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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 16, 2016

FROM:

Chairman Doug Little's Office

SUBJECT:

Docket No. E-04204A-15-0142

Chairman Little's office has received 26 attached emails opposing the above Docket Number. The emails can be viewed either in Docket, or on the website via the eDocket link.

Arizona Corporation Commission

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From:

Steven Elwood <stevene1@cox.net>

Sent:

Friday, May 13, 2016 8:05 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

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Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Steven Elwood

14350 S Camino Vallado Sahuarita, AZ 85629

From:

Linda Hardy < Lindahardy@frontier.com>

Sent:

Friday, May 13, 2016 3:11 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

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Sincerely,

Linda Hardy

3286 Silver Saddle Dr LHC, AZ 86406

From:

Scott Miners <scottieminers@gmail.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 12, 2016 6:58 PM

To:

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Subject:

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In addition, net metering is vital to preserving the ability of ratepayers to go solar and protecting thousands of jobs. Net metering is a fair policy that creates jobs and gives consumers energy choice for choosing sustainable energy.

We know what happens when you eliminate fundamental solar policies. Let's not let what happened in Nevada happen in Arizona.

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,

Scott Miners

4166 E. La Cienega Dr Tucson, AZ 85712

775-297-3350

From:

Roy Holten < royp34@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 12, 2016 3:34 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Roy Holten

4707 E Pierce ST Phoenix, AZ 85008

From:

JULIANNE EHR <pooh_bare38@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 12, 2016 10:25 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

JULIANNE EHR

2726 ARCADIA DR LAKE HAVASU CITY, AZ 86404

From:

Terry Evans <timeless4u22@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 12, 2016 9:04 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Terry Evans

2841 W. Palmetto St Tucson, AZ 85705

520-888-5614

From:

MaryElizabeth Isom <mbiaccents@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 12, 2016 8:52 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

MaryElizabeth Isom

1532 n coral bells drive Tucson, AZ 85745

From:

Marsden Griswold < mgriswold@aol.com>

Sent:

Wednesday, May 11, 2016 11:40 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Marsden Griswold

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

520 797 6855

From:

Pattie Lonnee < Patricialonnee@att.net>

Sent:

Friday, May 13, 2016 3:14 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

To Whom It May Concern:

I urge you not to approve demand charges and not to punish the citizens who have invested in solar power. My husband and I moved to AZ to retire and invested in our solar to help control our cost for power when we are on a fixed income. With the extreme heat in the summer months we cannot afford huge power bills as the majority of the residents in AZ. We also invested in solar power to help our environment and again we should not be penalized. Please consider alternative solutions to vouching the consumer!

Sincerely, Pattie Lonnee 3901 Aloha Ln Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406

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3901 Aloha Ln Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406

714-343-8020

From:

William Venker < BILLYROSE1@msn.com>

Sent:

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To:

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Sincerely,

William Venker

4520 S Calle Don Domenico Tucson AZ 85646

520-869-6092

From:

Debra Crosslin <debbie.crosslin@gmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, May 13, 2016 5:43 PM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Sincerely,

Debra Crosslin

1730 E Dunbar Dr Tempe, AZ 85282

From:

Louise Guest <Louisequest365@gmail.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 14, 2016 5:41 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Sincerely, Louise Guest 16630N.ReemsRd. Bldg.No14. Apt.No.1073 Surprise AZ. 85374

Sincerely,

Louise Guest

16630 N.Reems Rd. Bldg.No.14. Apt.No.1073 Surprise, AZ 85374

(623)780-0727

From:

James Riedel <jariedel@att.net>

Sent:

Saturday, May 14, 2016 7:40 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

James Riedel

8600 E Broadway Rd, Lot 51 Mesa, AZ 85208

From:

Dennis DiNaro <dadinaro2@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Saturday, May 14, 2016 6:25 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

Dennis DiNaro

11129 E RAVENNA AVE MESA, AZ 85212

From:

STEPHEN R FORRESTER <sflowrider@msn.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 15, 2016 11:38 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

UNISOURCE rate hikes

Dear Chairman Doug Little,

I'm writing you and the ACC requesting the Commission to reject any UNISOURCE rate hikes in any form. In my opinion, UNISOURCE has initated a typical negotiaion scheme. The scheme is to ask all Mohave customers to except "Demand Charges" and once that was turned down, ask for all Solar customers to pay higher rates which is what they wanted in the first place. I'm not a mediator, but that's a bad deal. I urge you to not fall for this scheme. Net-Metering should stay as is and energy cost to Solar owners stay the same.

I attended the ACC public meeting in Lake Havasu covering UNISOURCE rate hikes. I was very pleased with the local residents turn-out.

My name is Stephen Forrester, 3577 Desert Garden Drive, Lake Havasu City, AZ. 86404 and a roof top solar owner. Thank-you!

From: Stephen Wilson <Stodd615@hotmail.com>

Sent: Sunday, May 15, 2016 1:28 PM

To: Little-Web

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Sincerely,

Stephen Wilson

3421 Newport Dr Lake Havasu city, AZ 86406

From:

Wayne Daniel <wdaniel333@msn.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 15, 2016 2:29 PM

To:

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Wayne Daniel

19225 N Cave Creek Rd Lot 64 Phoenix, AZ 85024-2421

From:

Glenn Miller < Glenn.miller27@gmail.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 15, 2016 7:52 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Glenn Miller

3639 North Sonoran Hills Mesa, AZ 85207

From:

charles tillery <777roosstr@gmail.com>

Sent:

Monday, May 16, 2016 4:04 AM

To:

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Sincerely,

charles tillery

From:

R Smedley <rmsmedley@gmail.com>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

R Smedley

Mitchell St Tucson, AZ 85719

From:

Nicholas Acciardo < nacciardo@gmail.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 15, 2016 9:16 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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

Dear Chairman Little,

As a citizen of the United States of America, I feel that you have no right to feel the necessity to raise the fees just because you want to generate more profits! Why is that?

The advent of solar energy production has not nor will not take MONEY out of APS's pockets! It is a disgrace that your organization allows whole heartedly, a private utility, to continue to allow for a repeated onset increases which you never seem to block or challenge. This act of game playing, is criminal...

Please think of US not just yourselves!! Don't allow this criminal act to continue here in Arizona...It is a disgrace!!!

Sincerely,

Nicholas Acciardo

11243 So. Santa Margarita Lane Goodyear, AZ 85338

602-205-4451

From:

Kathryn Sink <rdrose808@gmail.com>

Sent:

Sunday, May 15, 2016 8:16 AM

To:

Little-Web

Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Please do not use Demand Charges. Metering works just fine. My family is low income and Demand Charges would bankrupt us. It's unacceptable in Arizona.

Sincerely,

Kathryn Sink

7424 ESP Speedway blvd #B-23 Tucson, AZ 85710

From:

Lenore Kadish <Bdlks@aol.com>

Sent:

Thursday, May 12, 2016 8:19 PM

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520-297-9066

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Bradley Louis

12147 N Kylene Canyon Drive Oro Valley, AZ 85756

From:

Beth Jones <Madsgramma@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Friday, May 13, 2016 7:08 AM

To:

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Subject:

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Dear Chairman Little,

Stop the hidden and extra charges! My paycheck doesn't keep going up! You all are overcharging us to death!

Sincerely,

Beth Jones

1911 N. Rosemary Blvd Tucson, 85716

From:

Anissa Taylor < Anissat1981@yahoo.com>

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