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Dear PUC,

I am very concerned about the pending reconsideration of net metering in Docket 22-060. I have worked hard to install solar panels for my home. We are now doing design work and fundraising for solar systems at my church, and a local business in which I am an investor. Solar is a win-win for the entire state and the owners of the roofs on which the panels sit.

If net metering is changed now or in the future to disfavor the economics of solar energy, sadly, this will cause us serious economic hardship. Waiting to invest until after the regulatory dust settles would also be very expensive for us. NH businesses must be able to count on the stability of the net metering regulation. <u>Net metering is the key to making solar energy work in NH</u>! The PUC should be taking steps to increase the adoption of solar by residents, businesses and municipalities. This will reduce energy costs and public health threats for everyone.

Thank you for your consideration. Sarah Thorne