultimate expense associated with it. Since that time our efforts have come under non-stop attack from energy producers seemingly to maintain not only their grip on production but more importantly to guarantee their bottom line at the expense of anyone who seeks to avoid the *pitfalls of our current system*.

To add rate increases because we no longer need to acquire energy in the conventional manner goes against the very reason that more clean energy is needed. Rather than penalizing people who took the government's request to reduce dependency we should encourage more participation in an open and truthful offering with no subsequent gotchas.

Sincerely,

Mitchell & Nancy Trainer

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**From:** John Shopp <Johnjws4@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:09 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please have some respect for your customers. Follow proper procedure and file a rate case !

Is APS not already yielding high profits for a utility company ?

Is it now plausible that APS is basically taxing the sun ?

So APS spends millions in covert black op companies trying to kill solar - now your approach - via radio - is your all for solar and being a greener company.

Why not truly stand up and lead down the right path for AZ's future maybe other utilities will follow.

Sincerely,

John Shopp

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**From:** Albert Gebb <bud43221@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:03 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You must have a public hearing to raise solar rates. Trying to sneak pass the public is unethical and not very professional.

Sincerely,

Albert Gebb

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**From:** John Nowlin <JohnNowlin@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Support solar and govern for the people in this state -not corporations!

Sincerely,

John Nowlin

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**From:** Julie Schubert <jschubertdesigns@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

People who have the had the sense to add solar energy to their homes, should be applauded..... and given energy tax breaks. They should not be penalized by having added energy taxes/rates thrust on them!

Sincerely,

Julie Schubert

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**From:** Martin Kirk <Martin@kirkyoga.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Arizona solar just makes sense. Please require APS to go through the proper channels regarding any effort to tax this precious resource.

Sincerely,

Martin Kirk

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**From:** Charlie DeMarco <ultrawide4@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:56 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Charlie DeMarco

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**From:** Miriam Iverson <miriami@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Miriam Iverson

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**From:** Jonn Lander <jlstudios@esedona.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Well, we had stage robbers at one point in our history. Nothing has really changed. Now they put on a coat and tie to do the same thing. More and better results that way. Paraphrasing Al Capone he said, "I never met so many thieves before in my life until I put on a coat and tie." And that's pretty much what we have today.

It appears the only way to tackle these high tech thieves (utility companies) is to force them to follow the proper venue.

I hope you stick to your word and not let utilities be raised outside the proper venue.

Wish you the best

Jonn Lander

Sincerely,

Jonn Lander

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**From:** Judith Salzman <judiths345@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I have solar electric and do NOT want to be hurt because I'm saving the planet from extinction. I should not be penalized in my rates!

Sincerely,

Judith Salzman

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**From:** Mark Toth <azhun1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:53 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

We in Arizona should be leading in solar energy in both commercial and private form, but constant attacks and mixed signals puts us lagging to "sunshine states" near the Canadian border! What the heck is that about. Well, those states know they are at disadvantage for solar radiation, but need relief from fossil fuel costs and don't see it threatening to established industries of electrical generation.

Which brings me towards a strategy that the traditional electric companies should be exploring: power transfer as a business in addition to power generation. Hidden in their complex as a cost burden power distribution is an expense of doing business. With introduction of dispersed small scale power generation there is need to view the characteristics of these feeds and routing of their energy. Concept: paid for a service rendered rather than a grant of a stifling "we were here first" tax on those desiring to invest in private generation whether from wind, solar, thermal or other form.

In a model of legacy power generation with their centralised large generators \_and\_ a second service of power distribution these companies would be in position to grow while advancing total alternative distributed power generation.

This model would also allow for standards of quality and safety to be established with set codes complying with standards like NEC and UBC guidelines.

Foster advancement while throwing a bone to both sides with a goal of moving Arizona ahead.

Sincerely,

Mark Toth

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**From:** Richard Brown <richard.brown578@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:46 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Richard Brown

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**From:** Walter Erla <walter.era@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:46 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Perhaps it is past time for  
ALL rooftop solar producers to set their own rates, change them at will and back charge said entities whatever we feel  
the going rate should be regardless of any government or corporate policies.

Another example for where citizens get stepped on due to the power of the almighty \$\$ and the stockholders.

Just a thought.

Sincerely,

Walter Erla

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**From:** Mark Willis <riffelwillis@centurylink.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:43 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am writing to urge you to stick to your word!

Utility Companies should not be able to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures.

The only venue in which solar rates should be considered is in a rate case!

I hope that you, now with the support of APS will not bow down to the pressures of other utility companies and consider anything but a fair and impartial rate case.

Sincerely,

Mark Willis

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**From:** Pete Bagoy <pjaz47@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:37 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do not raise rates unless done in a proper venue. Why does this continue greed have to be in our daily lives, this is one of many things in our USA that is destroying our country shame on you people, why not support solar, instead of cutting it down... I only wish you board members had low income jobs, then it would be a different story. Use some common sense for once and stop the greed. Again shame on you for not supporting American families.....

Sincerely,

Pete Bagoy

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**From:** Tom Edwards <tompenn70@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:36 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please keep your word to solar rate payers not Alec or dark money groups.

Sincerely,

Tom Edwards

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**From:** Donna Crane <dmcrane1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:21 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do not let the utility companies levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. Solar customers, trying to do the right thing for the environment, and putting their money into protecting the planet for all shouldn't be penalized for being conscientious world citizens.

Sincerely,

Donna Crane

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**From:** James Arenz <Jimarenz@me.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:20 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please don't bail on Arizona's solar citizens. Make utility companies plead the case at a full rate case hearing, not through another back door attempt.

Sincerely,

James Arenz

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**From:** James Kendall <jimkqvaz@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:18 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Don't subject solar customers to higher fees and taxes.

Sincerely,

James Kendall

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**From:** Jeffrey Kleiman <jkleiman@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:16 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The elected commissioners must stick to their words and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together. For the future of our planet, we must maximize the potential of solar as an energy source. The utility companies must adjust to the reality of the market place. They cannot act in a way that will discourage the use of solar. The future rate structure must of course be fair to all parties, but this cannot be achieved without the full openness of a rate hearing.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Kleiman

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**From:** Beverly Cameron <beverlyjcameron@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:13 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar is the future especially for AZ. Please keep your word and don't let the existing utilities impose their monopoly strength to slow the spread of solar power with taxes and charges.

Please keep your word and do the responsible thing for ALL of the people of AZ, not just for the utilities and their vested interested.

I'm an AZ resident who votes and I'll be watching what you do and how you vote.

Sincerely,

Beverly Cameron

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**From:** Susan Cordell <susancordell@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:12 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Please be a group for ALL Arizonans.

Sincerely,

Susan Cordell

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**From:** Lin Mullins <hairqueen@commspeed.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:11 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Lin Mullins

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**From:** Kirsten Lovette <krlovette@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:11 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Only discuss solar rates in a rate case, to allow due process.

Sincerely,

Kirsten Lovette

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**From:** DeWayne Halfen <halfendt@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:10 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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Sincerely,

DeWayne Halfen

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**From:** James Lemke <jamesmlemke@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:09 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

We purchased our solar system two years ago based fixing my costs as much as possible for my upcoming retirement. APS has long advocated that we strive for solar energy to help reduce our carbon footprint and reduce cost for building new energy facilities.

I trust that our elected officials stay the course and help make Arizona a solar model for other States to follow.

Sincerely,

James Lemke

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**From:** Debbie Burgett <daburgett@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:05 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Debbie Burgett

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**From:** Don Jones <d0j0@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:05 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am very concerned by the efforts of Arizona utilities to raise rates for solar customers. As a state we should be doing all we can to be the #1 state for solar development and not simply giving over control to utilities who want to stall and maximize profits on their existing infrastructure. This is a clear case where government needs to advocate for the best future for Arizona citizens and that will require moving away from fossil fuels and towards sustainable renewable energy.

All attempts by these utilities to apply regressive rate hikes on rooftop solar need to be channeled thru normal rate change proceedings and should inspire you to do your homework on what is best for the future of AZ, not simply rubber stamping utility requests.

There is an opportunity here to structure policy to advance the growth of solar in Arizona rather than retard it - on all levels. Increased commercial scale solar as well as residential rooftop solar and creating a solar friendly environment that brings more solar business into AZ. We should be manufacturing panels and components here, attracting solar corporation headquarters here and building the largest scale solar power plants. Arizona utilities need to be stepping up to the plate instead of trying to limit competition. Create the right environment for a big jump into the future.

Thank you for your consideration. Please be forward thinking and push the utilities in that direction as well.

Don W Jones  
Tucson, AZ

Sincerely,

Don Jones

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**From:** Jonathan Grant <scaredycats@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:00 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Arizona has a unique responsibility in leading the nation and world in offering affordable solar to its residents. Please Please don't embarrass our state in surcharging residents for solar use. Solar customers provide for job opportunity and increased corporate profits for companies involved in solar production. Making it less affordable by surcharging users will only hurt residents and corporations than help use the suns energy for electricity.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Grant

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**From:** Dave Parrish <dave@operationsavetheearth.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:00 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I don't get it. Even APS is starting to see the big picture now for Arizona energy needs going forward. Taking a step back by messing with the rate structure now makes no sense. Let's work together to see that families across the state realize a bright, renewable future we can all benefit from.

Sincerely,

Dave Parrish

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**From:** Jordan Ross <jross367@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:59 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Alternative energy is the only sensible way to go forward. Don't derail this movement by letting utilities raise rates outside the proper venue thereby discouraging consumers from doing the right thing.

Sincerely,

Jordan Ross

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**From:** Ryan Chamberlain <Chrondonelyexpress@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:59 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

It is obvious what reasons one would not want the public or the environment to have access to clean sustainable energy. Power away from the corpratocracy and to the people. This is the opposite of what the government wants. I ask you though, as a human that shares this planet with all the rest of us to do the right thing. Don't stymie this.

Ryan

Sincerely,

Ryan Chamberlain

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**From:** Linda Bigus <sea2pines@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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

Sincerely,

Linda Bigus

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**From:** Joanne Barrett <MarkJoanneAZ@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
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Sincerely,

Joanne Barrett

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**From:** Raymond Petersen <idelia412@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:55 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stop APS from charging fees to solar owners.

Sincerely,

Raymond Petersen

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**From:** Joanna Baker <joannabaker2@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I realize utilities need payment for use of their lines, but this should be established in the proper rate case.

Sincerely,

Joanna Baker

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**From:** James Hakeem <jujimar4@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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

This constant after the fact attempt of trying to get money out of those of us that previously invested in solar is ridiculous, unfair and quite. Please do what you can to stop it.

Sincerely,

James Hakeem

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**From:** leonie dobbins <onzie66@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:49 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do follow the regulations. Otherwise what is the point of having them?

Solar customers should nt be penalized for using solar energy!

Leonie Dobbins

Sincerely,

leonie dobbins

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** kenneth lane <lildufer@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:47 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stick to your word.

Sincerely,

kenneth lane

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**From:** Jacquelyn Davis <jackieraye\_is@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:46 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
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Sincerely  
Jacquelyn Davis

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Jacquelyn Davis

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**From:** Raymond Storla <ray.storla@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:45 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do you realize Germany has committed to Solar in an effort to eliminate nuclear power plants? It is because solar works. For America's sake, you should support solar over the corporate mentality of profiteering.

Sincerely,

Raymond Storla

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**From:** Walker Bennett <vladilyich@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:44 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stick to your original word, not what the money tells you.

Sincerely,

Walker Bennett

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**From:** audrey ross <audreymross@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:43 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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## Teresa Tenbrink

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**Sent:** Monday, June 29, 2015 7:52 AM  
**To:** Teresa Tenbrink  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**Sent:** Sunday, June 28, 2015 4:11 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Henry Harding [mailto:[hardinghenry@cox.net](mailto:hardinghenry@cox.net)]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 26, 2015 2:15 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2015 4:16 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Daisy Anderson [<mailto:daisysellshouses@msn.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2015 1:50 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

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**From:** Jim Stack [<mailto:jsyack6@juno.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2015 12:13 PM  
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**Sent:** Thursday, June 25, 2015 1:36 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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**From:** Kate Kosse [<mailto:ecokate60@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 24, 2015 5:04 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**Subject:** Re: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

**Follow Up Flag:** Follow up  
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Appears my email was spoofed. I did not send the original message.

On Wed, Jun 24, 2015 at 2:07 PM, BitterSmith-Web <[bittersmith-Web@azcc.gov](mailto:bittersmith-Web@azcc.gov)> wrote:  
Thank you for sharing your concerns with Commissioner Bitter Smith. She asked me to email you and let you know that your email will be made a part of the public comment record. Thanks for the time taken and your interest in this issue.

Thanks again,

Teresa Tenbrink  
Executive Aide to Chairman Susan Bitter Smith  
Arizona Corporation Commission  
1200 W. Washington  
Phoenix, AZ 85007  
[\(602\) 542-3625](tel:(602)542-3625)

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**From:** Mark Vollmer [<mailto:markvollmer@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 8:15 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Why is Arizona Public Service (APS) or any utility allowed to raise rates when they want or lobby Arizona Corporate Commission (AZCC) for a rate increase. Why is taxing the Sun an issue. The Sun is free and not produced by any utility, since solar harnesses the free sun why should solar be taxed? Since 2004 (2004 and 2005 in particular) APS has been raising rates by as much as 8%. I received a letter both years stating why, which doesn't happen anymore. Back in 2004 the stock was considered junk and APS could not get any loans against it, so here comes a rate increase. This has gone on year after year. There will never be any fairness when folks tax our rights of choice and savings. Local utilities use solar for various reasons. Are they taxing themselves for there solar consumption? Why is APS putting solar on customers roof tops? And of course keeping the savings. Hmm....This tax solar thing is crap. We do not live in a dictatorship. The AZCC seems to be spineless in all of  
this

and APS especially is two faced and hypocritical. We need a very diversified means of energy

production. Solar plays a huge role in this and always seems to get stepped on by a bully with money and policy makers in their pockets. APS never should have gotten the \$5.00 solar tax, and they wanted a great deal more. This has got to stop! Get with the program. Solar customers get sick of paying \$200 or so every month for electricity so they end up paying \$25.00 once they put solar panel on their roof. Purchasing the system out of their own pocket of course, not leasing. Purchasing is where we realize a savings and the American dream. The utilities and AZCC are crushing our dream. Why? It's their dream too, isn't it?

Respectfully,  
Mark Vollmer

Sincerely,

Mark Vollmer

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:47 AM  
**To:** Tom Forese; Doug Little; Susan Bitter Smith; Bob Burns; Bob Stump  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Richard Brown [<mailto:richard.brown578@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:46 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Three 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.

Sincerely,

Richard Brown

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Dear Commissioner,

Perhaps it is past time for  
ALL rooftop solar producers to set their own rates, change them at will and back charge said entities whatever we feel  
the going rate should be regardless of any government or corporate policies.

Another example for where citizens get stepped on due to the power of the almighty \$\$ and the stockholders.

Just a thought.

Sincerely,

Walter Erla

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Dear Commissioner,

I am writing to urge you to stick to your word!

Utility Companies should not be able to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures.

The only venue in which solar rates should be considered is in a rate case!

I hope that you, now with the support of APS will not bow down to the pressures of other utility companies and consider anything but a fair and impartial rate case.

Sincerely,

Mark Willis

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Dear Commissionser,

Do not raise rates unless done in a proper venue. Why does this continue greed have to be in our daily lives, this is one of many things in our USA that is destroying our country shame on you people, why not support solar, instead of cutting it down.. I only wish you board members had low income jobs, then it would be a different story. Use some common sense for once and stop the greed. Again shame on you for not supporting American families.....

Sincerely,

Pete Bagoy

## Susan Bitter Smith

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Dear Commissioner,

Do not let the utility companies levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. Solar customers, trying to do the right thing for the environment, and putting their money into protecting the planet for all shouldn't be penalized for being conscientious world citizens.

Sincerely,

Donna Crane

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Sincerely,

James Kendall

## Susan Bitter Smith

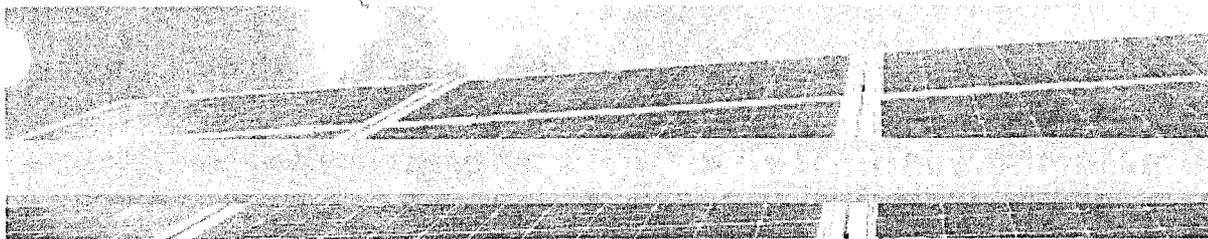
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**From:** Teresa Tenbrink  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:30 AM  
**To:** Susan Bitter Smith  
**Subject:** FW: Join SEIA for a Discussion on Grid Reliability at NARUC: July 13, 2015

Interested?

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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 01, 2015 10:33 AM  
**To:** Teresa Tenbrink  
**Subject:** Join SEIA for a Discussion on Grid Reliability at NARUC: July 13, 2015



Dear Solar Colleague,

The Solar Energy Industry Association is convening a panel discussion the morning of Monday, July 13, 2015, in conjunction with NARUC Summer Committee Meetings. The breakfast event will be held on site at the New York Marriot Marquis. The panel will address timely questions about solar power generation's contributions to the reliability of the electrical grid as solar deployment increases in response to the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) pending rule on the control of carbon emissions from existing stationary sources under Sec. 111(d) of the Clean Air Act – also known as the "Clean Power Plan."

**REGISTER**

Topics will include:

- The role of utility regulators in responding to EPA's pending rule and ensuring the reliability of the grid.
- The role of renewable energy in state and regional compliance options.
- Market innovations and technologies that can ensure grid reliability and/or reduce costs associated with the anticipated increase in variable generation.

- The contribution that distributed generation assets can have on grid reliability.

Confirmed participants include:

- **Jon Wellinghoff**, Partner at Stoel Rives LLP; former Chairman of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
- **Katherine Hamilton**, principle at 38 North Solutions; former Policy Director for the Energy Storage Association; former President of the GridWise Alliance
- **Paul Suskie**, Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Southwest Power Pool; former Chairman of the Arkansas Public Service Commission
- **Steven Koerner**, Director, Government Affairs, Recurrent Energy (moderator)

**Recurrent Energy (www.recurrentenergy.com) is  
sponsoring the event on behalf of SEIA.**

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**To:** Bob Burns; Bob Stump; Doug Little; Tom Forese; Susan Bitter Smith  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Dear Commissioner,

Do you realize Germany has committed to Solar in an effort to eliminate nuclear power plants? It is because solar works. For America's sake, you should support solar over the corporate mentality of profiteering.

Sincerely,

Raymond Storla

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Dear Commissioner,

The elected commissioners must stick to their words and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together. For the future of our planet, we must maximize the potential of solar as an energy source. The utility companies must adjust to the reality of the market place. They cannot act in a way that will discourage the use of solar. The future rate structure must of course be fair to all parties, but this cannot be achieved without the full openness of a rate hearing.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Kleiman

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Dear Commissioner,

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<http://www.theblaze.com/contributions/dear-ignorant-people-please-dont-vote-today/>  
<http://www.wnd.com/2015/04/state-threatening-anti-common-core-parents-with-jail/>  
<http://www.theblaze.com/contributions/was-supreme-court-justice-john-roberts-blackmailed/>  
<http://canadafreepress.com/article/72357> (examining the TPP)

Sincerely,

J. Preston Hentz

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:30 AM  
**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Bob Stump; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Beverly Cameron [mailto:beverlyjcameron@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:13 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Solar is the future especially for AZ. Please keep your word and don't let the existing utilities impose their monopoly strength to slow the spread of solar power with taxes and charges.

Please keep your word and do the responsible thing for ALL of the people of AZ, not just for the utilities and their vested interested.

I'm an AZ resident who votes and I'll be watching what you do and how you vote.

Sincerely,

Beverly Cameron

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:30 AM  
**To:** Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns; Bob Stump; Susan Bitter Smith  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Jacquelyn Davis [mailto:jackieraye\_is@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:46 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely  
Jacquelyn Davis

Sincerely,

Jacquelyn Davis

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:29 AM  
**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Bob Stump; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Susan Cordell [mailto:susancordell@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:13 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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Dear Commissionser,

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

Please be a group for ALL Arizonans.

Sincerely,

Susan Cordell

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:29 AM  
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**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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From: kenneth lane [mailto:lildufer@gmail.com]  
Sent: Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:47 AM  
To: Utilities Div - Mailbox  
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Stick to your word.

Sincerely,

kenneth lane

## Susan Bitter Smith

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From: leonie dobbins [mailto:onzie66@gmail.com]  
Sent: Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:49 AM  
To: Utilities Div - Mailbox  
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Please do follow the regulations. Otherwise what is the point of having them?

Solar customers should nt be penalized for using solar energy!  
Leonie Dobbins

Sincerely,

leonie dobbins

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Lin Mullins [mailto:hairqueen@commspeed.net]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:11 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Sincerely,

Lin Mullins

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:28 AM  
**To:** Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns; Bob Stump; Susan Bitter Smith  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** James Hakeem [mailto:jujimar4@gmail.com]  
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**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Dear ACC,

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This constant after the fact attempt of trying to get money out of those of us that previously invested in solar is ridiculous, unfair and quite. Please do what you can to stop it.

Sincerely,

James Hakeem

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Bob Stump; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns  
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**From:** Kirsten Lovette [mailto:krlovette@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:11 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Only discuss solar rates in a rate case, to allow due process.

Sincerely,

Kirsten Lovette

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:28 AM  
**To:** Tom Forese; Doug Little; Susan Bitter Smith; Bob Burns; Bob Stump  
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**From:** Joanna Baker [mailto:joannabaker2@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:54 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

I realize utilities need payment for use of their lines, but this should be established in the proper rate case.

Sincerely,

Joanna Baker

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:28 AM  
**To:** Bob Burns; Bob Stump; Doug Little; Susan Bitter Smith; Tom Forese  
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**From:** Raymond Petersen [mailto:idelia412@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:55 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Please stop APS from charging fees to solar owners.

Sincerely,

Raymond Petersen

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Bob Stump; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns  
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**From:** DeWayne Halfen [mailto:halfendt@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:10 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

DeWayne Halfen

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:27 AM  
**To:** Bob Burns; Bob Stump; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Susan Bitter Smith  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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From: Linda Bigus [mailto:sea2pines@gmail.com]  
Sent: Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:57 AM  
To: Utilities Div - Mailbox  
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

- \* Three utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures.
  - \*Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar.
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- \* 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,

Linda Bigus

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:25 AM  
**To:** Bob Burns; Bob Stump; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Susan Bitter Smith  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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From: Joanne Barrett [mailto:MarkJoanneAZ@yahoo.com]  
Sent: Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:57 AM  
To: Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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Dear Commissionser,

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

Three 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.

Sincerely,

Joanne Barrett

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**To:** Tom Forese; Doug Little; Susan Bitter Smith; Bob Burns; Bob Stump  
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From: Ryan Chamberlain [mailto:Chrondonelyexpress@gmail.com]  
Sent: Thursday, July 02, 2015 9:59 AM  
To: Utilities Div - Mailbox  
Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

It is obvious what reasons one would not want the public or the environment to have access to clean sustainable energy. Power away from the corpratocracy and to the people. This is the opposite of what the government wants. I ask you though, as a human that shares this planet with all the rest of us to do the right thing. Don't stymie this.  
Ryan

Sincerely,

Ryan Chamberlain

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:24 AM  
**To:** Bob Burns; Bob Stump; Tom Forese; Susan Bitter Smith; Doug Little  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Dave Parrish [mailto:dave@operationsavetheearth.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:00 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

I don't get it. Even APS is starting to see the big picture now for Arizona energy needs going forward. Taking a step back by messing with the rate structure now makes no sense. Let's work together to see that families across the state realize a bright, renewable future we can all benefit from.

Sincerely,

Dave Parrish

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:24 AM  
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**From:** Jonathan Grant [mailto:scaredycats@aol.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:00 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Arizona has a unique responsibility in leading the nation and world in offering affordable solar to its residents. Please don't embarrass our state in surcharging residents for solar use. Solar customers provide for job opportunity and increased corporate profits for companies involved in solar production. Making it less affordable by surcharging users will only hurt residents and corporations than help use the suns energy for electricity.

Sincerely,

Jonathan Grant

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:23 AM  
**To:** Bob Stump; Bob Burns; Susan Bitter Smith; Tom Forese; Doug Little  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Don Jones [mailto:d0j0@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:05 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

I am very concerned by the efforts of Arizona utilities to raise rates for solar customers. As a state we should be doing all we can to be the #1 state for solar development and not simply giving over control to utilities who want to stall and maximize profits on their existing infrastructure. This is a clear case where government needs to advocate for the best future for Arizona citizens and that will require moving away from fossil fuels and towards sustainable renewable energy.

All attempts by these utilities to apply regressive rate hikes on rooftop solar need to be channeled thru normal rate change proceedings and should inspire you to do your homework on what is best for the future of AZ, not simply rubber stamping utility requests.

There is an opportunity here to structure policy to advance the growth of solar in Arizona rather than retard it - on all levels. Increased commercial scale solar as well as residential rooftop solar and creating a solar friendly environment that brings more solar business into AZ. We should be manufacturing panels and components here, attracting solar corporation headquarters here and building the largest scale solar power plants. Arizona utilities need to be stepping up to the plate instead of trying to limit competition. Create the right environment for a big jump into the future.

Thank you for your consideration. Please be forward thinking and push the utilities in that direction as well.

Don W Jones  
Tucson, AZ

Sincerely,

Don Jones

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Renee De La Fuente  
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**From:** James Lemke [mailto:jamesmlemke@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:09 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

We purchased our solar system two years ago based fixing my costs as much as possible for my upcoming retirement. APS has long advocated that we strive for solar energy to help reduce our carbon footprint and reduce cost for building new energy facilities.

I trust that our elected officials stay the course and help make Arizona a solar model for other States to follow.

Sincerely,

James Lemke

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 12:45 PM  
**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns; Bob Stump  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Charlie DeMarco [<mailto:ultrawide4@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:56 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Charlie DeMarco

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Stump; Bob Burns  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Miriam Iverson [<mailto:miriami@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Stick to your word and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together. Don't let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Miriam Iverson

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 12:44 PM  
**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns; Bob Stump  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Jonn Lander [<mailto:jlstudios@esedona.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Well, we had stage robbers at one point in our history. Nothing has really changed. Now they put on a coat and tie to do the same thing. More and better results that way. Paraphrasing Al Capone he said, "I never met so many thieves before in my life until I put on a coat and tie." And that's pretty much what we have today.

It appears the only way to tackle these high tech thieves (utility companies) is to force them to follow the proper venue.

I hope you stick to your word and not let utilities be raised outside the proper venue.

Wish you the best  
Jonn Lander

Sincerely,

Jonn Lander

**Susan Bitter Smith**

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**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Stump; Bob Burns  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Judith Salzman [<mailto:judiths345@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

I have solar electric and do NOT want to be hurt because I'm saving the planet from extinction. I should not be penalized in my rates!

Sincerely,

Judith Salzman

## Susan Bitter Smith

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 12:43 PM  
**To:** Susan Bitter Smith; Tom Forese; Doug Little; Bob Burns; Bob Stump  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Mark Toth [<mailto:azhun1@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:53 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

We in Arizona should be leading in solar energy in both commercial and private form, but constant attacks and mixed signals puts us lagging to "sunshine states" near the Canadian border! What the heck is that about. Well, those states know they are at disadvantage for solar radiation, but need relief from fossil fuel costs and don't see it threatening to established industries of electrical generation.

Which brings me towards a strategy that the traditional electric companies should be exploring: power transfer as a business in addition to power generation. Hidden in their complex as a cost burden power distribution is an expense of doing business. With introduction of dispersed small scale power generation there is need to view the characteristics of these feeds and routing of their energy. Concept: paid for a service rendered rather than a grant of a stifling "we were here first" tax on those desiring to invest in private generation whether from wind, solar, thermal or other form.

In a model of legacy power generation with their centralised large generators \_and\_ a second service of power distribution these companies would be in position to grow while advancing total alternative distributed power generation.

This model would also allow for standards of quality and safety to be established with set codes complying with standards like NEC and UBC guidelines.

Foster advancement while throwing a bone to both sides with a goal of moving Arizona ahead.

Sincerely,

Mark Toth

**Susan Bitter Smith**

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**From:** John Nowlin <JohnNowlin@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

Support solar and govern for the people in this state -not corporations!

Sincerely,

John Nowlin

**Susan Bitter Smith**

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**From:** Julie Schubert <jschubertdesigns@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

People who have the had the sense to add solar energy to their homes, should be applauded..... and given energy tax breaks. They should not be penalized by having added energy taxes/rates thrust on them!

Sincerely,

Julie Schubert

**Susan Bitter Smith**

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**From:** Martin Kirk <Martin@kirkyoga.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissionser,

Arizona solar just makes sense. Please require APS to go through the proper channels regarding any effort to tax this precious resource.

Sincerely,

Martin Kirk

**Susan Bitter Smith**

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**From:** Albert Gebb <bud43221@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 02, 2015 11:03 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Commissioner,

You must have a public hearing to raise solar rates. Trying to sneak pass the public is unethical and not very professional.

Sincerely,

Albert Gebb

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Nanisha G. Ross on behalf of Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 24, 2015 8:42 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

-----Original Message-----

**From:** [Ericgwhitley@yahoo.com](mailto:Ericgwhitley@yahoo.com) Whitley [<mailto:ericgwhitley@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 23, 2015 8:36 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**Sent:** Tuesday, June 23, 2015 12:50 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**Sent:** Tuesday, June 23, 2015 7:51 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**Sent:** Monday, June 22, 2015 2:09 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Nicholas Acciardo [<mailto:nacciardo@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, June 22, 2015 12:17 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

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**From:** Joseph Bauer <jncbauer@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 21, 2015 9:46 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

do not punish the people are trying to preserve the environment and use or natural resources to produce energy .... We should not pay more for helping the environment !!

Joe Bauer

Sincerely,

Joseph Bauer

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** James Lamb <Pjvk78a@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 21, 2015 6:59 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

All electric rate payers should be treated fairly and equally. If electric utilities want to break out their fixed costs for transmission, billing, etc., then fine. That cost should be equal for all residential ratepayers. But to unfairly charge just solar customers for these fixed costs is not only unfair but is also punishing solar while subsidizing non solar customers for the utilities fixed costs. Please treat all electric utility customers fairly and deny extra charges for customers that are trying to do the right thing by installing solar panels.

Sincerely,

James Lamb

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Douglas DiSabatino <douglasdisabatino@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 21, 2015 3:48 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar rates should be looked at in a rate case.

Rooftop solar installation saves \$5k generating capacity capital outlay per house and ongoing generating costs thereafter. If anything, APS should be crediting each rooftop solar installation on a per kilowatt hour capacity basis.

Sincerely,

Douglas DiSabatino

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**From:** Douglas DiSabatino <douglasdisabatino@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 21, 2015 3:12 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Douglas DiSabatino

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**From:** Mark Edgerton <mark@reconrestore.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 9:12 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The electric distribution system is highly vulnerable to attacks by terrorists. By its nature, centralized electric power generation requires a sprawling transmission and distribution system. Hardening this system will cost billions of dollars and will prove futile in protecting it against attack.

Who on the Commission is thinking about this critical issue? Are you depending on APS and SRP to tell you what their plan is for protecting the electric service to Arizonans?

One of the overlooked benefits of residential rooftop solar is that it is a distributed generation system. Electric power is generated at the point of use. This greatly reduces the need for a sprawling transmission/distribution system that will require a huge expenditure to protect.

It is my sincere hope that you are thinking outside the current centralized electric generation paradigm for answers to this security challenge.

Sincerely,

Mark Edgerton

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** STUART VON WALD <stuvw12@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 9:58 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

It's ridiculous, especially in sun-blessed Arizona, for anyone to propose any measure that may impede something as sensible as harnessing the energy of the sun. NO to ANY proposal that punishes good stewards of God's earth! Choose to be leaders and model for the rest of our nation! Thanks!

Sincerely,

STUART VON WALD

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Logan Newby <Logan.newby@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 8:33 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to the proper process for rate changes. Solar makes sense in Arizona with all our sun. Please let people continue to have the choice to choose where they can get their power from without penalty. Our future generations depend on it.

Sincerely,

Logan Newby

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Michael Galwey <turboducky@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 8:27 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar customers do it to protect our environment. Now you and the power companies are trying to penalize us for doing what is right. Reversing global warming is going to be costly, and the loner you support polluting power companies, the more it will cost. IT IS TIME YOU START PENALIZING THE POWER COMPANIES, NOT US.

Sincerely  
Michael Galwey

Sincerely,

Michael Galwey

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Mark Vollmer <markvollmer@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 8:15 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Why is Arizona Public Service (APS) or any utility allowed to raise rates when they want or lobby Arizona Corporate Commission (AZCC) for a rate increase. Why is taxing the Sun an issue. The Sun is free and not produced by any utility, since solar harnesses the free sun why should solar be taxed? Since 2004 (2004 and 2005 in particular) APS has been raising rates by as much as 8%. I received a letter both years stating why, which doesn't happen anymore. Back in 2004 the stock was considered junk and APS could not get any loans against it, so here comes a rate increase. This has gone on year after year. There will never be any fairness when folks tax our rights of choice and savings. Local utilities use solar for various reasons. Are they taxing themselves for there solar consumption? Why is APS putting solar on customers roof tops? And of course keeping the savings. Hmm....This tax solar thing is crap. We do not live in a dictatorship. The AZCC seems to be spineless in all of

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and APS especially is two faced and hypocritical. We need a very diversified means of energy production. Solar plays a huge role in this and always seems to get stepped on by a bully with money and policy makers in their pockets. APS never should have gotten the \$5.00 solar tax, and they wanted a great deal more. This has got to stop! Get with the program. Solar customers get sick of paying \$200 or so every month for electricity so they end up paying \$25.00 once they put solar panel on their roof. Purchasing the system out of their own pocket of course, not leasing. Purchasing is where we realize a savings and the American dream. The utilities and AZCC are crushing our dream. Why? It's their dream too, isn't it?

Respectfully,  
Mark Vollmer

Sincerely,

Mark Vollmer

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Thomas Bartsch <thebartschs@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 7:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
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Sincerely,

Thomas Bartsch

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**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 7:52 AM  
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Diane Bartsch

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**From:** Sharon Kopina <Rs\_1923@Yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 1:47 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Asking you make your decisions based on the needs of the consumer, not the "dark money" that is fueling this campaign to kill solar.

Sincerely,

Sharon Kopina

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Stanley Hattaway <stan@hattawaycreative.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 20, 2015 12:27 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stand by your promise.

Sincerely,

Stanley Hattaway

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**From:** David Rich <mmem2@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 8:26 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I put in a 52 panel solar system on my home because it is the responsible thing to do. I have attended all rate requests from APS to try and add additional fees for having solar. They should not be allowed to add any fees without going before the board as required by law.

Sincerely,

David Rich

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Eric Quast <shortcircuit24@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 8:17 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

This kind of taxation is unacceptable, and continues to drive distrust and resentment. Companies like APS should be encouraging solar in AZ, and investing in the future, lest they get left behind. I will personally continue to drive this message with our states legislator, and if these unethical actions continue on the part of APS, we will push for an injunction and investigation into their actions, which boarder on anti trust violations.

Sincerely,

Eric Quast

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**From:** Lane & Ursula Garrett <LaneGarret@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 7:03 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Enough is enough. You are throwing dirt in our wounds! These tariffs can not be justified in any rational study. A free market is American and we no longer have that in AZ!

Sincerely,

Lane & Ursula Garrett

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Thomas Hughes <tomphughes@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 5:49 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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Sincerely,

Thomas Hughes

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 3:59 PM  
**To:** Teresa Tenbrink  
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I reject the argument that as a solar customer I am costing APS money. As a solar customer I take some of the pressure off the grid during peak times.

My husband and I are elderly and installed solar to help lower our monthly expenses because we are on a fixed income. Also, we have been registered Republicans since the 60's. I would hope that you would consider senior citizens when you make your decision.

APS is a virtual monopoly and as commissioners you should be looking out for what is best for the people of Arizona and not what is best for APS.

I urge you to not consider this potential increase outside of a rate case.

Sincerely,

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Nancy Wright

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My husband and I are elderly and installed solar to help lower our monthly expenses because we are on a fixed income. Also, we have been registered Republicans since the 60's. I would hope that you would consider senior citizens when you make your decision.

APS is a virtual monopoly and as commissioners you should be looking out for what is best for the people of Arizona and not what is best for APS.

I urge you to not consider this potential increase outside of a rate case.

Sincerely,

Sincerely,

Nancy Wright

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 3:38 PM  
**To:** Teresa Tenbrink  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Frank Pitts [<mailto:ffjrpitts@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 3:33 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248

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**From:** Jayne Stake [[mailto:jayne\\_stake@umsl.edu](mailto:jayne_stake@umsl.edu)]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 19, 2015 1:55 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 6:33 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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**From:** Daisy Anderson [<mailto:daisysellshouses@msn.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 4:06 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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Sincerely,

Daisy Anderson

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**From:** William Whitlock [<mailto:bjwhitlock@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 2:13 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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Sincerely,

William Whitlock

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**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 1:06 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 12:15 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 12:05 PM

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**From:** carolyn knowlton [<mailto:carolyn@libertea.us>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 8:37 AM  
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Respectfully  
carolyn knowlton  
uma az

Sincerely,

carolyn knowlton

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**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 7:35 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

I don't know why you can't accept SOLAR! It's free, clean, and most practical way to energize this world!

Why do we need to go down this road again...The road to a massive loss for everyone!

Please vote YES to keep solar power within the reach of every American citizen.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciaro

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Sincerely,

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**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 6:47 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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Sincerely,

michael terry

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**From:** Marcella LAMBERT [<mailto:marcededede@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 12:26 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Please do not allow utility companies to charge solar users for anything more than the power they have actually consumed.

Sincerely,

Marcella LAMBERT

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 8:04 AM  
**To:** Teresa Tenbrink  
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**From:** Marlene Jacques [<mailto:MarleneJacques49@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 11:07 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

APS couldn't stress enough the importance of my going Solar, and now it seems the solar customers are being hounded because we do have solar.

Of course they are motivated by money, but it seems rotten that they hound us for doing what they proposed...going so,ar.

Sincerely,

Marlene Jacques

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Frank Karsai [<mailto:frank.karsai@external.eni.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 10:24 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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Frank Karsai Jr  
[frank.karsai@external.eni.com](mailto:frank.karsai@external.eni.com)  
623-433-9370

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**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 8:30 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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Sincerely,

Anna Enriquez-Robinson

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**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 8:06 PM  
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Sincerely,

Lynn Holzner

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**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 8:04 AM  
**To:** Teresa Tenbrink  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Gerald Dahl-James [<mailto:upgridd@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 5:40 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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Sincerely,

Gerald Dahl-James

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Adam Gragnano [<mailto:agragnano@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 7:57 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Dear Corporate Commission,

I had solar panels installed on my home in December of 2013. My reasoning was two-fold. First, I wanted to save money and second, I was being the the good citizen and helping the environment. I have recently been hearing of rate increases for solar customers which concerns me greatly. My savings are not as great as hoped and any rate increase will eat those savings up. I am writing to implore you to help us solar customers to NOT levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures and NOT allow utilities to get special treatment to raise rates for solar. You, The Commission, should stick to your word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Adam Gragnano

Sincerely,

Adam Gragnano

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Adam Gragnano <agragnano@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 7:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

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Sincerely,

Adam Gragnano

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Adam Gragnano

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Nicholas Acciardo <nacciardo@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 7:35 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I don't know why you can't accept SOLAR! It's free, clean, and most practical way to energize this world!

Why do we need to go down this road again...The road to a massive loss for everyone!

Please vote YES to keep solar power within the reach of every American citizen.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** David Delatorre <6dltdunn@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 7:22 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Arizona should be promoting solar in every reasonable way possible. Raising utility fees/rates for solar works against this. Please stick to your word and do not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. The process needs to be fair and in favor off the common good, not for the benefit of the utility companies.

Sincerely,

David Delatorre

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** michael terry <mikedianeterry@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 6:47 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do the right thing and keep your word

Sincerely,

michael terry

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Marcella LAMBERT <marcededede@yahoo.com>  
**ent:** Thursday, June 18, 2015 12:25 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do not allow utility companies to charge solar users for anything more than the power they have actually consumed.

Sincerely,

Marcella LAMBERT

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Marlene Jacques <MarleneJacques49@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 11:06 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

APS couldn't stress enough the importance of my going Solar, and now it seems the solar customers are being hounded because we do have solar.

Of course they are motivated by money, but it seems rotten that they hound us for doing what they proposed...going so,ar.

Sincerely,

Marlene Jacques

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Frank Karsai <frank.karsai@external.eni.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 10:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Gentlemen / Ladies,

You have been elected to protect the residents of Arizona from unfair fees and taxes levied on us by companies such as APS. Please keep this in mind when deliberating on unnecessary (unwarranted, unjust) solar fees. No decision should be made until APS submits for it's 2016 Rate Hearing Case. At that time it will be appropriate for ACC to consider if, in fact, any changes to the current solar fee is necessary.

This bits and pieces approach to taxing solar customers is unfair and without basis.

I respectfully request that the commissioners postpone any solar based decisions until the 2016 rate hearing.

Please remember you have been elected by the people as our voice of reason and protection.

Frank Karsai Jr  
[frank.karsai@external.eni.com](mailto:frank.karsai@external.eni.com)  
23-433-9370

Sincerely,

Frank Karsai

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Anna Enriquez-Robinson <annaeruns@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 8:30 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please use the proper venue!

Sincerely,

Anna Enriquez-Robinson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Lynn Holzner <Lthent@earthlink.net>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 8:06 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please follow the proper procedures and honor you word

Sincerely,

Lynn Holzner

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Gerald Dahl-James <upgrjdd@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 5:40 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

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Sincerely,

Gerald Dahl-James

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Nicholas Acciaro <nacciardo@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, June 17, 2015 9:53 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Re: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Commissioner Bitter-Smith,

Hope that all is well...May I ask you one question? Why is it that I only get a read reply from your office?

I find it odd and perplexing to say the least.

Thanks again! ☺

Nick

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 17, 2015, at 9:24 AM, BitterSmith-Web <[bittersmith-Web@azcc.gov](mailto:bittersmith-Web@azcc.gov)> wrote:

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> Thank you for sharing your concerns with Commissioner Bitter Smith. She asked me to email you and let you know that your email will be made a part of the public comment record. Thanks for the time taken and your interest in this issue.

> Thanks again,

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> Teresa Tenbrink

> Executive Aide to Chairman Susan Bitter Smith Arizona Corporation

> Commission

> 1200 W. Washington

> Phoenix, AZ 85007

> (602) 542-3625

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Nicholas Acciaro [<mailto:nacciardo@gmail.com>]

> Sent: Tuesday, June 16, 2015 7:22 AM

> To: BitterSmith-Web

> Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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> Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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> Commissioner Stump,

> Why do you feel that it is necessary to change like the wind? Why do you feel that our power system should change like that also?

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- > It has been years now that Arizona Residents have been hammered by the so called "Public Utilities" and it needs to STOP!
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- > Please consider your improper vote, and change your mind regarding your profitable ways!
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- > Arizona needs to explore Solar Power...not the enterprise which will derail it!
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- > Sincerely,
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- > Nicholas Acciaro
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**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Patricia Orlinski <bikerpat@mindspring.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 6:31 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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.

Sincerely,

Patricia Orlinski

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Tamara Dials <Tamidials@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:11 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do not let Utilities ruin Solar by taxing or raising rates..

Sincerely,

Tamara Dials

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Chester Homan <chesterhoman@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 2:10 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar usage is the best source of energy for the world to use. This is especially true in states like Arizona where there is so much sun shine. Do not let the utilities greed cause solar usage to drop. There's is a case of "what's good for us is more important than what is good for the world." This attitude should not be fostered.

Sincerely,

Chester Homan

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** John Spall <b-boppn57@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:48 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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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.

Sincerely,

John Spall

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** doug frank <dfrank810@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 3:27 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

do not increase

Sincerely,

doug frank

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Soraya Ali <soraya.ali@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 08, 2015 8:55 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

It is entirely absurd that big energy business is trumping the constitutional rights of the citizenry of Arizona.

Arizona should a) be leading the nation in solar energy production, b) be subsidizing solar production, and c) REDUCE rates for clean energy consumers.

Sincerely,

Soraya Ali

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Philip Crowley <ruthphil10@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 07, 2015 11:29 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please see that changes to solar rates goes thru the proper established procedures open to the public.

Sincerely,

Philip Crowley

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Guy smith <sunspotptg@outlook.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 6:51 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

please leave my rates alone like you promised. I am trying to do my best to help lessen my carbon foot print for you and your children. Don't punish me or others like me.

Guy Smith

Sincerely,

Guy smith

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Jo Anne Barksdale <jbdale1@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 5:37 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates for solar. Arizona has at least 325 days of sunshine per year and we should be using solar energy in every home and business in the state. Let's be leaders in solar. The greed and corruption have got to go. Do the right thing for the state, the country, and the world.

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

Sincerely,

Jo Anne Barksdale

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** john krecek <jkrecek@jkelecdrtric.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 4:00 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,  
please change what we have!!

Sincerely,

john krecek

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Brian Schneider <bms@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 3:58 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** solar rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Let's encourage solar power in our state. Keeping the rates utilities charge solar customers as low as possible will help. Please review all rates in the procedures you use for all rate cases.

Sincerely,

Brian Schneider

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** George Hnilo <jorgetuc@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:20 PM  
**To:** RBurns-Web; Stump-Web; BitterSmith-Web; Little-Web; Forese-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Honorable Commissioners,

Power utilities are requesting a reduction of the rate that utilities pay owners of rooftop solar installations for excess power produced. My understanding is that your staff has recommended against these increases. My hope is that you will follow your staffs recommendations.

The effect of the proposed increases could be devastating to one of the fastest growing industries in our state. Hundreds or even thousands of jobs could be lost and a budding industry could be seriously crippled.

Because solar power is only produced during daylight hours, utilities still provide power to every business and homeowner who has solar panels so they are not altogether losing ratepayers. In addition, the number of people who have solar panels is still a small fraction of their customer base.

I am considering having solar panels installed on my home but as a senior citizen I am concerned that this change would put solar power beyond my reach.

I have read many times how the demand for power is stressing the grid. We have even been warned of possible "brownouts" during peak summer demand. Solar panels reduce that demand and would allow utilities to cope with the demand increases.

Arizona could become a national leader in an industry of the future. We have had too many negative headlines. This could help to generate a positive image of our state and produce thousands of much needed jobs. Please do the right thing for Arizona.

Respectfully,  
George Hnilo  
16721 W. Branch Water Lane  
Marana, AZ 85653

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Linda Julson <lincarjul@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:43 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

There are established procedures for putting new charges on solar customers and they should be followed. The process for discussing rates for solar is in a rate case. If you place fees on me- as a solar customer- for using the grid, my opinion is the w I send to the grid is equal to the kw I receive from the grid. The fee covers grid use, the kw is mine stored until I need it.

May I remind you that the ACC is in place to protect the public NOT to be in the back pocket of the utility.

Sincerely,

Linda Julson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** una thomas <mayday4@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 08, 2015 9:48 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Be fair in your dealing with customers of solar power and do not bend to the wishes of utilities companies

Sincerely,

una thomas

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Don Harris <Donnieh30@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 06, 2015 9:17 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Why does solar cost the grid more. Shouldn't the grid have been updated over the last 50years to be prepared for this. I am not sure why their are extra charges for what you planned the grid to be able to do

Sincerely,

Don Harris

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Juanita Colucci <juanita@eclectic-resources.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 7:31 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar rates should be discussed in a rate case.

What is wrong with you people? Why do you hate solar?  
How much are you getting paid to harm the public?

Sincerely,

Juanita Colucci

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Carolyn Maxon <cjmaxon@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 5:20 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Why is anybody not encouraging solar. This weather all over the country is caused by climate change.

You should be encouraging solar for all power everywhere if you want to make the prediction untrue that "humans will be extinct by 2040:

Sincerely,

Carolyn Maxon

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Pat OBrien <Poboobrien@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 3:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar customers should be rewarded, not punished!

Sincerely,

Pat OBrien

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Andrew Munoz <munozandrew1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 30, 2015 7:53 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Solar is the RIGHT thing to do: economically and environmentally.

Sincerely,

Andrew Munoz

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Andre Pernet <apernet1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 1:25 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar tax

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You wanted us to go Solar, we went solar. Now you want to punish us for it by raising a special tax, because you are going to disappear and you should. Sooner or later TEP should go the way of the company which was selling Bogey Whips, and Kodak and Bell and Howell. you had a good time for 150 years but you did not see coming, Goodbye TEP RIP  
Sincerely Andre Pernet Ph.D

Sincerely,

Andre Pernet

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Rachel Sester <rachel.sester@sunrun.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:23 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Tax

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The solar tax the utilities are trying to impose should be discussed in a rate case as you've stated they would be. Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates for solar. The commission needs to stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

I urge you to stick to your word and make sure the rates are looked at in a rate case

Sincerely,

Rachel Sester

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Kelly Basfield <kelly@kbasfield.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 7:45 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Support Solar in Arizona

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Commissioners:

We have had solar panels for the past few years after our friends invested. We made a significant out of pocket investment (with personal 8 year financial breakeven). Had we known that we would be additionally taxed, expanding (or perhaps making impossible) a reasonable breakeven period, we would not have "gone solar". Please be fair and relegate all discussion for a change in solar rates to a rate case, as you have all previously said you would. Please consider the Tucson model, in which any power that we need (since we don't have a sufficient battery to store our excess) would be purchased by us at retail rates, and any excess we produce would be purchased by APS at wholesale rates. This seems like a fair compromise.

Sincerely, Kelly Basfield

Sincerely,

Kelly Basfield

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Don Harris <Donnieh30@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 9:03 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Stop taxing us and stopping competition

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stop taxing solar. Stop trying to eliminate competition. Make utilities try and compete as opposed to raising fees.

Sincerely,

Don Harris

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Sonny Rock <sonnyrock5@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 5:17 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Residential Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You guys sure do love Money.....

Sincerely,

Sonny Rock

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Margaret Atwood <maatwood@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 5:48 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** increasing costs to solar customers

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The solar issue is truly complex. In the early stages, everyone was giving the home owner rebates to encourage him to install solar panels. We were encouraged to "go Green" and save the planet, to lessen our dependence on oil by using a natural resource. Now the utilities want to hamper the progress of using less. Please review this issue carefully, with the consumer in mind too.

Sincerely,

Margaret Atwood

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Janice Kaplan <jankaplan@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 5:00 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Ensure a fair rate-making process/ rate case

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Commissioners:

We have had solar panels since 2010 and made a significant out of pocket investment (with personal 7 year financial breakeven). Had we known that we would be additionally taxed, expanding (or perhaps making impossible) a reasonable breakeven period, we would not have "gone solar". Please be fair and relegate all discussion for a change in solar rates to a rate case, as you have all previously said you would. Please consider the Tucson model, in which any power that we need (since we don't have a sufficient battery to store our excess) would be purchased by us at retail rates, and any excess we produce would be purchased by APS at wholesale rates. This seems like a fair compromise.  
Sincerely, Janice Kaplan

Sincerely,

Janice Kaplan

## Teresa Tenbrink

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

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** June Cohen <az2006@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 5:41 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Energy

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

All commissioners should be working toward making Arizona THE SOLAR STATE. Your actions should be to maximize the use of solar energy. Solar rates should be low and APS rates high to encourage people to move toward solar.

Sincerely, June Cohen

Sincerely,

June Cohen

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Deb Sparrow <think1-mail@usa.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:00 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Residential Solar is Good for Arizona

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Consideration of rate changes for residential solar should be made during APS's next rate case filing and not at another time.

This should sound familiar since Corporation Commissioners made similar statements.

The Corporation Commission should stick with this. To do otherwise would betray themselves and constituents and would favor SRP, APS and the like..

Please note that residential solar makes a significant contribution to Arizona. Do not undermine this growing industry. Our state needs it.

So do the cities, the power companies and the residents. Residential rooftop solar is an important ingredient in Arizona's energy profile, economic profile and our ability to control the quality of our air and water.

Support this industry that can make our state's economy and environment more resilient.

Thank you for considering this note.

Sincerely,

Deb Sparrow

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Barbara Como <becomo@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 2:16 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Bias Against Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As an Arizona resident. I am writing to voice my concern regarding the blatant bias and deviance from procedure which has been shown by Arizona's four utility companies, concerning rates for solar. I urge the Commission to follow promised standard procedure and discuss any change in solar rates in the proper venue- a rate case. Please stick to your word and do not let utilities independently raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Barbara Como

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Sue E. Dean <deanks@juno.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:39 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Rate change for solar customers

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I have written on this in the past. but I want to be sure that the ACC knows, Arizonans want the commission to stick to its word and not be coaxed into changing rates without properly posted hearings for public input.

That is what the ACC is set up to do. Citizens count on the ACC to do their jobs and conduct hearings for rate changes.

Please don't discourage solar customers by raising their rates.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

Sue E. Dean

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Peter Johnson <Prjohnsonaz@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:07 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Rate hike/penalties for solar users

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The idea of raising fees for solar users outside over hearings is pure and simply unacceptable. This is being driven by The old monopoly companies.

Sincerely,

Peter Johnson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Wright Mier <wrightmier@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** ensure a fair rate-making process

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Sincerely,

Wright Mier

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Nickolas Wright <nwright1979@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:31 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** They're killing Arizona jobs

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Since SRP has enacted their fee on rooftop solar, myself and 100's other Arizona families have had to leave our homes in order to continue sustaining our incomes. Please take a look around as thousands of tax dollars leave our great state (voters that supported you) because multi billion dollar corporations still can't seem to get enough. Where does it stop? Please show us the support in which we bestowed upon you during elections.

Sincerely,

Nickolas Wright

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Charles Fisher <charlesfisher16@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:23 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Please protect solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As a young citizen, I know it is absolutely critical that we do everything we can to transition Arizona's economy to 100% clean, renewable energy. This would create thousands of jobs, greatly improve public health, and increase our resilience to extreme weather events. Instead of levying new charges on solar customers, please reconsider solar rates in a traditional rate case, as you have stated is appropriate. We have an opportunity to lead the country, and maybe the world, in moving to a solar economy, please don't waste it.

Sincerely,

Charles Fisher

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Barbie Burke <azbarbierealtor@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:23 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Do NOT raise rates on solar in Arizona!

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do the right thing as commissioners and do not raise the rate on solar! You know better than to go against your ethics, morals, and values and especially as an elected official. We are all watching you and keep a close eye on how you are voting.

You were elected by the people here in Arizona and I plead with you to stop raising rates on solar customers whom are actually helping Arizona. We need more solar and it provides jobs here in Arizona. We should be the leader of solar in the US and you know that too.

Sincerely,

Barbie Burke

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Roanld Bedard <ronidbedard@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:15 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Hearings

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Commissioners,

I already know that it is predetermined on how you will be voting when anything come up before you regarding Solar rates and home solar panels. However, such matter should be discussed and voted on at an open, scheduled, advertised, public hearing, NOT in a dilly dally manner of an administrative decision. Please use the proper venue for such matter.

Thank you,  
Ronald Bedard

Sincerely,

Ronald Bedard

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Peggy Lynne Masoner <lynne.masoner@juno.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:36 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Unfair practices aimed at Solar Customers

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I know that you have received, or will receive, plenty of compelling emails from concerned citizens about utility companies levying charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. So I will make this brief and to the point...

Public trust requires that the Commission maintain fair and reasonable practices. If you have ever been treated unfairly in any aspect of your personal life, then you know exactly how solar and potential solar customers feel about the Commission's attempt at unfair practices. The commission needs to stick to their word and not let utility companies raise rates outside of the proper venue. PLEASE DON'T KILL SOLAR IN THE VALLEY OF THE SUN. Please try to remember where you live... AMERICA! We are not a communist country where citizens have no voice. Please listen to the voices of American solar customers. It is YOUR obligation to do so.

Sincerely,

Peggy Lynne Masoner

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** James Fuller <thornking@live.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 08, 2015 5:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Captured ACC

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

When the last mountain in West Virginia is blown up, when your children and their children are sickened by the air they breath, when the entire aquifer on the east coast, California, and most of the rest of the country is poisoned and no one can find clean water is the time to stop standing in the way of solar power. That's what you deserve and it is probably what you're going to get.

Enjoy Your Bonfire,

J. Eric Fuller

Sincerely,

James Fuller

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Patricia Orlinski <bikerpat@mindspring.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 07, 2015 5:01 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Fair rate-making process

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I'm astounded that there is so much rejection of the splendor of solar, with the utilities attempting to gut solar and make its benefits nullified. Do not allow the rates to be changed across the board. Do it on a case by case basis.

Sincerely,

Patricia Orlinski

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Arcelious Stephens <smuuthone1@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 07, 2015 8:07 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Added Levy Charges to Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Procedures for levys are in place as originally agreed upon by all parties. Discussions regarding any changes to the current levys should remain within the due process of a rate case.

As elected officials that also represent consumers, I am asking that you do not change current procedures to affect a bias in favor of the Utility companies.

Sincerely,

Arcelious Stephens

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Dennis Driscoll <D2@Carrigans.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 06, 2015 5:09 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar customers want You to not approve RATE INCREASE

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

We've done what the power co.'s, AZ state and You have said for years to "Go Solar" to save and benefit our environment. We did it at our cost.

Why let the Electric Co.'s raise rates? But if you wish please do within a "Rate Case" process.

Sincerely,

Dennis Driscoll

Sincerely,

Dennis Driscoll

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Lane and Ursula Garrett, P.E., C.E.M. <LaneGarret@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 06, 2015 10:53 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Proper procedure

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You are continuing to kill roof-top Solar. Please don't allow TEP to increase tariffs without a public rate case with hearings. AZ has become a laughing stock in the US due to our extreme unsupported PV policy. As a pioneer in the business (since 1975), I have been forced to work only outside of AZ by your unsupported policies. Our company is only doing service work, since new sales are no longer cost effective. 80%+ of the small PV businesses are now gone at a time where other states are growing at a good rate.

Sincerely,

Lane and Ursula Garrett, P.E., C.E.M.

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Randy Fuller <randysancarlos@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 06, 2015 8:38 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Unfair rate setting

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am concerned about the how solar customers are being treated. It seems to me that the powerful utility companies are trying to levy charges against solar customers outside of the established procedures. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.

I am depending on you to see that the commission will not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Randy Fuller

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Sherry Sass <sushi4334@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 06, 2015 6:45 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** unfair process for raising residential solar generators' rates

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The utilities are monopolies which are only restrained from exploiting customers by the ACC. Many power utilities across the country are currently attempting to squash residential solar generation, as it does not contribute to their bottom line profits given their current financial and power distribution arrangements.

However, utilities are supposed to first serve their customers, not their shareholders. Your body is our only way to keep the utilities from a wholesale switch of these priorities.

Rate change rules should be followed in the four instances where utilities are (once again) trying to levy charges on solar customers.

Please don't let these corporations run roughshod on the due process that your Commission oversees.

Thank you for protecting the interests of all utility customers, which includes solar (generating) customers as well.

Sincerely,

Sherry Sass

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Karyl Krug <kjkrug@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 9:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Commissioners:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Power Giant Duke Energy has finally admitted what all reasonably intelligent people already knew: solar users cost other ratepayers nothing. Not a nickel. <http://thinkprogress.org/climate/2015/06/05/3661566/alecs-rps-battleground/>  
Thanks to your excellent representation of Pinnacle West Capital Corporation, as opposed to we the people,, you have regulated guaranteed & healthy profits for that private company for at least the next 5 years, according to Morningstar. Corporate welfare is truly infuriating. I'm sure your cozy e-mail and intraoffice relationship with PWCC has something to do with it. Can I camp out in your office and advocate for solar? Try not lying for a change and try siding with regular people. We might get even start to like you. Maybe.

Sincerely,

Karyl Krug

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Ryan Jacques <Ryjacques@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 8:33 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Please

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I know I am one of many who opposes this, why does this idea seem to make so much sense. Cheaper CLEANER power. Adding fees discourages people from going solar, that's basically telling people you would prefer them to use dirty power. Things come and go just because utility was the only way to get power it doesn't mean we can't find better ways. The land line telephone was a great invention, however the cell phone pretty much took that industry down. There was no one fighting to save land lines. What is the reason to penalize people for going solar? We encourage people to carpool and use mass transit? Yet we don't want people to go solar? Doesn't that seem like speaking from both sides of your mouth? Please think this through and remove the greed factor.

Sincerely,

Ryan Jacques

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Laurie Velasquez <lvelasquez42518@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 8:11 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Levying unfair charges on solar customers

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Wouldn't you like to at least give the appearance of being objective, and not being in someone's pocket? Couldn't you at least pretend to follow the law and hold open hearings concerning utilities?

Sincerely,

Laurie Velasquez

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** John Wright <jwbilbil@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 6:07 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** frustration

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I have sent letters and emails to these jerks and nothing works. The only way your going to make any headway is to change the legislature in its entirety. It's not just solar it is education, infrastructure jobs, health care. climate change, voter suppression, I could go on all day. Until the demographics change in this state your going to have to live with this total lack of political vision.

Sincerely,

John Wright

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Ken Bean <kenbean@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 5:17 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar: Alternative energy power source!

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am a solar power user. I paid my dues or price to have solar to help myself along with helping the Power Monopolies from Brown outs they are notoriously claiming they need help with???? Now when they stirred up the pot by plotting people against each other ,ones that do not have solar and the ones who do have solar that we do not pay our share for the grid. The hell we don't,we still pay for those services! We just happen to use less electricity. People can do just like I did and pay for solar or lease the solar. Maybe those other people just happen to spend their money on a nicer car than what I have. Do I complain they drive a nicer car than I do, hell no. It just amounts to how they prioritize their spending habits. As far as the power companies, how do they justify charging people more money because we get energy from something the power company DOES NOT OWN? Or do they own the Sun also. Also in reality we are helping the power co.'s as well by producing energy from the sun and putting it back on the grid. let's put the political bullshit aside I really think our country is tired of it after seven years! The power co's are pissed off cause they are greedy and not reaping the benefits or money from people using solar and saving themselves some money. For years these power monopolies have been screwing the people with increases in their bills. So the CEO can put bigger salaries and bonuses in their personal wallets. let the little people who are struggling have a break from them for once. Besides the people who have solar paid for it themselves out of their own pocket. If other people are mad about this they can get one for themselves just like I did. They might have to give up something else just like I did to achieve this. But do not punish us solar users for doing

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Ken Bean

Sincerely,

Ken Bean

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Darrell Lanham <Darlin93@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 4:59 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Rate case

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Don't let utilities raise rates on solar without using the proper venue!

Sincerely,  
Darrell R. Lanham

Sincerely,

Darrell Lanham

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** John Neville <John@jsedona.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 4:50 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar Benefits Arizona & Utilities

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I have learned that the utilities are attempting to defy all economic common sense and sneak in rate increases for their solar customers. They claim that customers with solar aren't paying their fair share for grid maintenance. That is completely false. Not only do solar customers continue to pay grid fees to the utilities, but they provide energy during peak demands to the grid - FREE. The utilities can then sell that energy at peak rates to their time-of-use customers, making a very handsome profit. The solar customers also provide enormous avoided cost benefits to utilities. However, all this needs to be discussed at open rate hearings. Utilities, as you have stated, should not be permitted to raise rates outside of the legally mandated venues. Please honor your pledge as a public servant and help utilities behave in the interest of the economy of Arizona first before rewarding their executives with 8-figure bonuses and penalizing Arizona citizens doing the right thing for their communities by going solar.

Sincerely,

John Neville

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Joel Karlin <zipass@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 4:19 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Unfair rate increases for Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

To the commission, please stick to your word and ensure a fair rate-making process for us homeowners with Solar power already in place and those looking at moving to in the future. You should not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. Why penalize us as I thought we were doing the right thing to be green using our sun to help power our home and help the environment?

Sincerely,

Joel Karlin

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Jeanne Devine <jdevinesoll@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 4:18 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Tax the utilities - stop them from taxing solar customers

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The utilities should have reduced carbon emissions 40 years ago when the truth about air, water, and health problems became evident. Instead they continue to fight for good PR and try to convince the public they are working for clean energy. The utilities should be fined for their past bad decisions, including for the negative impact their decisions made on the lives of children with asthma and respiratory illnesses. We need honest utilities - and their requests for increases should be presented in open format to the ACC.

Sincerely,

Jeanne Devine

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Brandon Anderson <brandon@solaronesw.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 3:56 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar creates jobs

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Arizona's greatest natural resource is the sun. Tap it, don't tax it. We appreciate your continued support for our States solar industry.

Sincerely,

Brandon Anderson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Joanne Lukacs <jlukacs1@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 3:30 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Dont raise solar rates - keep your promise

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Commissioner Burns,

Please keep your word and don't raise solar rates or laws that will allow utilities to come in and make changes.

Please stand firm on this. We are counting on you.

Sincerely,

Joanne Lukacs

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Steve Muratore <stevemuratore@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 05, 2015 3:22 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** rooftop solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Citizens are mad as hell because the undeniable impression the Arizona Corporation Commission has projected is that of a captured regulatory agency.

From as far back as the 2012 election campaign, the candidates who won election have made promises they have brazenly broken regarding protection of the interests of ratepayers.

I have video evidence of same.

Please reestablish proper boundaries between yourself and the utility monopolies you are supposed to regulate on my behalf.

And demand that Commissioners who have engaged in improper ex parte communications with those monopoly utilities fully disclose the content of those messages.

Sincerely,

Steve Muratore

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 1:42 PM  
**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
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Dear Commissionser,

Stop helping the corporations and do your duty to protect the people of AZ from corporate greed.

Sincerely,

Shirley Cupani

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Dear Commissionser,

Dear Commissioners, I wanted to take a moment to let you know if my continued disapproval of specific utility companies attempting to add additional taxes to residential solar customers. Their argument has always been that solar customers are not doing there part to "support the grid" as APS has always stated. That is a bold face lie as I continue to pay the same amounts of taxes outside of the actual cost of electricity that I paid before I went solar. The utility companies have a greedy monopoly on our electricity and have continued to take "our way or the highway" approach to electricity. APS and SRP have even had the audacity to put together commercials touting their "we are the solar giants and wanna go green..." statements. That is all a complete lie. They want solar energy for themselves, not their existing customers. A true lie all the way through! I hope you are all morally compelled to stop these monopolies and allow average joe customers to take advantage of the same cost effective electricity and the utility giants.

Sincerely,

John P Good III

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John Good

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Dear Commissionser,

Chairman & Commissioners,

I'm writing to you today to support residential solar in AZ. i owe my lively hood, which I use to support my family, on the solar industry. I work for an AZ based and owned (Veteran owned BTW) solar company that continues to grow as people choose the benefits of solar. I am writing you today to stick to public rate reviews and stop allowing Utilities to add taxes to solar customers. The vast majority people (Yes Even Conservatives Like Me) in AZ support solar.I will watch this closely and vote accordingly in the next election as my families security depends on it. Thanks for your time.

Sincerely,  
Robert J Kuhar

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Dear Commissioner,

Please stick to the ACC's previous word that no changes to current solar plans should be considered unless it is part of a rate case.

This bits an pieces approach to the regulations if not in the best interest of the people you were elected by to protect their rights.

Sincerely,

Rich Mason

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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Dear Commissionser,

Do not tax solar and do not raise power rates!

Sincerely,

Gail ARCHAMBEAU

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Dear Commissioner,

Commissioner Stump,

Why do you feel that it is necessary to change like the wind? Why do you feel that our power system should change like that also?

It has been years now that Arizona Residents have been hammered by the so called "Public Utilities" and it needs to STOP!

Please consider your improper vote, and change your mind regarding your profitable ways!

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Thomas Kalor

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> To: [thomaskalor@hotmail.com](mailto:thomaskalor@hotmail.com)  
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> Subject: RE: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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> Thanks again,  
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> Teresa Tenbrink  
> Executive Aide to Chairman Susan Bitter Smith  
> Arizona Corporation Commission  
> 1200 W. Washington  
> Phoenix, AZ 85007  
> (602) 542-3625

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> Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 9:48 PM  
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This bits an pieces approach to the regulations if not in the best interest of the people you were elected by to protect their rights.

Sincerely,

Rich Mason

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**From:** Gomati <gomati@truthconsciousness.org>  
**Sent:** Sunday, May 17, 2015 1:21 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Docket No. E-01933A-15-0100

Dear Susan BitterSmith,

Please, *please* do not allow Tucson Electric Power to undermine the solar industry in Tucson. This is not only bad for the environment, it is very bad for the economy in Tucson. Tucson could and should become the solar capital of America!

Solar customers do pay their fair share for infrastructure, and if this legislation is passed then more and more will leave the grid totally. Solar will not be stopped because it is good for people and good for the planet.

Sincerely,

Gomati Wilson  
520-743-0384  
85745

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**From:** Dan Gilligan <dgilligan@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 14, 2015 8:51 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Keep Solar

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to your word. Do not allow taxation outside established procedures

Sincerely,

Dan Gilligan

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**From:** John Rafuse <jmrafuse@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 14, 2015 10:09 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Keep your word

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Solar helps us free up valuable resources and should not be taxed as if it was the enemy.

Sincerely,

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**From:** Natalie Knight <taliknight@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, May 10, 2015 6:56 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Solar taxes being levied outside a rate case

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Do not levy solar taxes outside of established procedures. Please stick to your word and ensure a fair rate-making process.

Sincerely,

Natalie Knight

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**From:** Bill Gibson <bill.bgibson@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 12, 2015 9:47 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Fair is Fair

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You give us a square deal. Solar is our future. Don't get in the way. It is not about profit.

Sincerely,

Bill Gibson

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**From:** josh wallace <azjlwallace@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 12, 2015 8:14 PM  
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**Subject:** taxing solar

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No taxes for solar customers! Why do we allow billion dollar corporations to influence politicians who are elected to represent the American people? These utility companies are required to purchase a percentage of their power from renewable energy sources , which in turn is their own customers. Now they want to tax the person they are making a purchase from? The people who sell solar back to the utility companies, should be taxing them. When will common sense politics prevail??

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**From:** Robert Kuhar <azbobkuhar@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 9:41 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Chairman & Commissioners,

I'm writing to you today to support residential solar in AZ. i owe my lively hood, which I use to support my family, on the solar industry. I work for an AZ based and owned (Veteran owned BTW) solar company that continues to grow as people choose the benefits of solar. I am writing you today to stick to public rate reviews and stop allowing Utilities to add taxes to solar customers. The vast majority people (Yes Even Conservatives Like Me) in AZ support solar.I will watch this closely and vote accordingly in the next election as my families security depends on it. Thanks for your time.

Sincerely,  
Robert J Kuhar

Sincerely,

Robert Kuhar

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Shirley Cupani <scupani@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 9:31 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stop helping the corporations and do your duty to protect the people of AZ from corporate greed.

Sincerely,

Shirley Cupani

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 8:57 AM  
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**From:** Robert McBride [<mailto:bunkie.mcbride@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 8:33 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Taxing solar energy is nothing more than punitive charge to folks who use it. I can't tell you how wrong ANY kind of a tax on solar would be, beyond that of a sales tax for what is purchased. Keep your hands out of my pockets.

Sincerely,

Robert McBride

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**From:** Daniel Turrentine [<mailto:dsrtdwllrs@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 7:08 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Proper procedures MUST be followed !

Sincerely,

Daniel Turrentine

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**From:** Donald Charest [<mailto:donjcharest@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 3:44 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

I've always known that Arizona was/is a backwards state, run by a bunch of Neanderthals that are the products of a chronically underfunded education system but to tax solar at all is simply ridiculous in this state. You should be encouraging development of solar energy, but you appear more interested in filling the pockets of the monopolistic utilities that contribute heavily to your campaigns and consistently overcharge all customers with your help. As long as people like you are in charge I don't expect anything will change, but you are not fooling anyone by pretending and lying about why solar has to be taxed so you can put more money into the utilities pockets.

Sincerely,

Donald Charest

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**From:** Crystal Deen [<mailto:arbella3@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 2:28 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please do the right thing. Solar customers are trying to help the environment and lower our bills. Stop trying to raise our rates.

Sincerely,

Crystal Deen

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**From:** Steve Fanning [<mailto:SFagainstSRP@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 12:51 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please follow your staff's advice and only allow changes to utility net metering rates for rooftop solar to be considered within a full rate proceeding.

Your constituents would love to see the ACC stand up to these utility monopolies and stop letting them kill solar. Arizona should be a leader in solar power and the only reason we are not is because we are beholden to these powerful utility companies. Make no mistake their intention isn't "fairness". They are afraid for their bottom line if they allow rooftop solar growth to continue. All one has to do to know their true intent is to look at the data from SRP on how many rooftop solar applications have been installed since they enacted their draconian rules without any real oversight in December.

Sincerely,

Steve Fanning

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**From:** Nancy Saunders [<mailto:ncypsaunders@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 9:10 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Stop this madness !!!  
Solar customers are acting responsibly.  
Now it is YOUR turn to act with care and concern For protecting our environment !!!  
Stop this greedy craziness !!

Sincerely,

Nancy Saunders

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**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 8:15 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

I am an Arizona resident fully committed to seeing solar thrive now and into the future. Allowing utilities to levy punitive fees is antithetical to this and I strongly oppose their attempts to avoid due process case to settle this issue.

Sincerely,

Robert Schenck

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**From:** Jerry Gallamore [<mailto:E543ln@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 7:51 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Where do this energy companies come off thinking we should have to pay taxes in anyway for something we did. It is clearly an attempt to force people to use their products. The ones that are destroying our world and should be products of the past.

Sincerely,

Jerry Gallamore

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**From:** Scott Wiedeman [<mailto:scowiedeman@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 8:29 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

You have been entrusted to represent the interests of utility customers in AZ, including customers who have engaged in PV or rooftop solar power.

As such, I expect that you will insist on a formal rate case and review in any legislation or decision that would implement tax or increased charges on customers generating power via rooftop PV. Further, I would hope that you make sure that you have heard and understand the issue as presented by solar advocates, rather than just the corporate utilities.

I would be extremely disappointed in anything less, and I will be sure to watch your decisions, which will certainly influence my vote for ACC commissioners.

Sincerely,

Scott Wiedeman

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**From:** Nicholas Acciaro [<mailto:nacciardo@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:36 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Please stick to your word people!!! If we have to live by your decisions, then you could live by the LAW !

Please use your heads and vote with us, the people who honestly put you there...In mind !

Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciaro

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**From:** Howard Clements [<mailto:hclements1@hotmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 5:55 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Let's stick to a rate case, so that a fair assessment can be made regarding the impact of residential solar customers.

Sincerely,

Howard Clements

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**From:** Faustina egoian [<mailto:fausdog@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 5:33 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Stick to the agreement. Stop the air pollution it's damages the brain. Behave like leaders and not in certain children's.

Sincerely,

Faustina egoian

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**From:** richard arnold [<mailto:dicsmd@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 3:52 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Roof top solar should be encouraged and not discouraged as APS is constantly proposing.

The existing roof top solar installations are helping APS meet its mandate to provide energy from renewable sources. Any surplus is sold back to them at wholesale prices. Their own solar installations provide electricity at a higher cost than the wholesale prices they pay privately owned systems.

I know APS tries to come up with creative accounting to try to justify their actions. But let's be realistic and stop this tax/power grab.

Richard Arnold

Sincerely,

richard arnold

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**From:** Sybil Malinowski Melody [<mailto:sybil@melodylife.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 3:37 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

As a long time solar customer I am distressed to hear that Arizona utilities are attempting to levy charges on solar customers without going through rate change procedures. Any changes in fees or charges related to solar energy should be treated as a rate case. As an APS customer I expect APS to keep their promise to not raise utility rates without going through a full rate change review process and this should apply to any solar levy or fee too.

Sincerely,

Sybil Malinowski Melody

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Dear Commissionser,

I am not a burden on the grid and why don't APS keep their word !!!!!

Sincerely,

JOE DLUGOSZ

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**From:** Lisa Neidich [<mailto:neidich99@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 1:23 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

To Whom It May Conern:

Utility Division and All ACC Commissioners:

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.

Please due your duty.

Sincerely,

Lisa Neidich  
2941 E Willow Ave  
Phoenix, AZ 85032

Sincerely,

Lisa Neidich

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**From:** D'Ante' Woodard [<mailto:Woodarddante@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 12:01 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

To raise rates on a natural energy source is unconstitutional! How can we as human beings want to change the world for better if there are no incentives to do the right thing for that change. Big corporations don't own the sun or the energy is giving back to their plant.

Sincerely,

D'Ante' Woodard

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**From:** William Walsh [<mailto:walsh0425@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Please adhere to proper procedure by discussing solar rates in a rate case.

Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates for solar.

Sincerely,

William Walsh

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**From:** Patricia Harrington [<mailto:barefootcajun694@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:34 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

As a resident of Arizona and a registered voter, I am asking you commissioners to stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Do not unfairly raise rates. As elected officials I expect you to ensure a fair rate-making process.

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,

Patricia Harrington

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**From:** james bushroe [<mailto:jrbushroe@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:28 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Dear Recipients,'

Why are your group in the state of Arizona the only state that is trying to slow down the solar industry. I thought the Corp. Comm. was to protect the people of Ariz. against monopolies. Your actions should be to promote solar energy . Make your actions doing what you said you were going to do . Quit working for the Corporations interest. Jim Bushroe

Sincerely,

james bushroe

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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**From:** Roberta Bonney [<mailto:Rabonney@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:22 AM  
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Dear Commissionser,

AZ should be 80% solar, instead you look for ways to squash it. It is clean and renewable, we may not have a lot of water But we have plenty of sun. Stop looking for ways to penalize and start looking for ways to get our state to sell solar electricity to others.

Sincerely,

Roberta Bonney

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**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:19 AM  
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Dear Commissionser,

no closed doors.the public should know what you are saying.

Sincerely,

Holly Reilly

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**From:** Henry Twombly [<mailto:oooanon@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:07 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
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Dear Commissionser,

I entreat the ACC to stop being the lapdog and puppet of APS and the other utilities. Your job is to protect the public from exploitation by these utilities. Instead all of you seem to collude with APS and the others to increase their profit margins at the expense of ratepayers. Since APS couldn't get the opt-out fees for smart meters, it is now going after solar rates. I encourage all of you, who have probably received campaign contributions from APS et al, to have some backbone, stand up to these utilities, and serve the greater good. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Henry Twombly

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**From:** Sandy Whitley [<mailto:sandyariz@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 9:38 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

I am writing to express my concern about the ACC's talk of levying charges (a tax) on solar customers outside of established procedures, at the behest of APS, Trico, TEP and SSVEC. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. In the past, all Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case. Now consideration is being given to raising charges outside of the proper procedure.

The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. Thank you for your consideration.

Sandra J. Whitley

Sincerely,

Sandy Whitley

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**From:** Phil McElfresh [<mailto:philmcelf@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 9:27 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

You need to be encouraging solar, one of our best resources here in sunny Arizona! Do not add more taxes, instead we should be adding incentives. Utilities should be happy to work with solar businesses and homes to utilize excess power which reduces their power generating needs!

You also agreed not to allow charges outside of established procedures.

Sincerely,

Phil McElfresh

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**From:** Martin Paulsen [<mailto:mlpaulsen@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 8:46 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

As an active voter, I implore you to maintain the national standards of reviewing all Utility requests in the broader sense of a rate case and it's overall impact on the entire state and it's residents.

Please do not be bullied by these Utility Companies

Sincerely,

Martin Paulsen

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**From:** John Kalinich [<mailto:jkalinich@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 8:03 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

I'm concerned about the possibility of a change in process that is currently being considered at the ACC.

APS is attempting to assess charges to solar customers outside of the traditional process. I'm trying to understand as a solar customer that entered into an agreement with APS that was bound by the protection of the ACC why such special treatment would be afforded them?

I believe that the ACC should continue to follow the process they already have established for rate increases regardless if it applies to a special segment to rate paying customers.

John Kalinich

Sincerely,

John Kalinich

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**From:** Pearl Joseph [<mailto:pearljo4@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:44 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

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.

Sincerely,

Pearl Joseph

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Robert Montgomery [<mailto:rob.the.toolman@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:42 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Please be fair to those of us that are trying to be environmentally clean and do our part. So stay ture and fair and do not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Robert Montgomery

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**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:42 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

To Whom it May Concern;

As an elected Commissioner, it is your duty to remain true to the stipulations of your duty. You should discuss the solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case.

This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Let's be fair and subject the solar investees to unfair politics.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

George Horn

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**From:** Gary Sibell [<mailto:galixsi@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 6:54 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

I will not be bullied by utility companies. If any additional rate hikes or taxes are imposed on me on behalf of a utility company I will withdraw from the grid and let them proceed without me.

Sincerely,

Gary Sibell

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**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
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**From:** Matthew Dean [<mailto:mchuckdean@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 6:38 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

As an Oro Valley resident who made the decision 4 years ago to install solar on my house the idea that the states four utilities are working to levy charges on solar customers outside of established protocols. There is a clearly defined process for discussing solar rates and I would like to know why utilities should get special treatment to raise solar rates. simply by-passing this process. ALL the commissioners and APS are on record for stating that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case basis and need ALL the commissioners need to stick to that commitment and due process.

Matt Dean

Sincerely,

Matthew Dean

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**From:** Randall Loman [<mailto:ransal1@msn.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:24 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

You were elected to represent your constituents. Do this by discussing any solar issues in a rate case. When Telsala's battery becomes available for home owners, the line will be cut, unless you start treating solar customers as equals.

Signed,  
A former coal plant supervisor.

Sincerely,

Randall Loman

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**From:** Steve Zupcic [<mailto:stevezupcic@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:52 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Please stick to your word and do not consider a solar rate change over the current rate outside of the proper venue.

Use of rooftop solar should be encouraged; not discouraged.

Sincerely,

Steve Zupcic

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Dear Commissionser,

It seems to me that you are doing everything in your power to undermine all the good of using solar can do for our community.

Sincerely,

George Panone

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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Dear Commissionser,

no rate hikes should be given land should be eliminated instead ets promote solar systems not kill them

Sincerely,

Thomas Kalor

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:47 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Arizona is one off just a few states that can really take advantage of power from the Sun. Solar generated electricity, which was encouraged and subsidized, is very beneficial to all except for those that SELL electricity.

The Commission has already determined that rates set for solar power should NOT be treated in isolation. They should be treated in a rate case. Do now allow ANY UTILITY TO TREAT SOLAR DIFFERENTLY. If you fail to follow through on you promise, you can not be considered believable ever again.

Fred Chalfin

Sincerely,

Fred Chalfin

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**From:** Randy Brumund [<mailto:rrmmbb57@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 8:08 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioners,

I HAVE READ THAT FOUR ARIZONA UTILITIES ARE TRYING TO RAISE NEW TAXES ON SOLAR CUSTOMERS. ONE OF THOSE UTILITIES IS APS WHICH SERVICES MY AREA. THE LAST GOVERNOR (BREWER) PUT OUT A CALL TO ARIZONA RESIDENTS TO HELP GENERATE ELECTRICITY. THAT WAS BECAUSE ARIZONA'S UTILITIES COULDN'T KEEP UP WITH THE DEMAND. NOW THAT MORE ELECTRICITY IS BEING GENERATED BY THOSE ARIZONA SOLAR PANELS, THE UTILITIES WANT MORE MONEY ALSO. I ANSWERED THE CALL AND INSTALLED SOLAR PANELS. I DID A CIVIC DUTY. NOW IT SEEMS THAT THE VERY UTILITY THAT I AM HELPING PRODUCE ELECTRICITY FOR WANTS TO PENALIZE ME? THAT NOT ONLY IS DISHONEST BUT NOT FAIR. IF THE UTILITIES WERE SO AFRAID OF OVER PRODUCING ELECTRICITY WHY DID THEY INSTALL SOLAR PANELS AT MOST OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THIS AREA?  
THE FAIR PROCESS FOR DISCUSSING SOLAR RATES IS IN A RATE CASE (WITHIN ESTABLISHED PROCEDURES). I WOULD HOPE THAT EACH COMMISSIONER WOULD STICK TO THEIR WORD AND NOT LET THE UTILITIES RAISE RATES OUTSIDE OF THE PROPER VENUE.

Sincerely,

Randy Brumund

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Dear Commissioner,

It is time for the utility monopolies to rethink their business model. No longer should users be forced to put up with rate increases because of the failure of management to adopt new technologies for generating power. It is time for the stockholders to bite the bullet on their tax-qualified interest and dividends. Rather than looking for ways to squeeze every dollar out of their current investment in dirty power generation, utilities should be investing in low cost alternatives such as wind and solar. These technologies are practical NOW. Germany has committed to 50% solar power by 2030. Why can't we do the same?

Sincerely,

L Goldberg

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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Richard Kopp [<mailto:together2x2x2@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 8:01 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

The commissioner's should stick to there word and only raise rates during regular rate hearings. Do not kill the states golden goose (solar) with unnecessary taxes.

Sincerely,

Richard Kopp

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 8:55 AM  
**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
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**From:** Barry D'Orazio [<mailto:bgdorazio@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:58 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

When U elect Republicans, this is what you get.  
Getting of the grid is getting closer

Sincerely,

Barry D'Orazio

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Alexander Clark [<mailto:Alezanderclark@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:52 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please consider solar in a rate case, as promised. Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Alexander Clark

## **Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Dymesich [<mailto:credo@soliddesigninc.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:27 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Make solar rates discussed with the normal rates.

Solar is the best way for us to all offset the addiction to fossil fuel.

Sincerely,

John Dymesich

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Bryan Hess [<mailto:shiftmarketing@outlook.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:24 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

The more you thwart the efforts of solar the more we fight to put you corrupt bastards out of business.

I'm young, I'm healthy and I got a whole lot of fight in me.

Pigs get fat, hogs get slaughtered.

Make the right choices.

Sincerely,

Bryan Hess

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Walter Pinkus [<mailto:wpinkus1097@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:11 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

As I understand what I have read recently, Trico and, perhaps several other electrical utilities, have petitioned to institute a special charge on home solar installations outside your normal procedures for reviewing utility rate changes. As I understand it, in the past you have all said on occasion that changes to bits and pieces of rate structures should only be reviewed as part of overall consideration of rate structures in what you call a "rate case". Please do not go forward with allowing this out of normal procedures request.

Sincerely,

Walter Pinkus

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
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**From:** Marie Bonneau [<mailto:Mrsbonz2004@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:01 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioners,

As elected officials you have stated that any rate changes or taxes need to be through the established procedure of a Rate Case.  
The utilities are attempting to do this outside of these procedures. I am asking that you stay true to your word and insure that any discussions are down within the Rate Case process . This allows for due process and allows the ACC to evaluate all rates together.  
Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates on Solar. Please insure that any discussion is handles under the Rate Case Venue.

Sincerely,

Marie Bonneau

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**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
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**From:** Mark Hayduke Grenard [<mailto:grenardmarkhayduke@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 6:13 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

The 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 the proper Venue.

Sincerely,

Mark Hayduke Grenard

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**From:** Dennis Yee [<mailto:dennisyee.cello@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 5:42 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

I am outraged that four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. These utilities are APS, Trico, TEP, and SSVEC. I object to their attempt to levy charges.

The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be discussed in a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

The Commissioners need to stick to their words and not let utilities raise solar rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Dennis Yee

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**From:** Rick molina [<mailto:molina1356@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 5:27 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

back off!! we grow tired of tax tax tax!!! If I make the investment to do the right thing by using solar and driving a hybrid ect..and you greedy bastards want to punish me piss off!!!

Sincerely,

Rick molina

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Robert McBride <bunkie.mcbride@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 8:33 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Taxing solar energy is nothing more than punitive charge to folks who use it. I can't tell you how wrong ANY kind of a tax on solar would be, beyond that of a sales tax for what is purchased. Keep your hands out of my pockets.

Sincerely,

Robert McBride

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Daniel Turrentine <dsrtdwllrs@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 7:08 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Proper procedures MUST be followed !

Sincerely,

Daniel Turrentine

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Donald Charest <donjcharest@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 3:44 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I've always known that Arizona was/is a backwards state, run by a bunch of Neanderthals that are the products of a chronically underfunded education system but to tax solar at all is simply ridiculous in this state. You should be encouraging development of solar energy, but you appear more interested in filling the pockets of the monopolistic utilities that contribute heavily to your campaigns and consistently overcharge all customers with your help. As long as people like you are in charge I don't expect anything will change, but you are not fooling anyone by pretending and lying about why solar has to be taxed so you can put more money into the utilities pockets.

Sincerely,

Donald Charest

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**From:** Crystal Deen <arbella3@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 2:28 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do the right thing. Solar customers are trying to help the environment and lower our bills. Stop trying to raise our rates.

Sincerely,

Crystal Deen

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Steve Fanning <SFagainstSRP@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 12:51 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please follow your staff's advice and only allow changes to utility net metering rates for rooftop solar to be considered within a full rate proceeding.

Your constituents would love to see the ACC stand up to these utility monopolies and stop letting them kill solar. Arizona should be a leader in solar power and the only reason we are not is because we are beholden to these powerful utility companies. Make no mistake their intention isn't "fairness". They are afraid for their bottom line if they allow rooftop solar growth to continue. All one has to do to know their true intent is to look at the data from SRP on how many rooftop solar applications have been installed since they enacted their draconian rules without any real oversight in December.

Sincerely,

Steve Fanning

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Nancy Saunders <ncypsaunders@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 9:10 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stop this madness !!!  
Solar customers are acting responsibly.  
Now it is YOUR turn to act with care and concern For protecting our environment !!!  
Stop this greedy craziness !!

Sincerely,

Nancy Saunders

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Robert Schenck <robert.schenck.37@facebook.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 8:15 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am an Arizona resident fully committed to seeing solar thrive now and into the future. Allowing utilities to levy punitive fees is antithetical to this and I strongly oppose their attempts to avoid due process case to settle this issue.

Sincerely,

Robert Schenck

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Jerry Gallamore <E543ln@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 7:51 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Where do this energy companies come off thinking we should have to pay taxes in anyway for something we did. It is clearly an attempt to force people to use their products. The ones that are destroying our world and should be products of the past.

Sincerely,

Jerry Gallamore

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**From:** Scott Wiedeman <scowiedeman@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 8:29 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You have been entrusted to represent the interests of utility customers in AZ, including customers who have engaged in PV or rooftop solar power.

As such, I expect that you will insist on a formal rate case and review in any legislation or decision that would implement tax or increased charges on customers generating power via rooftop PV. Further, I would hope that you make sure that you have heard and understand the issue as presented by solar advocates, rather than just the corporate utilities.

I would be extremely disappointed in anything less, and I will be sure to watch your decisions, which will certainly influence my vote for ACC commissioners.

Sincerely,

Scott Wiedeman

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**From:** Nicholas Acciaro <nacciardo@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:36 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to your word people!!! If we have to live by your decisions, then you could live by the LAW !

Please use your heads and vote with us, the people who honestly put you there...In mind !

Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciaro

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**From:** Howard Clements <hclements1@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 5:55 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Let's stick to a rate case, so that a fair assessment can be made regarding the impact of residential solar customers.

Sincerely,

Howard Clements

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Faustina egoian <fausdog@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 5:33 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Stick to the agreement. Stop the air pollution it's damages the brain. Behave like leaders and not in certain children's.

Sincerely,

Faustina egoian

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** richard arnold <dicsmd@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 3:52 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Roof top solar should be encouraged and not discouraged as APS is constantly proposing.

The existing roof top solar installations are helping APS meet its mandate to provide energy from renewable sources. Any surplus is sold back to them at wholesale prices. Their own solar installations provide electricity at a higher cost than the wholesale prices they pay privately owned systems.

I know APS tries to come up with creative accounting to try to justify their actions. But let's be realistic and stop this tax/power grab.

Richard Arnold

Sincerely,

richard arnold

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**From:** Sybil Malinowski Melody <sybil@melodylife.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 3:37 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As a long time solar customer I am distressed to hear that Arizona utilities are attempting to levy charges on solar customers without going through rate change procedures. Any changes in fees or charges related to solar energy should be treated as a rate case. As an APS customer I expect APS to keep their promise to not raise utility rates without going through a full rate change review process and this should apply to any solar levy or fee too.

Sincerely,

Sybil Malinowski Melody

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**From:** JOE DLUGOSZ <JOESPHOTOS@LIVE.COM>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 2:28 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am not a burden on the grid and why don't APS keep their word !!!!!

Sincerely,

JOE DLUGOSZ

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Lisa Neidich <neidich99@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 1:23 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

To Whom It May Concern:

Utility Division and All ACC Commissioners:

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.

Please do your duty.

Sincerely,

Lisa Neidich  
2941 E Willow Ave  
Phoenix, AZ 85032

Sincerely,

Lisa Neidich

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** D'Ante' Woodard <Woodarddante@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 12:01 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

To raise rates on a natural energy source is unconstitutional! How can we as human beings want to change the world for better if there are no incentives to do the right thing for that change. Big corporations don't own the sun or the energy is giving back to their plant.

Sincerely,

D'Ante' Woodard

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** William Walsh <walsh0425@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please adhere to proper procedure by discussing solar rates in a rate case.

Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates for solar.

Sincerely,

William Walsh

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Patricia Harrington <barefootcajun694@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:34 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As a resident of Arizona and a registered voter, I am asking you commissioners to stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Do not unfairly raise rates. As elected officials I expect you to ensure a fair rate-making process.

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,

Patricia Harrington

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** james bushroe <jrbushroe@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:28 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Recipients,'

Why are your group in the state of Arizona the only state that is trying to slow down the solar industry. I thought the Corp. Comm. was to protect the people of Ariz. against monopolies. Your actions should be to promote solar energy . Make your actions doing what you said you were going to do . Quit working for the Corporations interest. Jim Bushroe

Sincerely,

james bushroe

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Roberta Bonney <Rabonney@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:22 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

AZ should be 80% solar, instead you look for ways to squash it. It is clean and renewable, we may not have a lot of water But we have plenty of sun. Stop looking for ways to penalize and start looking for ways to get our state to sell solar electricity to others.

Sincerely,

Roberta Bonney

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Holly Reilly <hjureilly48@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:19 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

no closed doors.the public should know what you are saying.

Sincerely,

Holly Reilly

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Henry Twombly <oooanon@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 10:07 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I entreat the ACC to stop being the lapdog and puppet of APS and the other utilities. Your job is to protect the public from exploitation by these utilities. Instead all of you seem to collude with APS and the others to increase their profit margins at the expense of ratepayers. Since APS couldn't get the opt-out fees for smart meters, it is now going after solar rates. I encourage all of you, who have probably received campaign contributions from APS et al, to have some backbone, stand up to these utilities, and serve the greater good. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Henry Twombly

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Sandy Whitley <sandyariz@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 9:38 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am writing to express my concern about the ACC's talk of levying charges (a tax) on solar customers outside of established procedures, at the behest of APS, Trico, TEP and SSVEC. The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. In the past, all Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case. Now consideration is being given to raising charges outside of the proper procedure.

The Commission should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. Thank you for your consideration.

Sandra J. Whitley

Sincerely,

Sandy Whitley

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Phil McElfresh <philmcelf@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 9:27 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You need to be encouraging solar, one of our best resources here in sunny Arizona! Do not add more taxes, instead we should be adding incentives. Utilities should be happy to work with solar businesses and homes to utilize excess power which reduces their power generating needs!

You also agreed not to allow charges outside of established procedures.

Sincerely,

Phil McElfresh

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Martin Paulsen <mlpaulsen@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 8:46 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As an active voter, I implore you to maintain the national standards of reviewing all Utility requests in the broader sense of a rate case and it's overall impact on the entire state and it's residents.

Please do not be bullied by these Utility Companies

Sincerely,

Martin Paulsen

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Kalinich <jkalinich@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 8:03 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I'm concerned about the possibility of a change in process that is currently being considered at the ACC.

APS is attempting to assess charges to solar customers outside of the traditional process. I'm trying to understand as a solar customer that entered into an agreement with APS that was bound by the protection of the ACC why such special treatment would be afforded them?

I believe that the ACC should continue to follow the process they already have established for rate increases regardless if it applies to a special segment to rate paying customers.

John Kalinich

Sincerely,

John Kalinich

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Pearl Joseph <pearljo4@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:44 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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.

Sincerely,

Pearl Joseph

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**From:** Robert Montgomery <rob.the.toolman@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:42 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please be fair to those of us that are trying to be environmentally clean and do our part. So stay ture and fair and do not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Robert Montgomery

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**From:** George Horn <1preacher1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 7:42 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

To Whom it May Concern;

As an elected Commissioner, it is your duty to remain true to the stipulations of your duty. You should discuss the solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case.

This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Let's be fair and subject the solar investees to unfair politics.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

George Horn

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Gary Sibell <galixsi@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, June 13, 2015 6:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I will not be bullied by utility companies. If any additional rate hikes or taxes are imposed on me on behalf of a utility company I will withdraw from the grid and let them proceed without me.

Sincerely,

Gary Sibell

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Randall Loman <ransal1@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

You were elected to represent your constituents. Do this by discussing any solar issues in a rate case. When Telsala's battery becomes available for home owners, the line will be cut, unless you start treating solar customers as equals.

Signed,

A former coal plant supervisor.

Sincerely,

Randall Loman

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Steve Zupcic <stevezupcic@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:52 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to your word and do not consider a solar rate change over the current rate outside of the proper venue.

Use of rooftop solar should be encouraged; not discouraged.

Sincerely,

Steve Zupcic

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** George Panone <gpanone1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:29 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

It seems to me that you are doing everything in your power to undermine all the good of using solar can do for our community.

Sincerely,

George Panone

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**From:** Thomas Kalor <thomaskalor@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:48 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

no rate hikes should be given land should be eliminated instead ets promote solar systems not kill them

Sincerely,

Thomas Kalor

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Fred Chalfin <azfchalfin@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:47 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Arizona is one of just a few states that can really take advantage of power from the Sun. Solar generated electricity, which was encouraged and subsidized, is very beneficial to all except for those that SELL electricity.

The Commission has already determined that rates set for solar power should NOT be treated in isolation. They should be treated in a rate case. Do now allow ANY UTILITY TO TREAT SOLAR DIFFERENTLY. If you fail to follow through on your promise, you can not be considered believable ever again.

Fred Chalfin

Sincerely,

Fred Chalfin

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Randy Brumund <rrmmbb57@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 8:08 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I HAVE READ THAT FOUR ARIZONA UTILITIES ARE TRYING TO RAISE NEW TAXES ON SOLAR CUSTOMERS. ONE OF THOSE UTILITIES IS APS WHICH SERVICES MY AREA. THE LAST GOVERNOR (BREWER) PUT OUT A CALL TO ARIZONA RESIDENTS TO HELP GENERATE ELECTRICITY. THAT WAS BECAUSE ARIZONA'S UTILITIES COULDN'T KEEP UP WITH THE DEMAND. NOW THAT MORE ELECTRICITY IS BEING GENERATED BY THOSE ARIZONA SOLAR PANELS, THE UTILITIES WANT MORE MONEY ALSO. I ANSWERED THE CALL AND INSTALLED SOLAR PANELS. I DID A CIVIC DUTY. NOW IT SEEMS THAT THE VERY UTILITY THAT I AM HELPING PRODUCE ELECTRICITY FOR WANTS TO PENALIZE ME? THAT NOT ONLY IS DISHONEST BUT NOT FAIR. IF THE UTILITIES WERE SO AFRAID OF OVER PRODUCING ELECTRICITY WHY DID THEY INSTALL SOLAR PANELS AT MOST OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN THIS AREA?  
THE FAIR PROCESS FOR DISCUSSING SOLAR RATES IS IN A RATE CASE (WITHIN ESTABLISHED PROCEDURES). I WOULD HOPE THAT EACH COMMISSIONER WOULD STICK TO THEIR WORD AND NOT LET THE UTILITIES RAISE RATES OUTSIDE OF THE PROPER VENUE.

Sincerely,

Randy Brumund

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Richard Kopp <together2x2x2@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 8:01 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The commissioner's should stick to there word and only raise rates during regular rate hearings. Do not kill the states golden goose (solar) with unnecessary taxes.

Sincerely,

Richard Kopp

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Barry D'Orazio <bgdorazio@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:58 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

When U elect Republicans, this is what you get.  
Getting of the grid is getting closer

Sincerely,

Barry D'Orazio

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Alexander Clark <Alezanderclark@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:52 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please consider solar in a rate case, as promised. Thanks for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Alexander Clark

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Dymesich <credo@soliddesigninc.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:27 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Make solar rates discussed with the normal rates.

Solar is the best way for us to all offset the addiction to fossil fuel.

Sincerely,

John Dymesich

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Bryan Hess <shiftmarketing@outlook.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The more you thwart the efforts of solar the more we fight to put you corrupt bastards out of business.

I'm young, I'm healthy and I got a whole lot of fight in me.

Pigs get fat, hogs get slaughtered.

Make the right choices.

Sincerely,

Bryan Hess

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Walter Pinkus <wpinkus1097@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:11 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As I understand what I have read recently, Trico and, perhaps several other electrical utilities, have petitioned to institute a special charge on home solar installations outside your normal procedures for reviewing utility rate changes. As I understand it, in the past you have all said on occasion that changes to bits and pieces of rate structures should only be reviewed as part of overall consideration of rate structures in what you call a "rate case". Please do not go forward with allowing this out of normal procedures request.

Sincerely,

Walter Pinkus

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Marie Bonneau <Mrsbonz2004@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 7:01 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

As elected officials you have stated that any rate changes or taxes need to be through the established procedure of a Rate Case.

The utilities are attempting to do this outside of these procedures. I am asking that you stay true to your word and insure that any discussions are down within the Rate Case process . This allows for due process and allows the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates on Solar. Please insure that any discussion is handles under the Rate Case Venue.

Sincerely,

Marie Bonneau

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Mark Hayduke Grenard <grenardmarkhayduke@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 6:13 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The 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 the proper Venue.

Sincerely,

Mark Hayduke Grenard

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Dennis Yee <dennisyee.cello@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 5:42 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I am outraged that four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. These utilities are APS, Trico, TEP, and SSVEC. I object to their attempt to levy charges.

The fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case. All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be discussed in a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

The Commissioners need to stick to their words and not let utilities raise solar rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Dennis Yee

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Rick molina <molina1356@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 5:27 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

back off!! we grow tired of tax tax tax!!! If I make the investment to do the right thing by using solar and driving a hybrid ect..and you greedy bastards want to punish me piss off!!!

Sincerely,

Rick molina

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:57 PM  
**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Leticia Antillon  
Arizona Corporation Commission  
Utilities Divison  
Information Processing Specialist II  
Phone: 602-542-1855  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Carol Kaploe [<mailto:bckap@frontiernet.net>]

**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:54 PM

**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox

**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates on solar

Sincerely,

Carol Kaploe

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Dear Commissioners,

Utilities wouldn't seek to tax solar outside a rate application unless they were seeking to gain an unfair advantage or hide something. You've already stated on the record you will not look at solar rates outside a rate case. Please don't allow utilities to raise rates outside the proper venue.

Sincerely,

bradley gelder

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**From:** s Gillatt [<mailto:ethermail2@terrachroma-inc.com>]  
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Dear Commissioner,

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.

Sincerely,

s Gillatt

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**From:** Robert Passano [<mailto:apassano@sonicwall.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:18 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

SRP is undermining both future economic prosperity and National Security with their current short sighted pursuit of short term profit and their fear of any competition - even from homeowners.

The Grid, built mostly on public lands with huge infusions of TaxPayer dollars and extensive TaxPayer funded R&D, should provide for reliable power distribution avoiding massive single points of failure.

SRP treats the Grid as something they should own and use as a tool to prevent competition and drive price increases. This is anti - capitalism, and downright anti - American.

As homeowners bring Solar on line, this will lighten peak loading for SRP enabling current peak load only power generation facilities to be re-purposed to supply industrial power, boosting Arizona's position as a location for industrial - driven economic growth. and will increase the reliability and ruggedness of the Grid, if the Grid can be used as intended and not simply as SRP's tool to suppress competition and drive price increases.

SRP is clearly not the only utility following this anti- prosperity strategy, but they are my supplier and so are the one I am most familiar with.

When SRP installed remotely controlled and read meters, they saved big on sending employees to read the meter at each home. But they quickly INCREASED the "service fee" as if they had increased the cost of service instead of decreasing it significantly.

Their current strategy is one of Taxation by Corporation, and should be illegal since it is likely un-Constitutional as well.

● Please treat all customer price increases as rate increases and do not allow this to continue.

Sincerely,

Robert Passano

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Dear Commissioner,

I'm a solar customer in Tucson. I installed enough PV cells to power my house in order to not be a party to utility scale solar development on sensitive public lands. I do not mind paying my fair share in any circumstance, but utilities must not be given a free pass to raise rates for solar energy. The proper venue for this type of procedure is the rate case, and all of the commissioners (and APS) have agreed that rates should be dealt with in a rate case. Please stick to your word and do not let utilities raise their rates outside of proper procedure.

Sincerely,

Eva Sargent

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:03 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

The sun can really make life in the Arizona desert miserable in the summer. Yet it's power can generate the electricity to cool us off. It doesn't make sense to let utility companies to penalize people who want to do just that by allowing them to attach extra charges. Let's stay with the rate case.

Sincerely,

Helen Greer

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Barbara Tellman [<mailto:barbt2@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:59 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Please support the concept that any changes in solar rates should be part of a rate case. I am a solar user.

Thank you

Sincerely,

Barbara Tellman

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:47 PM  
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Dear Commissionser,

Why is this even a discussion? Is this not a free market? Why are solar customers penalized for being economically and environmentally responsible, when there are hundreds of thousands of other APS customers that are being subsidized through low income payment options? I am not only writing to ask that rates not be raised this year, but I'm asking they not be raised in any year! There is no justification for any solar fees. I pay my monthly servicing fees (including the current solar fees), that is sufficient. How will we as a nation ever build a smarter grid that is environmentally responsible, when your fees are dissuading people from going solar? I am sorry that APS has not kept up with technology, that's not my fault. I have concerns for our future, I just wish more people at the ACC and APS did. Instead, they worry about satisfying lobbyists and lining their pockets.

Sincerely,

Dan VanderVen

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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioners,

Please do not dis-incentivize residential solar by allowing utilities, including TRICO to raise rates on those with solar installations without giving customers a voice first.

Sincerely,

Greg Winston

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:28 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

I'm a solar supporter, and I'm confident the commission will keep their word. That means no utility rate increases outside of a rate case.

Sincerely,

Paul Mark

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Dear Commissionser,

I was sold a bill of goods to put solar on my house rooftop and now because the electric utilities want to penalize me (they call it a grid use tax) If this happens I will put in a system and get off their damn grid.

Sincerely,

Douglas Cobb

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**From:** Joseph DePinto [<mailto:aajad77@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:18 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please do NOT let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue. We need to support solar not tax it. We're in ARIZONA for heaven's sake!

Sincerely,

Joseph DePinto

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**From:** Carolyn Riske [<mailto:carolyn@riske.biz>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:11 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

I am very concerned, again, when I read that instead of encouraging the utility companies to incentivise solar, the corporation commission seems to be doing the opposite either in word or deed.

The laws passed to make utilities accountable must not have strong enough sanctions.

The planet is at risk! If you are not scientists or do not trust them, look around at what is happening!

Sincerely,

Carolyn Riske  
Fountain Hills, AZ 85268

Sincerely,

Carolyn Riske

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**From:** Jim Wilber [<mailto:jwilber@onewayelectric.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:04 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

I am writing to ask all of the commissioners to live up to their promises and not allow the utilities to raise their fees on solar customers outside of a rate case discussion. SRP has nearly killed solar in their territory with their outrageous fees, and a rate case is the only fair way to make sure everyone succeeds. Raising fees outside of a rate case would mean the commission only looks out for the utilities and not their customers. Please do the right thing and make sure ALL of the facts are presented IN A RATE CASE before making rash decisions. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Jim Wilber

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:02 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please do everything you can to support anything that is good for the planet. Solar panels are a very safe and planet-friendly way to generate electricity. We should do everything we can to encourage them, not discourage them.

Sincerely,

Sierra Shafer

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Dear Commissioner,

Do not raise our rates!

How absolutely typical. We do something to go green, and save some money, and the powers that be still find a way to screw us.

Dave Roberts  
Phoenix

Sincerely,

Dave Roberts

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 3:00 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Solar is the way of the future. Other countries are going solar. Arizona can be a fore runner in solar with our sunny climate. If the electric power companies would take a creative approach and realize that they will still be needed to design, build, and maintain the required infrastructure and continue to make a profit without having to buy coal and oil to create the electric power. Solar power will also help stop air pollution and make the air healthier to breathe. Think of the future, not just today.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Lenz

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**From:** Linda Roberts [<mailto:Goldenolson@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 2:55 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Solar power is good for our environment & therefore a benefit to everyone. Please do not make solar unattainable. Please stick to your word & do not raise rates outside the proper venue.

The utility companies need to get involved in selling solar panels. It is time to lessen reliance on the grid & go in a different direction in order to save our earth.

Sincerely,

Linda Roberts

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**From:** Harry Lantz [<mailto:ocot1llo@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 2:55 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Don't let the ACC raise my rates, you all have stated if there is a increase it should be in a rate case. It sure would be nice to see you stand by your word.  
sincerely Harry Lantz

Sincerely,

Harry Lantz

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**From:** Rosemarie LeClercq [<mailto:rleclercq1@cox.net>]  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Germany is the leader in solar energy and they have less sunshine than we do. We should be embracing solar in Arizona.

Do not let these four utilities go around the process for a rate case. Any tax on solar is merely a method to keep us tied to them. None of these utilities are hurting for money.

You have stated that solar rates should be a rate case and APS agreed with you.

Next week, Pope Francis will issue his encyclical on the environment. Don't be on the wrong side of that important document. Tell the four utilities, they must use the proper rate case for any change to solar power.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Rosemarie LeClercq

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**From:** Ken Stencil [<mailto:kensten@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 2:37 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

It is DISCRIMINATORY for the electric companies to charge one customer a certain rate and not the remainder of the customers!!!

The best way to solve this problem is for all customers to pay a transmission charge on their bills to facilitate the use of the grid. This charge could either be a flat fee of say \$10 or \$15 per month or based on kilowatt hour usage (\$.01 per kilowatt hour). Kilowatt hours used would also include the stored portion for solar customers.

Sincerely,

Ken Stencil

Sincerely,

Ken Stencil

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Carol Kaploe <bckap@frontiernet.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:54 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Utilities shouldn't get special treatment to raise rates on solar

Sincerely,

Carol Kaploe

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** bradley gelder <bradley.gelder@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:42 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Utilities wouldn't seek to tax solar outside a rate application unless they were seeking to gain an unfair advantage or hide something, You've already stated on the record you will not look at solar rates outside a rate case. Please don't allow utilities to raise rates outside the proper venue.

Sincerely,

bradley gelder

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**From:** s Gillatt <ethermail2@terrachroma-inc.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:33 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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.

Sincerely,

s Gillatt

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Steven Cutler <stcutler@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:31 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

All commissioners have stated that any change in solar rates that a utility might apply should be reviewed in a rate case. Please adhere to your prior statements and do not let any utility raise rates outside of a proper rate case venue.

Sincerely,

Steven Cutler

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**From:** Robert Passano <apassano@sonicwall.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:18 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

SRP is undermining both future economic prosperity and National Security with their current short sighted pursuit of short term profit and their fear of any competition - even from homeowners.

The Grid, built mostly on public lands with huge infusions of TaxPayer dollars and extensive TaxPayer funded R&D, should provide for reliable power distribution avoiding massive single points of failure.

SRP treats the Grid as something they should own and use as a tool to prevent competition and drive price increases. This is anti - capitalism, and downright anti - American.

As homeowners bring Solar on line, this will lighten peak loading for SRP enabling current peak load only power generation facilities to be re-purposed to supply industrial power, boosting Arizona's position as a location for industrial - driven economic growth. and will increase the reliability and ruggedness of the Grid, if the Grid can be used as intended and not simply as SRP's tool to suppress competition and drive price increases.

SRP is clearly not the only utility following this anti- prosperity strategy, but they are my supplier and so are the one I am most familiar with.

When SRP installed remotely controlled and read meters, they saved big on sending employees to read the meter at each home. But they quickly INCREASED the "service fee" as if they had increased the cost of service instead of decreasing it significantly.

Their current strategy is one of Taxation by Corporation, and should be illegal since it is likely un-Constitutional as well.

Please treat all customer price increases as rate increases and do not allow this to continue.

Sincerely,

Robert Passano

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**From:** Eva Sargent <esargent@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:13 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I'm a solar customer in Tucson. I installed enough PV cells to power my house in order to not be a party to utility scale solar development on sensitive public lands. I do not mind paying my fair share in any circumstance, but utilities must not be given a free pass to raise rates for solar energy. The proper venue for this type of procedure is the rate case, and all of the commissioners (and APS) have agreed that rates should be dealt with in a rate case. Please stick to your word and do not let utilities raise their rates outside of proper procedure.

Sincerely,

Eva Sargent

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**From:** Helen Greer <helen2wheels@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 4:03 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

The sun can really make life in the Arizona desert miserable in the summer. Yet it's power can generate the electricity to cool us off. It doesn't make sense to let utility companies to penalize people who want to do just that by allowing them to attach extra charges. Let's stay with the rate case.

Sincerely,

Helen Greer

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** John Good <agood5@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Monday, June 15, 2015 10:20 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Commissioners, I wanted to take a moment to let you know if my continued disapproval of specific utility companies attempting to add additional taxes to residential solar customers. Their argument has always been that solar customers are not doing their part to "support the grid" as APS has always stated. That is a bold face lie as I continue to pay the same amounts of taxes outside of the actual cost of electricity that I paid before I went solar. The utility companies have a greedy monopoly on our electricity and have continued to take "our way or the highway" approach to electricity. APS and SRP have even had the audacity to put together commercials touting their "we are the solar giants and wanna go green..." statements. That is all a complete lie. They want solar energy for themselves, not their existing customers. A true lie all the way through! I hope you are all morally compelled to stop these monopolies and allow average joe customers to take advantage of the same cost effective electricity and the utility giants.

Sincerely,

John P Good III

Sincerely,

John Good

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Randy Brumund <rrmmbb57@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Sunday, June 14, 2015 3:00 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** DOCKET #E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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Sincerely,

Randy Brumund

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 1:53 PM  
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Sincerely,

Virginia Aguilar

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Sincerely,

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Since we are selling wholesale and buying retail, they are already reaping the benefits of our systems.

If they want increases, they should pay what we pay for a fair exchange of power.

Sincerely,

Fredrick Domenigoni

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Sincerely, Russell Horneyer and Kathy Bensky

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Leticia Antillon  
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Dear Commissioner,

Please leave solar rate changes alone for rate increase . If there is a rate increase it should be for everyone equally and not just singleing out a different rate increase for solar customers . Thank you for your time .

Sincerely,

Tony Dudzinski

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Loydene Ried [<mailto:azdbac@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:20 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Geez does it never end? Keep robbing the consumers to fill your pockets!

Sincerely,

Loydene Ried

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** MARY CLAUS [<mailto:truesantaclaus@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:19 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

When we bought our solar we paid tax on it, we now own it! Four utilities are trying to levy tax charges on us outside of established procedures. They should not be allowed to do this. A rate case is required. The commission should stick to their word. This smacks of lawlessness. Don't you think there has been a little too much of this kind of behavior. What are you thinking!

Follow the rules, play fair and stop taking what you do not have coming.

Sincerely,

MARY CLAUS

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Shannon Williams [<mailto:Williams.cabana@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:07 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please do not add a tax on those using clean energy

Sincerely,

Shannon Williams

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:04 PM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please protect the use of solar energy from the entities that want to attach extra fees to solar users. This is completely unfair.

The Commission should stand by their word and not let utilities raise rates outside proper venues.

Sincerely,

Carin Conlin

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:02 PM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

please don't let them add more taxes to my life. I know you realize people are over taxed by a lot already.  
Vote NO.

R Ghera

Sincerely,

ronald ghera

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**From:** Jeff Simpson [<mailto:jeffsimpson177@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:52 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioners,

Commissioners,

Please follow due process regarding utility fees including solar. Please keep all activities in the open.

Remember APS stands for Arizona PUBLIC Service, not Arizona SHAREHOLDER Service. Please serve the PUBLIC.

Sincerely,

Jeff Simpson

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**From:** Jeannette Nord [<mailto:jnetty42@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:51 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please stick to your word, the fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.  
Please do not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue

Sincerely,

Jeannette Nord

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From: Kenneth & JoAnn Bierman [<mailto:kbierman1@gmail.com>]

Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:49 AM

To: Utilities Div - Mailbox

Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

We urge the ACC to not let utilities raise rates for solar or anything else outside of a public rate hearing.

Sincerely,

Kenneth & JoAnn Bierman

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**From:** Sue Shimer [<mailto:swshimer@sbcglobal.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:47 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates for solar.

All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case, which is the fair and accepted protocol for discussing rates. The Commission should keep their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Sue Shimer

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**From:** john reeves [<mailto:john.reeves.nep@gmail.com>]

**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:47 AM

**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox

**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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, as a rate case.

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.

I ask that all Commissions should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

thank you for your time,

john reeves  
marana az  
yes, i am a solar customer.

Sincerely,

john reeves

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**From:** Al Rockman [<mailto:alandocrock@gmail.com>]

**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:47 AM

**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox

**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Support expanded use of solar, especially in Az.  
Subsidize it, don't tax its use.

Sincerely,

Al Rockman

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Tony Dudzinski <Tkudzinski@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:24 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please leave solar rate changes alone for rate increase . If there is a rate increase it should be for everyone equally and not just singleing out a different rate increase for solar customers . Thank you for your time .

Sincerely,

Tony Dudzinski

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**From:** Rhoda Shulman [<mailto:Rhoda@shulmanfamily.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:46 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please uphold the American fair principles of competition . Solar should not be taxed. The utilities should not be given unfair advantage to raise rates without consumer input.

Sincerely,

Rhoda Shulman

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**From:** Christopher Pike [<mailto:cnpike@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:46 AM  
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Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Christopher Pike

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**From:** Brooks Maschmeier [<mailto:keally@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:45 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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.

Sincerely,

Brooks Maschmeier

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**From:** Judyth Shamosh [<mailto:greenfingersherbal@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:44 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Judyth Shamosh

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**From:** John Spall [<mailto:b-boppn57@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:43 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

**Talking Points:**

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.

Sincerely,

John Spall

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**From:** Peter Johnson [<mailto:Prjohnsonaz@yahoo.com>]

**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:43 AM

**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Wally Ebell [<mailto:wally.ebell@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:42 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Wally Ebell

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Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:39 AM

To: Utilities Div - Mailbox

Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Eloise Lawrence [<mailto:elawrence9@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:34 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** bob cunningham [<mailto:sideways00711@aol.com>]  
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Dear Commissioner,

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*

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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Dear Commissioners,

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.

It 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

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**From:** Gwen Moore [[mailto:9pz2gwen\\_t@cox.net](mailto:9pz2gwen_t@cox.net)]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:19 AM  
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Dear Commissioners,

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

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:16 AM  
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Dear Commissioner,

Commissioners.

Why would you consider giving another rate increase to APS? Destroying the solar business is both ludicrous and short sighted. APS has a responsibility to support and accelerate the use of solar energy. APS is a dinosaur in the age of energy renaissance. I use solar and it is a clean, efficient energy allowing me to use my earned dollars to spend on my family AND to support politicians who support solar.

Sincerely,

Brian Nermyr

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Dear Commissionser,

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

Sincerely,

JANE SWICEGOOD

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Sent: Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM

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Subject: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Lori Buhlman [<mailto:lori.buhlman@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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Dear Commissioner,

No rate increase

Sincerely,

Ronald Wright

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Dear Commissionser,

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

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**From:** Hugh Phillips [<mailto:hphillips16@cox.net>]

**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:07 AM

**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox

**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Hugh Phillips

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Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Lu Horton

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Dear Commissionser,

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  
7626 N Coconino Dr  
Surprise, AZ 85374

Sincerely,

Denny Lensegrav



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Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Jason Zeller

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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Dear Commissionser,

keep your word

Sincerely,

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Dear Commissioner,

Please consider raising rates on all consumers NOT using solar; the increase would be much less per user, and would encourage the use of an alternative energy source.

Sincerely,

Dot W.

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Dan Heaton

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Bernadine Helriegel [<mailto:bernmar@cox.net>]

**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:49 AM

**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox

**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

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

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:21 PM  
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**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

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**From:** jeff hartig [<mailto:rosencrantz@cox.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:49 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** James Stoll [<mailto:jrs49@aol.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:48 AM  
**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Please keep your word regarding everyone should follow proper procedures. This is very critical regarding trust and keeping faith in our democratic system.

We see too many exceptions that only benefit a few. We have a good system and please keep it that way.

Thanks,

Jim Stoll

Sincerely,

James Stoll

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**From:** Dave Haycock [<mailto:espdave@hotmail.com>]

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Mark Walters [<mailto:markonesolar@hotmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:43 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

I meet a lot of people in my work and the subject of solar, the utilities and the ACC come up quite often. So far, I have not met anyone who believes what the utilities are trying to do is fair or justified. I hope you will take the high ground to protect the solar industry from this dastardly money grab effort by the utilities.

Sincerely,  
Mark Walters

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Mark Walters

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**From:** Matt Herrman [<mailto:mateoboneo@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:43 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Noelle Everhart [<mailto:Noelle531@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:42 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:41 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Nik Shehaj [<mailto:nik@trismartsolar.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:41 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Thomas Hughes [<mailto:tomphughes@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:39 AM  
**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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 YOUR 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

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**From:** Stephen Gray [<mailto:gr8stay@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:38 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

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

Sincerely,

Stephen Gray

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**From:** vince Dorsey [<mailto:vinced751@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:36 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Let Solar grow..leave it alone

Sincerely,

vince Dorsey

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**From:** Chris Uhls [<mailto:uhls1986@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:33 AM  
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Dear Commissionser,

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

Sincerely,

Chris Uhls

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**From:** Morgan Stine [<mailto:morgan@greeneearthenergyinc.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:32 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith and other commissioners,

Please do not discuss or take action on increasing the solar tax credit unless it is in the venue of a rate case. I would like to participate and have waited for the rate case to spend my limited time participating in the discussions.

Thank you,

Morgan Stine  
NABCEP certified PV professional, 51112-178

Sincerely,

Morgan Stine

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**From:** Loydene Ried <azdbac@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:20 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Geez does it never end? Keep robbing the consumers to fill your pockets!

Sincerely,

Loydene Ried

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**From:** Becky Lombard [<mailto:becky.lombard@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:31 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

Please stick to your word.

Sincerely,

Becky Lombard

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**From:** Mark Volner [[mailto:mvsc\\_ca@yahoo.com](mailto:mvsc_ca@yahoo.com)]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:27 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

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

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**From:** Keavin Grob [<mailto:Kdkeg@icloud.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:27 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

Shamefull tactics when considering Solar rates!

Sincerely,

Keavin Grob

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**From:** Rosanne Couston [<mailto:rosannemargaret@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:25 AM  
**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioners,

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

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Dear Commissionser,

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

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Dear Commissioner,

Don't screw around with solar customers! Follow procedures already set. Utility companies should NOT get to make changes outside of rate cases!!!!

Sincerely,

Tania Malven

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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Dear Commissionser,

Please stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

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!

Sincerely,

Eugene Rider

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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:12 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:10 AM  
**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:08 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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.

Sincerely,

Jack Grenard

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Cathy Morgan [<mailto:gjcvmor@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioners,

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

Sincerely,

Cathy Morgan

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**From:** Juanita Colucci [<mailto:juanita@eclectic-resources.net>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Paul Robinson [<mailto:paulr82450@live.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:06 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Chad Kennedy [<mailto:drchadkennedy@yahoo.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:05 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** CRAIG MURPHY [<mailto:cryanm89@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:03 AM  
**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** MARY CLAUS <truesantaclaus@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:18 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

When we bought our solar we paid tax on it, we now own it! Four utilities are trying to levy tax charges on us outside of established procedures. They should not be allowed to do this. A rate case is required. The commission should stick to their word. This smacks of lawlessness. Don't you think there has been a little too much of this kind of behavior. What are you thinking!

Follow the rules, play fair and stop taking what you do not have coming.

Sincerely,

MARY CLAUS

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:16 PM  
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**From:** stephen sherrill [<mailto:lkhunter468@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:03 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

My wife and I have a total of 6 kids and were looking to save money while helping the environment. If the rates are raised it would take all the savings away from this programs which isn't much any and make it not worth it to the general public. I know you all have special interest in heart and the rest of the public out there pretty much feels the same. This is your opportunity to show the general public and voters out there that that's not the case and you for the middle class. Thank you..

Sincerely,

stephen sherrill

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**From:** Dorothy Conner [<mailto:dorothyconner@msn.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:01 AM  
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Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Dorothy Conner

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**From:** DAVID SHEETS [<mailto:RHABBI2014@GMAIL.COM>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:59 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:58 AM  
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Dear Commissioner,

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

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Dear Commissioner,

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

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**Subject:** FW: Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Leticia Antillon  
Arizona Corporation Commission  
Utilities Divison  
Information Processing Specialist II  
Phone: 602-542-1855  
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**From:** Shanna Fowler [<mailto:smrwbfb@msm.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:57 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

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! Additional the committee members should represent the majority of people in this state and not corporate stake holders. Do why is right, what is fair, and what is legal please.

Sincerely,

Shanna Fowler

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Steve Abbott [<mailto:ttsabbott@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:57 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissionser,

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

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**From:** Joe Stevens [<mailto:stevenscasita@msn.com>]

**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:56 AM

**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox

**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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 be a natural in Arizona and should not be penalized. Thank you. Sincerely, Joe Stevens

Sincerely,

Joe Stevens

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Dan Williamson [<mailto:dan@dbmk.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:56 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

Sincerely,

Dan Williamson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:14 PM  
**To:** Forese-Web; Stump-Web; Little-Web; BitterSmith-Web; RBurns-Web  
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**From:** Juanita Hull-Carlson [<mailto:roycenita@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:55 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Patrice Welsh-Benjamin [<mailto:pwelsh25@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:52 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Dace Tapley [<mailto:dace.tapley@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:48 AM  
**To:** Utilities Div - Mailbox  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-0 1933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Commissioner,

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

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**From:** Shannon Williams <Williams.cabana@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:07 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please do not add a tax on those using clean energy

Sincerely,

Shannon Williams

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**From:** Carin Conlin <Carinconlin@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:04 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please protect the use of solar energy from the entities that want to attach extra fees to solar users. This is completely unfair.

The Commission should stand by their word and not let utilities raise rates outside proper venues.

Sincerely,

Carin Conlin

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**From:** ronald ghera <rmghera@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 12:02 PM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

please don't let them add more taxes to my life. I know you realize people are over taxed by a lot already.  
Vote NO.

R Ghera

Sincerely,

ronald ghera

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**From:** Jeff Simpson <jeffsimpson177@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:52 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Commisioners,

Please follow due process regarding utility fees including solar. Please keep all activities in the open.

Remember APS stands for Arizona PUBLIC Service, not Arizona SHAREHOLDER Service. Please serve the PUBLIC.

Sincerely,

Jeff Simpson

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Jeannette Nord <jnetty42@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:51 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to your word, the fair process for discussing solar rates is in a rate case.  
Please do not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue

Sincerely,

Jeannette Nord

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Kenneth & JoAnn Bierman <kbierman1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:49 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

We urge the ACC to not let utilities raise rates for solar or anything else outside of a public rate hearing.

Sincerely,

Kenneth & JoAnn Bierman

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Sue Shimer <swshimer@sbcglobal.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:47 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Four utilities are trying to levy charges on solar customers outside of established procedures. Utilities should not get special treatment to raise rates for solar.

All Commissioners, and APS, have stated that solar rates should be looked at in a rate case, which is the fair and accepted protocol for discussing rates. The Commission should keep their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

Sincerely,

Sue Shimer

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**From:** john reeves <john.reeves.nep@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:47 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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 , as a rate case.

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.

I ask that all Commissions should stick to their word and not let utilities raise rates outside of the proper venue.

thank you for your time,

john reeves  
marana az  
yes, i am a solar customer.

Sincerely,

john reeves

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Al Rockman <alandocrock@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:47 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Support expanded use of solar, especially in Az.  
Subsidize it, don't tax its use.

Sincerely,

Al Rockman

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Rhoda Shulman <Rhoda@shulmanfamily.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:46 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please uphold the American fair principles of competition . Solar should not be taxed. The utilities should not be given unfair advantage to raise rates without consumer input.

Sincerely,

Rhoda Shulman

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Christopher Pike <cnpike@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:46 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Christopher Pike

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**From:** Brooks Maschmeier <keally@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:45 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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.

Sincerely,

Brooks Maschmeier

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Judyth Shamosh <greenfingersherbal@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:44 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Judyth Shamosh

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**From:** John Spall <b-boppn57@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:43 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Talking Points:

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.

Sincerely,

John Spall

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**From:** Peter Johnson <Prjohnsonaz@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:43 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Wally Ebell <wally.ebell@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:42 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Wally Ebell

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Mike Simon <Mikesimon@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:39 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Eloise Lawrence <elawrence9@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:34 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** bob cunningham <sideways00711@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:27 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** David Stutsman <straittojunkmail@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:23 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Phil Bradley <awca@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:22 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Gwen Moore <9pz2gwen\_t@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:19 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Thomas McPherson <tmcpherson@fenixpcg.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:17 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Brian Nermyr <dakota100@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:16 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Commissioners.

Why would you consider giving another rate increase to APS? Destroying the solar business is both ludicrous and short sighted. APS has a responsibility to support and accelerate the use of solar energy. APS is a dinosaur in the age of energy renaissance. I use solar and it is a clean, efficient energy allowing me to use my earned dollars to spend on my family AND to support politicians who support solar.

Sincerely,

Brian Nermyr

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** JANE SWICEGOOD <janesgood@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:15 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

JANE SWICEGOOD

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Phil Roark <pwroark@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Lori Buhlman <lori.buhlman@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Ronald Wright <ronwright38@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:09 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

No rate increase

Sincerely,

Ronald Wright

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** kenneth feintuch <kentuc@netzero.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:08 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Hugh Phillips <hphillips16@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:07 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Hugh Phillips

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Lu Horton <lulu11412000@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 11:07 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Lu Horton

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Denny Lensegrav <majorpapa1@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:59 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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,

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Dennis Lensegrav  
17626 N Coconino Dr  
Surprise, AZ 85374

Sincerely,

Denny Lensegrav

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**From:** Jason Zeller <Jzeller150@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:58 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Jason Zeller

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Brian Beitman <BBeitman@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** nancy warthan <skipalong1@hughes.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

keep your word

Sincerely,

nancy warthan

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Dot W. <dotspott@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:55 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please consider raising rates on all consumers NOT using solar; the increase would be much less per user, and would encourage the use of an alternative energy source.

Sincerely,

Dot W.

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Spencer Hunter <shunter@u.arizona.edu>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Dan Heaton <cyberloon@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:53 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Dan Heaton

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Bernadine Helriegel <bernmar@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:49 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** jeff hartig <rosencrantz@cox.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:49 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** James Stoll <jrs49@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:48 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please keep your word regarding everyone should follow proper procedures. This is very critical regarding trust and keeping faith in our democratic system.

We see too many exceptions that only benefit a few. We have a good system and please keep it that way.

Thanks,

Jim Stoll

Sincerely,

James Stoll

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Dave Haycock <espdave@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:48 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Mark Walters <markonesolar@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:43 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

I meet a lot of people in my work and the subject of solar, the utilities and the ACC come up quite often. So far, I have not met anyone who believes what the utilities are trying to do is fair or justified. I hope you will take the high ground to protect the solar industry from this dastardly money grab effort by the utilities.

Sincerely,  
Mark Walters

Sincerely,  
Mark Walters

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Matt Herrman <mateoboneo@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:43 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Noelle Everhart <Noelle531@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:42 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** matthew Bonnstetter <matthewlb@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:41 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Nik Shehaj <nik@trismartsolar.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:41 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Thomas Hughes <tomphughes@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:39 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Stephen Gray <gr8stay@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:38 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Stephen Gray

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** vince Dorsey <vinced751@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:36 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Let Solar grow..leave it alone

Sincerely,

vince Dorsey

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Chris Uhls <uhls1986@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:33 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Chris Uhls

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Morgan Stine <morgan@greeneearthenergyinc.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:32 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith and other commissioners,

Please do not discuss or take action on increasing the solar tax credit unless it is in the venue of a rate case. I would like to participate and have waited for the rate case to spend my limited time participating in the discussions.

Thank you,

Morgan Stine  
NABCEP certified PV professional, 51112-178

Sincerely,

Morgan Stine

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Becky Lombard <becky.lombard@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:31 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to your word.

Sincerely,

Becky Lombard

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Mark Volner <mvsc\_ca@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:27 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Keavin Grob <Kdkeg@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:27 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Shamefull tactics when considering Solar rates!

Sincerely,

Keavin Grob

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Keavin Grob <Kdkeg@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:26 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Shamefull tactics when considering Solar rates!

Sincerely,

Keavin Grob

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**From:** Rosanne Couston <rosannemargaret@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:25 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Donald Scholtz <donscholtz@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:23 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Tania Malven <tmalven@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:19 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Don't screw around with solar customers! Follow procedures already set. Utility companies should NOT get to make changes outside of rate cases!!!!

Sincerely,

Tania Malven

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Eugene Rider <stewballrider@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:16 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

Please stick to your word, and only discuss solar rates in the proper venue - a rate case. This allows for due process and for the ACC to evaluate all rates together.

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!

Sincerely,

Eugene Rider

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Amalia Benson bodkin <amaliathree@hotmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:16 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Tom Hicks <hickst@theriver.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:12 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

## Teresa Tenbrink

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**From:** Robert Alpbert <ralpbert@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:10 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Anthony Reeves <areeves@cableone.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:10 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

**Teresa Tenbrink**

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**From:** Eve Shapiro <shapiroe@u.arizona.edu>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:08 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Jack Grenard <jackgrenard1462@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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.

Sincerely,

Jack Grenard

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**From:** Cathy Morgan <gjcvmor@yahoo.com>  
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**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Cathy Morgan

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**From:** Dutch Hollaender <dutchhollaender@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM  
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**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Juanita Colucci <juanita@eclectic-resources.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:07 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Paul Robinson <paulr82450@live.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:06 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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.

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- 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

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**From:** Chad Kennedy <drchadkennedy@yahoo.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:05 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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 future of distributed power generation.

All the best,

Dr. Chad Kennedy

Sincerely,

Chad Kennedy

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**From:** CRAIG MURPHY <cryanm89@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:03 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** stephen sherrill <lkhunter468@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:03 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

My wife and I have a total of 6 kids and were looking to save money while helping the environment. If the rates are raised it would take all the savings away from this programs which isn't much any and make it not worth it to the general public. I know you all have special interest in heart and the rest of the public out there pretty much feels the same. This is your opportunity to show the general public and voters out there that that's not the case and you for the middle class. Thank you..

Sincerely,

stephen sherrill

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**From:** Dorothy Conner <dorthyconner@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 10:00 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Dorothy Conner

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**From:** DAVID SHEETS <RHABBI2014@GMAIL.COM>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:59 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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 INFRASTRUCTURE. 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

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**From:** Bobbie Howard <bchoward123@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:58 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Rachel Mobley <rachel.mobley@comcast.net>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:58 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Shanna Fowler <smrwbf@msm.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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 stakeholders. Do what is right, what is fair, and what is legal please.

Sincerely,

Shanna Fowler

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**From:** Steve Abbott <ttsabbott@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:57 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Joe Stevens <stevenscasita@msn.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:56 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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 be a natural in Arizona and should not be penalized. Thank you. Sincerely, Joe Stevens

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Joe Stevens

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**From:** Dan Williamson <dan@dbmk.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:56 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

Sincerely,

Dan Williamson

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**From:** Juanita Hull-Carlson <roycenita@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:54 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Patrice Welsh-Benjamin <pwelsh25@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:52 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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

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**From:** Dace Tapley <dace.tapley@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, June 12, 2015 9:48 AM  
**To:** BitterSmith-Web  
**Subject:** Trico: Docket No. E-01461A-15-0057 SSVEC: E-01575A-15-0127 APS: 13-0248 TEP: E-01933A-15-0100 UNS:

Dear Chairman Bitter Smith,

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