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# Arizona Corporation Commission Utilities Complaint Form

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Investigator: Richard Martinez Phone: <<< REDACTED >>> Opinion Date: 5/16/2016  
 Opinion Number: 2016 - 131579 Priority: Respond within 5 business days  
 Opinion Codes: Rate Case Items - Opposed Closed Date: 5/16/2016 11:29 AM

First Name: Roland Last Name: Winson Account Name: Roland Winson  
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Company: Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative, Inc. Division: Electric  
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### Nature Of Opinion

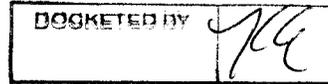
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Arizona Corporation Commission

**DOCKETED**

Subject: Reject new SSVEC fixed fees!

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Dear Commissioner Arizona Corporation Commission,

I urge you to reject Sulphur Springs Valley Electric Cooperative's proposal in docket E-01575A-15-0312.

The proposed fixed fees for solar customers are the highest we have ever seen proposed in the state. Raising fees 286% is a punitive and arbitrary attempt to block solar adoption. If passed, the solar industry would be forced out of the territory, threatening solar jobs and eliminating energy choice for all members of the cooperative. Additionally, this excessive fee would render current solar savings in the territory mute, leaving homeowners upside down in their investment.

Attempting to collect lost revenue from your ratepayers who are elderly, on fixed incomes, or low-income is just bad business. A 143% increased fixed fee on the residential class is also detrimental to these residents as it is to the solar customers.

I urge you to reject this proposal. Please protect the interests of the cooperative's members. These drastic fee increases are not in our best interest.

Regards,

Roland Winson  
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