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To the Public Utility Commission:

I oppose this recommendation to drop the value of the solar adder once again. Any Vermonter should be able to take advantage of solar – at home or at their business – and this recommended change would make that harder.

Year after year, the state of Vermont has continued to make it harder for Vermonters to go solar, not easier as it should be. In addition to these state incentive reductions, the federal government has also been dropping its important tax credit. This has all resulted in fewer people taking advantage of solar, and fewer clean energy jobs being created. We need to be creating more programs to help more people take advantage of solar, not the other way around. Please do the right thing.

I urge you to remove the negative solar adder by adding a penny to the program, not removing it as recommended. Give everyday Vermonters a chance to own their own power generation and keep their energy dollars local.

Sincerely,  
Jeff poulin  
Williamstown

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To the Public Utility Commission:

I am writing today urging you to remove the negative solar adder, adding a penny to the current rate, not removing one.

Scientists from around the world continue to sound the alarm bells that climate change is creating unprecedented risk to life around the world. The most recent IPCC report specifically says solar power and other renewable energy have to continue to be supported by governments in order to avoid the worst impacts of climate change. I believe that we have an obligation to swiftly transition to an electric grid powered entirely by local renewable energy. Everyone should be able to choose solar and do their part to address the climate crisis.

I am already seeing the impacts of climate change – less snow, more rain, and more extreme weather events impacting communities around the state and the world. This is not the time for slow action. We need to accelerate our electric grid's transition to 100% renewable energy.

Sincerely,  
William Meltzer  
Westford, VT  
Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows

**From:** [Ed O'Leary](#)  
**To:** [PUC - Clerk](#)  
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To the Public Utility Commission:

I installed a solar array at my home in 2019, luckily being able to take advantage of the federal 30% tax credit before it dropped to 20%. That was an incredibly helpful advantage enabling me to go solar. Any and all incentives that citizens can be provided will certainly help move us away from climate damaging fossil fuel electric energy production.

I oppose the recommendation to drop the value of the solar adder once again. Any Vermonter should be able to take advantage of solar (as I did) – at home or at their business – and this recommended change would make that more difficult.

Year after year, the state of Vermont has continued to make it harder for Vermonters to go solar, not easier as it should be. In addition to these state incentive reductions, the federal government has also been dropping its important tax credit (as I previously mentioned). This has all resulted in fewer people taking advantage of solar, and fewer clean energy jobs being created. We need to be creating more programs to help more people take advantage of solar, not the other way around. If we want more and more people to drive electric vehicles, we must be able to produce the electricity needed to charge these vehicles in an environmentally sustainable manner, such as with solar power. Please do the right thing.

I urge you to remove the negative solar adder by adding a penny to the program, not removing it as recommended. Give everyday Vermonters a chance to own their own power generation and keep their energy dollars local.

Sincerely,  
Ed O'Leary  
Albany, VT

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** [Kimberly Cheney](#)  
**To:** [PUC - Clerk](#)  
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Sincerely,  
Kimberly B. Cheney  
Montpelier 05602