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To the NC Utilities Commission

**Clerk's Office  
N.C. Utilities Commission**

My name is Ken Kneidel from Charlotte. I'd like to express my opinion on net metering. It's my feeling that the reason that Duke Energy is opposing net-metering is solely because they feel that the growth of rooftop solar in North Carolina would threaten their business model, which relies heavily on the return on investment from building fossil-fuel and nuclear power plants.

To me, the growth of solar should not be decided on the basis of any financial argument from Duke. We all know that the clock is ticking on fossil-fuel generated power, both because of regulations coming from Washington, and the basic fact that fossil fuels are a dirty, finite resource. To prevent drastic global warming we must urgently transition to solar. Putting obstacles in front of that path, which Duke is doing for selfish reasons, is simply irresponsible. The long term economic, health, and environmental costs of relying so heavily on fossil fuels and nuclear energy are too large to ignore.

Sincerely,  
Kenneth Kneidel  
Ph.D. in Ecology

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*My names is Sherry Vaughan and I'm from Charlotte, living with my daughter and her family who have signed up for the Solarize Charlotte program. I am writing to express my support for net metering, which gives solar producers full compensation for the clean power they contribute to the grid. They recently had their home assessed for solar potential because they know that cleaner is cheaper and better for the planet.*

*I want to see more distributed solar in North Carolina.*

Sherry Vaughan



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**Clerk's Office  
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NCUC,

My name is Lee Brinson from Hickory. I am writing to express my support for net metering, which gives solar producers full compensation for the clean power they contribute to the grid. I would like to have my house assessed for solar potential to help make our state have cleaner air, water and land, help employ people and by insisting of U.S. made solar panels assist manufacturing in our country. More distributed solar in North Carolina is the wave of the future. Let's don't be the horse and buggy state when we can move to the automobile. Lee Brinson