From: Rangi Keen [mailto:rangi.keen@gmail.com] Sent: Thursday, November 17, 2016 9:28 AM To: Howland, Debra Subject: Preserve Retail Net Metering

Hi Debra,

I hear the PUC is considering changing or eliminating net metering in NH. I read the <u>Conservation Law Foundation's initial testimony</u> and it is almost entirely positive and makes a lot of sense. As someone with installed solar panels on my roof and currently participating in net metering, I would obviously like to see that continue for me but would also like to see it expanded so others can benefit as well.

Further, I would support variable rate pricing and the elimination or reduction of fixed distribution charges for distributed energy providers. Putting incentives in place to reduce overall peak demands and distribution losses would be a benefit to everyone, even those without installed production capacity.

For additional details, read the CLF article <u>Retail Net Metering Is Good for Us All</u>. Perhaps we could look to our neighbors in Vermont for a good model of distributed generation?

Thank you, Rangi Keen Meriden, NH (603) 306-2013