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From the office of Chairman Doug Little

Arizona Corporation Commission

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

TO:

Docket Control

DATE:

May 9, 2016

FROM:

Chairman Doug Little's Office

SUBJECT:

Docket No. E-04204A-15-0142

Chairman Little's office received 46 emails referencing the above Docket Number. The emails can be viewed either in Docket, or on the website via the eDocket link.

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From:

Claudia Brescia

bernardo443@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 05, 2016 8:46 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

Docket# E-04204A-15-0142 - No on UNS anti-solar proposal

Dear Chairman Little,

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Sincerely,

Claudia Brescia

4255 E. Beaver Vista Rd Rimrock, AZ 86335

From:

Aaron Schwartz <aaronjschwartz87@gmail.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 05, 2016 10:46 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely,

Aaron Schwartz

612 S. Criss Street Chandler, AZ 85226

From:

Debrs Crosslin <debbie.crosslin@gmail.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 05, 2016 5:38 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Debrs Crosslin

1730 Dunbar Dr Tempe, AZ 85283

From:

Claudia Brescia

bernardo443@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 08, 2016 9:28 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

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4255 E. Beaver Vista Rd Rimrock, AR 86335

From:

Paul Marion <marionp@tiffin.edu>

Sent:

Friday, May 06, 2016 1:25 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

Please support solar energy by opposing UNS's proposal. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Paul Marion

14074 N. Silver Cloud Drive Or Valley, AZ 85755

From:

Kim Jones <albertkayerae@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Friday, May 06, 2016 7:34 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Kim Jones

2165 E Suffock Kingman, AZ 86409

928-303-4768

From:

Terry Lee Blanton < Lee.blanton@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 5:43 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Terry Lee Blanton

1600 E Joy Lane Fort Mohave, AZ 86426

From:

Joseph Maher, Jr <jmaherjraia@aol.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 8:01 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Joseph Maher, Jr

4849 East Scarlett St Tucson, AZ 85711

From:

Laura Klass <mollyaz51@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 9:07 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Laura Klass

3301 W Calle Cereza Tucson, AZ 85741

From:

Marsden Griswold < mgriswold@aol.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 9:29 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Marsden Griswold

apt. 916 444 West Orange Grove Rd Tucson, AZ 85704

520 797 6855

From:

Mary Shoff < Mgjj@aol.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 10:52 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

Don't charge people who are trying to help with climate change! The sun is free, and should not be charged! Thank you

Sincerely,

Mary Shoff

10564 E Acacia Dr Scottsdale, AZ 85255

From:

Reinaldo Acevedo <reinaldonano@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 1:16 PM

To:

Little-Web

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Reinaldo Acevedo

17820 W Ventura St 85388 SURPRISE, AZ 85388

623 556 4105

From:

Mark Volner < mvsc_ca@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 2:14 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Mark Volner

670 S. Sierra Nevada Dr Tucson, AZ 85748

From:

Daniel Broadley < motown3@aol.com>

Sent:

Friday, May 06, 2016 10:49 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Daniel Broadley

Mesa, AZ 85202

From:

John Hiett < JOHN_HIETT@HOTMAIL.COM>

Sent:

Friday, May 06, 2016 6:41 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

John Hiett

1914 E. Gemini Drive Tempe, AZ 85283

From:

Jerry Mllis Sr <jerrymillissr@outlook.com>

Sent:

Friday, May 06, 2016 7:20 PM

To:

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Jerry Mllis Sr

3552 E Angela Dr Phoenix, AZ 850322

From:

Bradley Cunningham <bradoflv@gmail.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Subject:

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Bradley Cunningham

10250 W Windchime Dr Tucson, AZ 85743-8726

From:

Nicholas Acciardo < nacciardo@gmail.com >

Sent:

Friday, May 06, 2016 6:50 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

11243 So. Santa Margarita Lane Goodyear, AZ 85338

602-205-4451

From:

Mary Hirsch <sammylhc1@gmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, May 06, 2016 8:22 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

I think this is very unfair! Living in a very hot climate we must run our ac with 155 and higher temps. Let these people come out and spend a summer. I have mine on 82 and have tried everything to kept the cost down. People on Social Security and our low paying jobs have a hard enough time. Please re think this as it is a very bad idea and what it will do to solar!

Mary Hirsch

4285 E Wagon Wheel Drive LHC 8640 AZ

Sincerely,

Mary Hirsch

4285 E Wagon Wheel DR 86404 LHC, AZ 86404

1-928-764-3302

From: Kenneth Klauburg <dancewithyou@email.com>

Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 10:34 PM

To: Little-Web

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Sincerely,

Kenneth Klauburg

3045 E Caballero St Mesa, AZ 85213

(480) 559-1860

From:

Steve Austin < Buzzinhornet@zianet.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 12:10 AM

To:

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Steve Austin

17596 W Marconi Ave Surprise, AZ 85388

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Robert Prosser <rgprosser1@gmail.com>

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10233 West Sun City Boulev Sun City, AZ 85351

From:

Patricia Flanders < Ppattyaz1@cox.net>

Sent:

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To:

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Patricia Flanders

AZ 85711

From:

Keith Wolma <keithwolma@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Keith Wolma

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

From:

Deborah Dobson < Debdob@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Deborah Dobson

2224 E Greenlee Road Tucson, AZ 85719

From:

Stephanie Garb < Sfgarb@cox.net>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

Stephanie Garb

1715 E 1st Pl Mesa, AZ 85203

From:

Robin Peacock < robinsue.peacock9@gmail.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 11:11 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

I really need a break with Unisourse.... I have oxygen sometimes.... Crazy!!!

Thank you,,

Robin Peacock

Sincerely,

Robin Peacock

1050 E. Beverly Ave. #216 Kingman, AZ 86401

From:

Judith Crim <drpepperjc@gmail.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

Judith Crim

13249 West Keystone Drive Sun City West, AZ 85375

623-748-9745

From:

Rodney Norton <nortonrodney@netzero.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 11:49 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

I do not like people trying to rig the system for corparations,

Sincerely,

Rodney Norton

8648 Teresita Dr Arizona City, AZ 85123

520-466-5513

From:

Mark Augustine <mtaugie@centurylink.net>

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Mark Augustine

11402 n 45th ave Glendale, AZ 85304

From:

Dirk Arnold <dirk@spreck.com>

Sent:

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Dirk Arnold

198 W University Blvd Tucson, AZ 85705

From:

Jerry Mllis Sr <jerrymillissr@outlook.com>

Sent:

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James Eshleman

210 E Paseo Chuparosas Green Valley, AZ 85614

520-393-7398

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Sincerely,

charlotte potter

1084 vista dr lake havasu city

From:

Sandra Spangler <sanspang@gmail.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 9:11 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

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I consider this takeover plan to be a breach of contract. I have a contract with TEP who has control of my roof for 30 years. TEP contracted with me to provide net metering services. A change to this will bring a class action lawsuit. It is insane, since rooftop solar gives back to our eco-system is a cheap and abundant form of energy. I consider all this to be an attack on my fundamental right and freedom of choice. Stop it now! Solar is going to win!!!

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Sandra Spangler

1510 W Calle Tiburon Tucson, AZ 85704

From:

john Mcniece <johnmcniece@cox.net>

Sent:

Saturday, May 07, 2016 9:25 PM

To:

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Subject:

Docket# E-04204A-15-0142 - No on UNS anti-solar proposal

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Sincerely,

john Mcniece

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From:

Thomas Manning <C3cowboypirate@gmail.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 08, 2016 1:04 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

Please do not allow demand charges to become a part of the AZ power rate structure. Those of us who have invested in solar energy, or plan to, do not want to be burdened with this regressive charge.

Sincerely,

Thomas Manning

10960 N Gila Road Tucson, AZ 85742

520-744-8285

From:

Roger Lateiner <roj710@gmail.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 08, 2016 2:38 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely,

Roger Lateiner

601 E. Tam Oshanter Dr Phoenix, AZ 85022

From:

Nicholas Acciardo < nacciardo@gmail.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 08, 2016 4:19 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

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From:

Timothy Julius <aztwj111@msn.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 08, 2016 4:22 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Sincerely,

Timothy Julius

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602-973-0420

From:

jeffrey hartig <azliberal@cox.net>

Sent:

Sunday, May 08, 2016 5:43 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Sincerely,

jeffrey hartig

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From:

Roderic Wagoner < rod.wagoner@gainbroadband.com>

Sent:

Monday, May 09, 2016 4:32 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Sincerely,

Roderic Wagoner

3632 N Camino Blanco Pl Tucson, AZ 85718

520-577-0786

From:

Scott Miners <Scottieminers@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, May 09, 2016 5:52 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

Docket# E-04204A-15-0142 - No on UNS anti-solar proposal

Dear Chairman Little,

Unisource proposal to do demand charges on all customers and to propose discriminatory demand charges on solar customers is unwise.

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Sincerely,

Scott Miners

4166 e la Cienega dr Tucson, 85712

775-297-3350

From:

Richard Causer < richiec@npgcable.com>

Sent:

Monday, May 09, 2016 6:43 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Richard Causer

511 E David Dr Flagstaff, AZ 86001

927-779-5213

From: Julie Zemojtel <pandabear1024@hotmail.com>

Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 8:58 PM

To: croll@tep.com; Little-Web; Tobin-Web; Forese-Web; Stump-Web; RBurns-Web

Cc: b zemo; Marilyn Lusk

Subject: RE: Net Metering Proposal E-04204A -15-0142

Good evening Ms. Roll,

I appreciate your information and quick response.

I do thank you for your explanation as well.

However, the bottom line remains the same:

1) UniSource should NEVER have requested to retroactively change the rules on solar customers by choosing some random date to use for "Grandfathering" purposes.

Making potential solar customers who are ready to switch to solar power make that choice, based on such unknowns, is a horrible way to do business and to treat people.

- 2) UniSource should immediately change their request to the ACC to "FROM THE ACC DECISION DATE, FORWARD"....UniSource should NOT request to backdate their rate changes all the way back to June 1, 2015.
- 3) IF the Commission does approve this punishment to solar customers (which is exactly what this is), then it needs to be FROM THAT DATE, FORWARD...so that any potential solar customers can make their purchasing decisions based on WHAT ACTUALLY IS....not on "WHAT MAY BE"....
- 4) UniSource should INSIST that the rate changes DO NOT TAKE EFFECT on solar customers <u>until</u> the ACC's decision date.

How dare your company ask to backdate the rate changes to almost a FULL YEAR AGO, when this was NOT common knowledge. I don't care about the "acknowledgment of the pending application"...you and I, and UniSource all know that putting that "maybe" out there is a horrible, sneaky, underhanded way to do business.

UniSource should be ashamed of themselves for even trying to slip that grandfathered date of "June 1, 2015" through in its request to the ACC.

It's despicable, and everyone with any common sense knows it.

I am requesting that you share this email to every possible "higher up"/manager/supervisor/etc. that you have access to.

I would also request that you "Cc" me on the "Forwards" to them as well, please. Thank you.

Our family spent over \$42,000 on our solar rooftop system last fall, and I AM BEYOND TICKED OFF that your monopolizing, greedy company is trying to steal that money back from me and make my investment (which is well over my annual salary as a public school teacher) worth so much less.

How dare you, UniSource.

I certainly hope that the Arizona Corporation Commission has more COMMON SENSE and COMPASSION than your company does.

Thank you,
Julie (and Brian) Zemojtel

From: croll@tep.com

To: pandabear1024@hotmail.com Subject: Net Metering Proposal

Date: Fri, 6 May 2016 18:10:23 +0000

Good Morning Ms. Zemojtel,

I received your email regarding UNS Electric's rate proposal, specifically the grandfathering date of June 1, 2015 proposed for net metering customers. I would like to provide some information regarding our proposal.

The Company had previously requested changes to the Net Energy Metering (NEM) policy back in March 2015. During that proceeding, it was mutually agreed to by most parties that the issue should be addressed in a general rate case. As such, the Company withdrew that application with the stipulation that we would file a general rate case with the same proposal. That filing was submitted on May 5, 2015.

The outcome of the rate case will most likely not be known until July or August 2016. Additional details are available online at www.azcc.gov and can be accessed by searching for Docket No. E-04204A-15-0142 on "eDocket".

Any customer who decides to proceed with a renewable system and interconnect under NEM is required to acknowledge that there is a pending application that may change the economics of their decision located at https://www.uesaz.com/doc/renewable/ues-attachment a b.pdf. The Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission) retains the authority to make the changes effective from the requested date – which was originally requested for any application received after June 1, 2015 – or the Commission can make it effective from the date new rates take effect, most likely August 1, 2016. Those are the two most probable effective dates, but we cannot tell you which one it will be, nor can we tell you the probability that the Commission will accept or reject the Company's request or the other recommendations that will be provided to the Commission.

Information regarding UNSE's net metering proposal can be found on our website at https://www.uesaz.com/renewable/reports/thinkingsolar/.

Sincerely,

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