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# Memorandum

From the office of Chairman Doug Little

**Arizona Corporation Commission** 

1200 W. WASHINGTON PHOENIX, ARIZONA (602) 542-0745

TO:

**Docket Control** 

DATE:

April 20, 2016

FROM:

Chairman Doug Little's Office

SUBJECT:

Docket No. E-04204A-15-0142

Arizona Corporation Commission

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Chairman Little's office received 150 emails referencing the above Docket Number. The emails can be viewed either in Docket, or on the website via the eDocket link.

From:

James Hays <jamesrhays@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:04 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

Docket# E-04204A-15-0142. Please Reject UNS Energy's proposal

Dear Chairman Little,

I strongly urge you to reject UNS Energy's recent proposal to impose demand charges and eliminate net metering.

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Sincerely,

James Hays

13025 W. Larkspur Rd 13025 W. Larkspur Rd El Mirage, AZ 85335

From:

Alex Turner <aturner\_usn@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:44 AM

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Sincerely,

Alex Turner

5744 W Plum Rd Phoenix, AZ 85083

From:

Howard Johnson <hljmesa@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:34 AM

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

**Howard Johnson** 

2329 N Recker Road Unit 49 Mesa, AZ 85215

From:

Francis Breitweiser < Dbreit1950@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:16 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

### Dear Chairman Little,

This a company that is 70% own by Canadian.

This company is out to kill solar and gauge the people that are on their grid.

They own 1 power plant and by buy power from other power suppliers this increase and the way it is structured will kill solar jobs and stop solar power in their service area.it will also put undo hardship on people who retired and low income.

If you people allow this , then it won't look good for the commission or the state of az.

It is time that

It is time for the state, the commission and we the people to tell big business that we rule.

Uns proposal will not create jobs only kill them.

I purge You to vote against this.

Thank you

Sincerely,

Francis Breitweiser

3655 sunny point drive 3655 sunny point drive Lake havasu, AZ 86406

From:

Jeanne Keen <jkeen63@yahoo.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Jeanne Keen

10485 W. Mission Dr/P.O. Box 1736 10485 W. Mission Dr/P.O. Box 1736 Arizona City, AZ 85123

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Charles Brown < Huntmasternrown@yahoo.com>

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Sincerely,

**Charles Brown** 

2337wallapai ave Kingman, AZ

From:

Charles Goff <hollygoff@yahoo.com>

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**Charles Goff** 

9788 E Windy Pass Trail Gold Canyon, AZ 85118

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Deirdre Simmons <deirdrels@yahoo.com>

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Sincerely,

**Deirdre Simmons** 

2183 East Balboa Drive Tempe, AZ 85282

From:

Toby Irons <tobyirons@gmail.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 20, 2016 9:08 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

**Toby Irons** 

8649 N. Lucretia Mott Rd McNeal, AZ 85617

From:

Holly Reilly <hjreilly48@gmail.com> Wednesday, April 20, 2016 9:22 AM

Sent: To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

We paid a lot of money for our solar panels. We did it for the environment and to save money on our electric bill. I strongly urge you to reject UNS Energy's recent proposal to impose demand charges and eliminate net metering. Do not undo what the populace is in the process of doing.

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Sincerely,

Holly Reilly

PO Box 1028 Prescott, AZ 86302

From:

Shirley Muney <smuney2k@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 4:46 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

**Shirley Muney** 

3479 N. Nandina Lane 3479 N. Nandina Lane Tucson, AZ 85712

From:

John Williams < rikipere@aol.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 4:43 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Please reject UNS's (and any other Utility's) proposed "demand charges" and elimination of "net metering" on the grounds that this type of proposal is anti-consumer and serves only to raise ratepayers' bills while protecting the utility's "monopoly" position.

"Demand charges" AMBUSH ratepayers, who only know when their "peak demand" has been set AFTER THE FACT! Ratepayers should be charged for the energy they ACTUALLY USE, not AMBUSHED with exorbitant charges based upon a utility-selected short period within a month.

In addition, "net metering" is VITAL to preserving the ability of ratepayers to go to solar or other power producing sources, and protecting thousands of jobs. "Net metering" is a FAIR policy that creates jobs and preserves consumer energy choices.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

John Williams

22907 N Puma Ct Sun City West, AZ 85375

From:

Harry Lantz <ocot1llo@aol.com> Tuesday, April 19, 2016 4:25 PM

Sent: To:

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Sincerely,

Harry Lantz

17633 W Ocotillo Rd 17633 W Ocotillo Rd Waddell, AZ 85355

From:

Mike Penne < Elkhunter@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 3:26 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Mike Penne

3600 yucca dr Lake havasu city, AZ 86404

From:

Paul Koehler <koehleraz@gmail.cm>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 2:56 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

Eight years ago, making an investment in rooftop solar energy was promoted in AZ. We expected no penalties for making the investment and participating in the use of solar energy. We would ask that our commitment be honored. SRP expects us to honor our monthly financial use of energy. Why is it now morphing to a one way street for big business?

Sincerely,

Paul Koehler

10910 E Twilight Drive Sun Lakes, AZ 85248

From:

Gary Herzog < Gary.herzog@yahoo.com>

Sent:

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To:

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I spent \$40,000 on solar to reduce my electric bills through net billing. I STRONGLY APPOSE the rate height structure being proposed by UNS!

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Gary Herzog

2439 Clarke Plaza Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403

From:

Brandon Guerra <azsightsound01@yahoo.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Brandon Guerra

7522 W Tierra Buena Ln Peoria, AZ 85382

From:

Janilyn Harding < Janilynaz@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:58 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Janilyn Harding

1237 w Ellis Mesa, AZ 85201

From:

Debbie Yin <debbieyin2002@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:52 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

I urge the Arizona Corporation Commission to reject Unisource's double assault on consumer choice. Demand charges are not the answer. Net metering is working in Arizona. Represent the voice of the people, not of utility monopolies.

Sincerely,

Debbie Yin

14219 N Desert Flower Dr Fountain Hills, AZ 85268

From: Candee Wright <candeewright@yahoo.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:52 PM

To: Little-Web

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Dear Chairman Little,

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It is fair to charge a rate and pay per use not what I use my highest time. Solar should not pay any more either.

Candee Wright Kingman, AZ 86401

Sincerely,

Candee Wright

2624 Triangle S St Kingman, AZ 86401

From:

Jon Puckett < Jons69mach1@yahoo.com>

Sent:

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Thank you for your time. Also rates should be reduced as they were increased when fuel prices went way up, they are now back down for some time.

Sincerely,

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3450 Oro Grande Blvd. 101 Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406

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Gary Herzog < Gary.herzog@yahoo.com>

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Rooftop solar saves \$5k per house in capital outlay for power plants and saves ongoing power production costs. Those savings more than pay for any accommodations required.

No new charges (taxes), smaller utilities (government), keep Arizona Republican/Libertarian.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Douglas DiSabatino

1903 North Evergreen St Chandler, AZ 85225

From:

Fred Chalfin <azfchalfin@yahoo.com>

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YOU HAVE TO DETERMINE WHETHER YOU REPRESENT THE PEOPLE OR THE ELECTRIC UTILITIES. UNS' PROPOSAL IS DEFINITELY ANTI-PEOPLE AND IS WRONG ON SO MANY LEVELS.

Sincerely,

Fred Chalfin

12802 S. 40th Place Phoenix, AZ 85044-3903

From:

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**Gwen St James** 

9567 W Frank Ave Peoria, AZ 85382

From:

william Jonas <williamijonas@yahoo.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Dear Chairman Little,

I and my wife oppose this type of confusing rate practice of taking the highest usage moment in the month and calculating from that to bill customers.

its like filling a swimming pool and the water company taking that usage and using that as the daily average and billing from that.

this is what the utility is trying to do with electricity, this is not right, unfair and unethical.

Sincerely,

william Jonas

11209 E. Roselle Ave Mesa, AZ 85212-4164

From:

Henry Twombly <oooanon@yahoo.com>

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I absolutely support solar energy use for anyone who desires it for the good of our environment and world.

I oppose any legislation the would restrict or inhibit anyone from installing solar, wind or any other type of environmentally safe energy.

Demaurol Tryon Sr. Phoenix, AZ 85029

Sincerely,

Demaurol Tryon Sr.

4001 W. Cortez St Phoenix, AZ 85029-3028

From:

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From:

Neal Dederich < neal.fourboyz@cox.net>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Neal Dederich

13821 N40th Ave Phx., AZ

From:

Larry Rippenkroeger <stuntripper@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 20, 2016 7:08 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

Docket# E-04204A-15-0142. I oppose UNS's proposal

Dear Chairman Little,

Please reject UNS proposed demand charges and elimination of net metering. This change would only serve to raise bills while protecting the utility monopoly.

I moved from California to get away from ridiculous over-regulations and corrupt government officials. I would like to see my tax dollars continue to go to Arizona. Ratepayers should be charged for the energy they use, not ambushed with exorbitant charges based on a short period within a month.

In addition, I just had a solar electric system installed on my home. Net metering was vital to making that decision. It preserves the ability of ratepayers to go solar and protects thousands of jobs. Net metering is a fair policy that creates jobs, gives consumers energy choice and helps provide the U.S. with more clean energy.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Larry Rippenkroeger

Lake Havasu, AZ 86404

From:

D.E. Whitcomb < diamondd22@earthlink.net>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 20, 2016 6:32 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

Please stop UNS from imposing confusing, excessive charges on customers. I support renewable, sustainable energy, like solar. The ACC should do whatever it can to support it as well.

Sincerely,

D.E. Whitcomb

255 E Jacinto Tucson, AZ 85705

From:

Stanley Listzwan <stanaz51@cox.net>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

Stanley Listzwan

9909 e creek st TUCSON, AZ 85716

From:

david bowling <davebowling40@gmail.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

david bowling

888 Paso Dr Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406

From:

RICHARD TUCKER < there42nhaha@cox.net>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 20, 2016 1:55 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

**RICHARD TUCKER** 

9863 W Salter Drive Peoria, AZ 85382

From:

Kay Lowe <saki13@att.net>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 20, 2016 1:17 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Kay Lowe

3820 E 117th Avenue Thornton, CO 80233

From:

Michael Fiflis <fiflaw@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:20 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

Docket# E-04204A-15-0142. I oppose UNS's proposal

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Please reject UNS's proposed demand charges and elimination of net metering. These requests are anti-consumer and serve to protect the utility monopoly.

Demand charges unfairly ambush ratepayers who can only know when peak demand has been set after the fact. Ratepayers should be charged for the energy they use, not ambushed with exorbitant charges based on a short period within a month.

In addition, net metering is vital to preserving the ability and choice of ratepayers to go solar. Contrary to utility propaganda, net metering is a fair policy that creates jobs and gives consumers energy choice.

Sincerely,

Michael Fiflis

7454 E. Camino Rayo de Luz Scottsdale, AZ 85266

From: Doug Ayers <drdouglasa@hotmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:14 PM

To: Little-Web

Subject: Docket# E-04204A-15-0142. I oppose UNS's proposal

Dear Chairman Little.

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Many studies have shown, time and again, that net metering and distributed solar that it supports; deliver real monetary and other benefits to both solar customers AND non-solar customers alike. Don't fall for the common utility argument to the contrary - remember, utilities are NOT objective entities when it comes to the imposition of solar fees and net metering changes!

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Sincerely,

**Doug Ayers** 

8045 N Higgins Feather Dr Tucson, AZ 85743

From:

Mark Mulligan < Markrobertmulligan@uahoo.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:31 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Mark Mulligan

2115 e woodman dr Tempe, AZ 85283

From:

Patricia Orlinski <br/>
<br/>bikerpat@mindspring.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:28 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Sincerely,

Patricia Orlinski

10511 W. Kingswood Circle Sun City, AZ 85351

From:

Eugene Lewin < lasparky11@sbcglobal.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 9:56 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Eugene Lewin

6931 W Mayberry Trail Peoria, AZ 85383

From:

George Ribelin < george.ribelin@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 8:46 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely,

George Ribelin

2850 S BLUE RANCH ROAD 2850 S BLUE RANCH ROAD COTTONWOOD, AZ 86326

From:

Rodney Smith < rodneyleesmith@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 8:32 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

**Rodney Smith** 

9206 e palm tree dr tucson, AZ 85710

From: Joan Hutcheson <jhutcheson@frontiernet.net>

Sent: Tuesday, April 19, 2016 7:07 PM

To: Little-Web

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Sincerely,

Joan Hutcheson

3330 El Dorado Ave N Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406

From:

Jerald Templeton <sculptfingers@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 6:28 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

Stop trying to suck more money from citizens families when the public is hurting enough as it is to make ends meet!

Sincerely,

Jerald Templeton

12141 n 85th dr 12141 n 85th dr Peoria, AZ 85345

From:

Sara Gaetz <sgaetz10@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 6:02 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Sara Gaetz

444 W Calle Sombra Linda Sahuarita, AZ 85629

From:

Thaddeus Andreski < tandreski@cox.net>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Thaddeus Andreski

26264 West Runion Lane 26264 West Runion Lane Buckeye, AZ 85396

From:

Barbara Hirt < ragalyi-hirt@esedona.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 5:19 PM

To:

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Barbara Hirt

65 Courthouse Butte Rd Sedona, AZ 86351

From:

John Ebel <jackebel@gmail.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 20, 2016 8:50 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

John Ebel

21 Jensen Ave Chelmsford, MA 01824

From:

Anna Dent` < befriendz@aol.com>

Sent:

Friday, April 15, 2016 7:50 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

It is extremely for a state with as much steady sunshine to not have a goal of being a world leader in solar energy. We would be passing up prosperity for AZ citizens. Don't be stupid. Let us lead in solar!

Sincerely,

Anna Dent`

6457 E Broadway Mesa, AZ 85206

From:

Linda Nelson <woodnit@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, April 15, 2016 4:44 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Linda Nelson

1330 Griffin dr Lake Havasu City, AZ 86404

From:

jon mongiat <j.mongiat@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, April 15, 2016 6:38 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

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jon mongiat

3625 sunshine drive Kingman, AZ 86409

From:

betty Deal <dealarizona@earthlink.net>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

betty Deal

7359 w rancho drive glendale, AZ 85303

From: Patrick Blanton <plblanton@me.com>
Sent: Saturday, April 16, 2016 7:49 AM

To: Little-Web

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Patrick Blanton

2735 E Cannon Dr Phoenix, AZ 85028-3722

From:

D Anthony Leiterman < Legolas 2030@me.com>

Sent:

Sunday, April 17, 2016 9:38 AM

To:

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D Anthony Leiterman

14919 N 174th Lane Surprise, AZ 85388

From:

Dalene Brown <route66redhead@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Sunday, April 17, 2016 10:20 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

Nevada is a POOR state to emulate. Don't screw us!

Sincerely,

Dalene Brown

701 W. Hillview St Winslow, AZ, AZ 86047

From:

Brian Zemojtel <zem40@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Sunday, April 17, 2016 8:48 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

UniSource's proposed rate change

2931 Indian Springs Drive Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406 April 17, 2016

## Doug Little-Chairman

Arizona Corporation Commission Commissioners Wing 1200 W. Washington - 2nd Floor Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Dear Chairman Little,

I have been a resident of Lake Havasu City, AZ since 1998 and a home owner since 2000. I am writing in opposition to UniSource's proposed rate change, in regards to docket #15-0142.

My family's greatest concern is the "grandfathered" date of rooftop solar systems purchased by homeowners prior to June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015. To allow UniSource to use this arbitrary and unfair date would be at the most illegal and at the very least unethical. When we purchased our solar system, we were doing so under the agreement UniSource and solar customers had at that time. If the Unisource proposal goes into effect, at the very least, the "grandfather" clause toward solar owners should be from the moment the proposal is approved.

We believe we did all the right things in making the investment in solar. Not only are we doing this for our own financial future, but we believed we were doing our part for the environment. After years of research and meeting with multiple companies, we made the decision to purchase a "100% replacement" rooftop solar replacement system in September of 2015. After securing multiple quotes from various businesses, we decided to contract with Esmay Electric/SunPower here in Lake Havasu City, AZ. They are a long-time, well-respected family-owned company, and we trust their local business and their employees.

In September of 2015, we purchased 38 solar modules, at a cost of \$46,115.46, and "went live" with UniSource with our solar net-meter in November of 2015. We made a large down payment of \$10,300 on this system from our savings account. We then financed the remaining approximately \$36,000, taking care to keep our monthly solar loan payment at the same amount as our current average UniSource electric bill (approximately \$180/month). By doing this, we kept our "out of pocket" cost for electricity the same each month. At the time, we made this investment decision for our family with the understanding that after the 12-year loan period is up, we would have little to no monthly electric bill as we head into retirement.

Had we known what UniSource was proposing, and if we had known that we would not be able to keep our solar net-metering in the same rate-structure as the "before June 1st of 2015" solar customers get, we would never have purchased the solar system that we did in the fall of 2015.

For UniSource to create the "June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2015 retroactive date" for solar customers' net-metering to be "grandfathered in" is unacceptable. Unisource and Esmay's customers were sold into a contract without making it common public knowledge that this net-metering reward would end months after our system went live.

If there is to be a rooftop solar "grandfathered in" date, at the very least, it needs to be starting at a point when this current court decision is made. I understand life isn't fair, but as citizens, we are all responsible for making

it just and ethical. The Commission and UniSource need to find not only a legal and fair solution, but also a just and ethical solution to this problem.

Thank you very much for your time and attention to this extremely critical matter.

Sincerely,

Brian Zemojtel Educator Homeowner since 2000

From:

Abrena Winston < Winab57@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, April 18, 2016 6:25 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Abrena Winston

249 E laurel Av 249 E laurel Av Gilbert, AZ 85234

From:

Donald Peterson < Dnpeterson52@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, April 18, 2016 8:26 AM

To:

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**Donald Peterson** 

16130 N Montoya Dr Surprise, AZ 85374

From: Doug Reichert <dreichert2@gmail.com>

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Sincerely,

**Doug Reichert** 

4817 E Hobart St Mesa, AZ 85205

From:

Ronald Faut <Rfaut@cox.net> Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:10 AM

Sent: To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Sincerely,

Ronald Faut

1520 N Paseo Cerca Green Valley, AZ 85614

From:

Devidayal Khalsa <music@invinciblemusic.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:08 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

Why is Arizona being surpassed by Germany in use of solar technology for our power needs? Please make clean affordable solar a higher priority in your decisions for our future.

Sincerely,

Devidayal Khalsa

834 E Cambridge Phoenix, AZ 85006

From:

Dennis Brydon <den1shan1@outlook.com>

Sent:

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Dennis Brydon

8387 N Pepperbox Rd Prescott Valley, AZ 86315

From:

Wayne Johnson < wjohnson270@cox.net>

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Wayne Johnson

6386 W. Greenbriar Dr Glendale, AZ 85308-3610

From:

Keith Wolma <keithwolma@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Keith Wolma

3537 E Bartlett Place 3537 E Bartlett Place Chandler, AZ 85249

From: Sent: Dr. Peter Ryers <br/>
<br/>biz@pnj89.net><br/>
Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:07 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Dr. Peter Ryers

2239 S. Box Canyon Trail Flagstaff, AZ 86005

From:

Thomas Bone <tbsteakman@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:04 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Thomas Bone

3947 East Harmony Avenue Mesa, AZ 85206

From:

Steven Lesh <world2steven@q.com>

Sent:

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From:

Joseph Fleischmann < jflash1@verizon.net>

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Sincerely,

Joseph Fleischmann

2635 San Juan Drive Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403

From:

Edward Kennedy <edkenne@gmail.com>

Sent:

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**Edward Kennedy** 

900 W GROVE PARKWAY 900 W GROVE PARKWAY Tempe, AZ 85283

From:

marc wenning <mwenn1@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:01 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

marc wenning

28816 N Blossom Road San Tan Valley, AZ 85143

From:

Russell Horneyer <russellhorneyer@mac.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:01 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Russell Horneyer

600 El Camino Road Sedona, AZ 86336

From:

Nicholas Acciardo <nacciardo@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, April 18, 2016 6:43 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

As I see it...Unisource is asking the ACC for "demand charges", an extra high charge on your bill tied to using energy-heavy appliances at the same time, almost impossible to control! If your oven and washing machine are on at the same time, you get slapped with a high charge. If your AC kicks on at the same time you're blowdrying your hair, you get slapped with a high charge.

What is this criminal act which is being portrayed on the citizens of Arizona? It can not happen!!!

I ask you to not vote this CRAZY term into effect.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

11243 So. Santa Margarita Lane Goodyear, AZ 85338

From:

blmagnusson@aol.com

Sent:

Monday, April 18, 2016 12:06 PM

To:

Little-Web; forest-web@azcc.gov; Stump-Web; RBurns-Web; Tobin-Web

Subject:

Docket E-04204A-15-0142

#### Gentlemen:

We oppose UNS Electric's proposal to adopt demand charges. We believe that individual solar users, by producing power at their homes, add significant value to the overall power grid. An increase in basic service charges has the potential to adversely affect lower-income customers, to limit the ability of some customers to install rooftop solar, and to unfairly target existing solar customers.

Please reject UNS Electric's proposal to adopt demand charges.

Barbara and Larry Magnusson 16496 W Sheridan St Goodyear, AZ 85395

From:

Jeff Goswick <jeff.goswick@ieee.org>

Sent:

Monday, April 18, 2016 11:46 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

Really.... Be reasonable.

Sincerely,

Jeff Goswick

820 E Desert Trumpet Rd Phoenix, AZ 85048

From:

Andre Pernet <apernet1@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:20 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Andre Pernet

4845 N Camino Escuela 4845 N Camino Escuela tucson, AZ 85718

From:

Ken Nickell <kjnickell@q.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:19 AM

To:

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I am the pastor of a church and since we are considered a commercial user we deal with demand charges. It is unconscionable that a company can charge us over \$8.00/Kw for the 15 minute period when we go beyond our demand limit. We are a small church with a solar system. Our bill is usually just the administrative charges for we produce more electricity than we use. During July, August and September our bill goes to over \$300 a month, solely because we go slightly over our demand limit. We pay over \$300 for 15 minutes of electricity. In what world does that make any kind of sense. Yet it is extremely clear that only a monopoly can get away with this and your job is to protect the consumer from these abuses by monopolies.

It is also unconscionable that we have no say in how the demand level is set. It does not cost the power company any more to produce that electricity during that 15 minutes than any other time. It is very clearly and simply a way to make an exorbitant amount of money. Now to put that burden on the residential customer is absolutely absurd. I think the commission will find terrible consequences will result if you allow UNS to do this. Up to this point most of the issues in this area have been dealing with a small part of the public. But when every residential customer gets their surprise bill that is far more than they normally pay I believe the Commission will certainly hear about it.

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Ken Nickell

2330 S. BUCKBOARD TR COTTONWOOD, AZ 86326

From:

Janet Schieber <schieber@cableone.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:16 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

I am a registered republican and a huge supporter of rooftop solar. I believe that utilities are trying to kill solar in Arizona because they fear it. Instead they should be embracing it and finding ways to incorporate it into their businesses. I would like to see Arizona become the Solar capital of the US. I think this would bring us more positive publicity and businesses to Arizona. Please don't let the utilities kill solar in Arizona. I think it would be very bad for our state.

Sincerely,

Janet Schieber

157 N. French Dr Prescott, AZ 86303

From:

Bobbie Howard < bchoward123@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:14 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

I have installed solar panels so I can use free power from the Sun and to do my part to combat climate change. Why should I (or anyone else) be penalized for doing the right thing???

You are supposed to protect the public - not the big corporations.

Sincerely,

**Bobbie Howard** 

9783 E Hidden Green Dr 9783 E Hidden Green Dr Scottsdale, AZ 85262

From:

nancy warthan <skipalong2u@gmail.com>

Sent:

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To:

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nancy warthan

box 2066 arizona city arizona city, AZ 85123

From:

mitch weiss < mkhweiss@1791.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:13 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

mitch weiss

1891 SENTINEL DR LAKE HAVASU CITY, AZ

From:

Henry Mailloux <a href="mailloux@cox.net">hbmailloux@cox.net</a>

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Sincerely,

Henry Mailloux

15942 West Merrell Street Goodyear, AZ 85395

From:

Terry McIver <tractormike21@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:58 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Terry McIver

38212 N. 23rd Drive Phoenix, AZ 85086

From:

Karen Bond <kafibo7@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:58 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Karen Bond

6699 2nd St Jupiter, FL 33458

From:

Sara Gibson <sara7gib@mac.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:55 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

As a mother and physician who cares about the future of our state and children....Please reject UNS proposed demand charges and elimination of net metering on the grounds that it is anti-consumer and serves to raise bills while protecting the utility monopoly.

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Sincerely,

Sara Gibson

2100 N Fremont Blvd Flagstaff, AZ 86001

From:

Regina Johnston < Johnston.reggie@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:52 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Regina Johnston

15806 n. 110th Ave Sun city, AZ 85351

From:

David Maywald <cozonie@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:52 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Solar rooftop is been under attack by the electric companies when they should be working with us. Arizona is the last place in the USA where restrictions on solar should occur.

Sincerely,

David Maywald

16776 W Bristol Ln 16776 W Bristol Ln Surprise, AZ 85374

From:

Alisa McMahon < mcfif@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:50 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely,

Alisa McMahon

7454 E. Camino Rayo de Luz Scottsdale, AZ 85266

From:

John Durr <johnboyaz68@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:50 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Please let solar thrive in the desert. Let's be the leader in this together.

Sincerely,

John Durr

18445 W. Tere St 18445 W. Tere St Goodyear, AZ 85338

From:

Craig Murphy < cryanm89@gmail.com>

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Craig Murphy

1542 East Ebony Place Chandler, AZ 85286

From:

Gary Sprunk < Gary Sprunk@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:46 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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205 Sunset Dr., Lot 113 Sedona, AZ 86336-5436

From: Greg Fahr < gfahr@fahrassociates.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:38 AM

To: Little-Web

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Greg Fahr

4901 e sunrise dr 107 tucson, AZ 85718

From: Janet Zampieri <jlz@psconsult.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:37 AM

To: Little-Web

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Sincerely,

Janet Zampieri

3125 W Mockingbird Ln 3125 W Mockingbird Ln Tucson, AZ 85713

From:

Kenneth Nield <kennield@msn.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:34 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Kenneth Nield

1901 N 125th LN Avondale, AZ 85392

From:

JohnMichael Flatley < Mykle1@cox.net>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

JohnMichael Flatley

1354 E Flower St Phoenix, AZ 85014

From:

Kenneth & JoAnn Bierman < kbierman1@gmail.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

Kenneth & JoAnn Bierman

2926 N Mountain Creek Way 2926 N Mountain Creek Way Tucson, AZ 85745

From:

Allan & Olga Kruger <aok@frontier.com>

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1316 W. Skyline Dr Eagar, AZ 85925-9606

From: John Brady <tombrady45@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:31 AM

**To:** Little-Web

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Sincerely,

John Brady

6022 N 10th Way Phoenix, AZ 85014-1933

From: JOHN CAVALLO <br/>
bcavallo4@cox.net> Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:28 AM

To: Little-Web

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JOHN CAVALLO

3081 north 159 th Drive goodyear AR 85395

From:

Linda Harrington < Lindaharrington 9@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Linda Harrington

P O Box 68084 Oro Valley, AZ 85737

From: Nicholas Acciardo < nacciardo@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 19, 2016 10:25 AM

To: Little-Web

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Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

11243 So. Santa Margarita Ln

From:

paul lupo < lupo86301@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:02 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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paul lupo

11052 e turquoise circle dewey AZ 86327

From:

Judy Judy martin < jamlwm@me.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:02 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

Please re-evaluate your rate increase proposal. We oppose the rate increase.

Sincerely,

Judy Judy martin

211 Adobe Dr Lake Havadu City, AZ 86403

From:

Judith Salzman <judiths345@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:04 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

People who want solar should NOT be penalized!!! Corporations should NOT be running this country! Solar is the right of everyone to have renewable energy using the sun.

Sincerely,

Judith Salzman

3262 S. Lakeside Ridge Loop Tucson, AZ 85730

From:

Holly Hand < rodwickhand@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Holly Hand

26609 N 71st Pl Scottsdale, AZ 85266

From:

mike larsen <mikelmike626@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:05 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

quit trying to steal from a city residence

Sincerely,

mike larsen

3101 tomtom dr havasu city, AZ 86406

From:

Ronald Drake < headduck2@cableone.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:08 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely,

Ronald Drake

7405 N Bridle Path Prescott, 86305

From: Carrie Darling <carrielynned@gmail.com>

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Sincerely,

Carrie Darling

18032 N 2nd Street Phoenix, AZ 85022

From:

Deb Sparrow <think1-mail@usa.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:08 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

Please take action to support the solar industry

Dear Chairman Little,

If the Arizona Corporation Commission maintains the practice of net metering, it aids in destroying a nascent industry that will help our state make it through the big changes that are happening right now. Have you noticed Peabody Coal's bankruptcy? This is no time to rest on our laurels and act as if the past will always be our present.

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**Deb Sparrow** 

1715 S La Rosa Dr Tempe, AZ 85281-6820

From:

Quentin Lewton < Qlewton@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Quentin Lewton

PO Box 207 Sonoita, AZ 85637

From: Barry D'Orazio <bgdorazio@gmail.com>

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:40 AM

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Barry D'Orazio

7717 N Siesta Sunset Ln Prescott Valley, AZ 86315-7815

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Virginia Aguilar

3025 E 18th St Tucson, AZ 85716

From:

Tom Edwards <tompenn70@cox.net>

Sent:

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Tom Edwards

122 E.Piping Rock Rd 122 E.Piping Rock Rd Phoenix, AZ 85022

From:

Mariamne Moore <mariamne@cox.net>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

Mariamne Moore

125 E Carter Rd 125 E Carter Rd Phoenix, AZ 85042

From:

Alicia Wolma <aliciawolma2012@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 1:04 PM

To:

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Alicia Wolma

Chandler, AZ

From:

kenneth lane < lildufer@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:58 PM

To:

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Subject:

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kenneth lane

3229 W. Morse Dr 3229 W. Morse Dr Anthem, AZ 85086

From:

Steve Scheumann <sscheumann@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:40 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

I oppose UNS's proposal, regarding Docket# E-04204A-15-0142

Dear Chairman Little,

I oppose the demand charge as proposed, since using energy-heavy appliances at the same time is, almost impossible to control for. If the proposal was a higher charge for electricity if you went above a certain usage rate during a fixed peak load time frame, then customers could adjust their usage if they choose to.

I also know net metering is working well, as I am a solar customer on a net metering plan with my utility. Why change something that is not broken?

Sincerely,

Steve Scheumann

4024 S Paiute Way Sierra Vista, AR 85650

From:

Doug Myers <bldeddedocox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:34 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Doug Myers

8943 W Patrick Ln peoria, AZ 85383

From:

JOSEPH DLUGOSZ < JOESPHOTOS@LIVE.COM>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:28 PM

To:

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JOSEPH DLUGOSZ

45 REDROCK RD SEDONA, AZ 86351

From:

J. Shamosh < Greenfingersherbal@gmail.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

J. Shamosh

3104 E. Camelback Road Phoenix, AZ 85016

From:

Steve Antonsen <steveninsurprise@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 12:01 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Steve Antonsen

15530 n 159 ct Surprise, AZ 85374

From:

Eloise Lawrence <elawrence9@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:44 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Enough with taxing the sun!

Sincerely,

Eloise Lawrence

3302 East Mountain View Road Phoenix, AZ 85028

From:

Joan Weinberg <Jmw880@comcast.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:43 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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PO box 66077 Tucson, AZ 85728

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While I'm not a UNS electric customer, this case is precedent setting and its outcome will affect APS rates. I understand that utilities need to be fairly compensated for their role as peak use supplier, demand charges however is not the way to do it.

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Peter Baenziger

255 Madole Rd Sedona, AZ 86336

From:

Michael Nystrom < nystrom\_mike@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 11:46 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Please don't hurt the residential solar energy business. I love my system and these systems are pollution free and reduce the need to burn fossil fuels.

Sincerely,

Michael Nystrom

1909 Riley Ln Prescott, AZ 86301

From:

John Neville < John@jsedona.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 1:40 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Please honor your sworn commitment to Arizona ratepayers and reject UNS proposed demand charges and elimination of net metering. Their proposal is anti-consumer and only serves to raise bills while protecting the utility monopoly.

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John Neville

49 Pinon Ct

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Geoff Drumm

White Rock Rd White Rock Rd Chino valley, AZ 86323

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Thomas Leander <Tdleander@gmail.com>

Sent:

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**Thomas Leander** 

26852 n 155 th ave Surprise, AZ 85387

From:

DeWayne Halfen <halfendt@gmail.com>

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DeWayne Halfen

1737 N Cloverland Ave

From:

John Oleson <dragonstonejohn@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 1:16 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Enough is enough! The assault on Solar as well as customers by heavy handed, greedy utilities has got to stop! UNS's latest request are excessive, manipulative, and by far onerous to its customers. UNS needs to stop oppressing their customers and start INVESTING in new technologies rather than killing them. The greed needs to stop now. Kindly remember you are there to protect the citizens of Arizona, not rubber stamp every proposal put forth by the utilities.

Sincerely,

John Oleson

P.O. Box 1729 St. Johns, AZ 85936

From:

Myra Baum < mybaum 72@gmail.com >

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 1:16 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

I wish to stop utility companies from charging customers for the customers use of solar. In other words, I am for solar without any company making money for the customers use of solar.

Sincerely,

Myra Baum

8318 E. Via de Las Flores Scottsdale,, AZ 85258

From:

RONALD WHITE <sdusa1@gmail.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 2:14 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely,

**RONALD WHITE** 

2054 S ROGERS ST MESA, AZ 85202

From:

John Spall <b-boppn57@cox.net> Tuesday, April 19, 2016 2:10 PM

Sent:

Little-Web

To: Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Arizona is the perfect place for solar, Lets not screw it up. Unisource (UNS), a Canadian owned monopoly, is proposing to levy excessive charges on all of its customers and eliminate solar, just like Nevada has done.

Sincerely,

John Spall

13810 N39th LN 13810 N39th LN Phoenix, AZ 85053

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Sincerely,

**Gary Sibell** 

736 E Terrace Ln Camp Verde, AZ 86322

From:

Elaine Miller < Elaine.mill@cox.net>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Elaine Miller

12310 W Parkwood Dr Sun City West, AZ 85375

From:

Evelyn Verrill <im2valla@gmail.com>

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Evelyn Verrill

1155 W Fawn Lane Prescott, AZ 86305

From: Harold Hubbard <hrhubbard@sbcglobal.net>

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Sincerely,

Harold Hubbard

26921 W Wahalla Ln Buckeye, AZ 85396

From:

Robert Simonetti <rsimon.5@q.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 3:38 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

SHOULD have guessed the ACC has to make their decision. How many of the current committe was brought in with DARK MONEY?? Oh yes the majority are Republicans in charge of making the decision! The ENTIRE REPUBLICAN PARTY is corrupt with DARK MONEY and it's time the people of the United States take back the absolute right to make their own decisions and not taken from the billionaires that are CORRUPTING the SYSTEM! If this proposal is approved, we owe it to the corrupt Republican Party and fossil fuel companies. SHAME ON ALL OF YOU THAT VOTE IN FAVOR OF THIS proposal!!!

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Robert Simonetti

3111 W Redbird Rd 3111 W Redbird Rd Phoenix, AZ 85083

From: Chessa Frei <chessafrei@gmail.com> Sent:

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This proposal coincides with a crisis building in Lake Havasu City, a town that was severly affected by the recent recession & is still working out of. The Lake Havasu Unified School District has frozen the salaries & wages of both teachers and support staff for the last 8 years. We are now facing insurance premium hikes of over \$800 a month. This change will affect approximately 600 families in Lake Havasu. Please consider all of the retirees, the elderly on fixed incomes. But also consider the educators who devote their time to our youth, ensuring a better tomorrow. We are hardly able to make ends meet now. It will make living in Lake Havasu nearly impossible.

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Please help to keep solar energy affordable for all citizens. Its the right thing to do for our state, our planet, and for our children's future.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Chessa Frei

2409 Ajo Drive Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403

From:

Sue E. Dean <deanks@juno.com>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 4:14 PM

To:

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Subject:

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I am a solar supporter. I have a 5 kilowatt system on my roof, installed in 2011 using a 20 year lease agreement which is proving to be very helpful to my cost of living in Arizona. Needless to say, I do not want that to change.

I agree with the traditional power providers, there needs to be a better, more balanced way to continue promoting solar using tax rebates and various financial incentives, but it absolutely must be done in a fairer way and must not retroactively negatively impact current solar programs and customers.

In my view, that means no across-the-board flat fees added to all solar customer bills, because number one, we know, as has happened in Nevada, that has virtually killed the nascent industry and the jobs it created.

There has to be a way, especially in our sunny state to pioneer a viable and fair path that encourages solar businesses and jobs without undoing the progress we've already made.

I urge the solar industry to work with the power companies and the Arizona Corporation Commission to work out just such a plan.

Arizona could and should be the solar capital of the world. Ratepayers should be charged for the energy they use, not ambushed with exorbitant charges based on a short period within a month.

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Reject UNS Energy's proposal. It is a power grab that erodes consumer choice and control over bills in order to ensure captive ratepayers for their monopoly.

Sincerely,

Sue E. Dean

From:

Charles Conn <eaglecmi@hotmail.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Charles Conn

13242 W.Castlebar Dr Sun City west, AZ 85375

From:

Richard Reischel < Rick85338@cox.net>

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Richard Reischel

14539 S 182nd Dr Goodyear, AZ 85338

From:

Leah Loveday < leah@truthconsciousness.org>

Sent:

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AZ 85064

From:

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Sent:

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16083 W Vale Dr Goodyear, AZ 85395

From:

Edwin Phillips < Eddiephillipssr@gmail.com>

Sent:

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**Edwin Phillips** 

1850 Sentinel Dr Lake havasu city, AR 86404

From:

Herbert Roskind < hroskind@cox.net>

Sent:

Tuesday, April 19, 2016 4:43 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

veto SB 1417.

Dear Chairman Little,

Please reject UNS proposed demand charges and elimination of net metering on the grounds that it is anti-consumer and serves to raise bills while protecting the utility monopoly.

We just learned that net metering rates are not what they indicate. The Arizona Corp Commission has granted Arizona Power Service (APS) the ability to buy back excess roof top solar generated peak energy at \$.03/kwh. They sell it retail @\$.25/kwh, which leads the unsuspecting (me) to assume we were getting net metering.

Our 2015 surplus of 2175 peak hours generated a payment to us of \$65.25. This was a small percentage of \$543.75 which should have been paid before definitions were changed. Plus somebody got charged \$543.75 for the use of our solar generation.

That is good business when one can short change the provider, take his energy value, and charge another customer full value.

Dark money elected three of five members of the Arizona Corp Commission. They set the rules, define net metering, and resultant payments.

Our newspaper (Arizona Republic) has been publishing the hunt for this dark money. Despite court orders APS has repeatedly refused to provide the e-mails and other documents including money sources for the election of these new members. Arizona recently passed a protection of dark money bill.

Arizona is becoming an anti-solar state. In several ways it already is.

It is the primary state where solar could have been a driving force for employment and development of solar energy. The salaries would be relatively high, and the jobs not exportable.

On top of this, the State regularly lies by advertising it is the "Solar State."

Thank you for your time.

Herbert Roskind Jr. hroskind@cox.net 10629 E. Desert Willow Scottsdale, AZ 85255 602 312-3332-cell 480 473-7651-FAX Mail Attachment.jpeg

Sincerely,

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From:

Marie Ybarra <mybarra3@q.com> Tuesday, April 19, 2016 4:56 PM

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Marie Ybarra

AZ 85029

From:

Eliazar Medina <eliasbmedina@gmail.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, April 20, 2016 8:26 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

This is outrageous. Stop the tyranny.

Sincerely,

Eliazar Medina

6733 N 49th Ave Phoenix, AZ 85302