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To the NC Utilities Commission:

I have to ask why it is so hard to get Duke Energy and the State of NC to honor their agreements?

Duke Energy made a commitment to WNC to install and maintain an initial 5 megawatts of solar power on retired landfill in Woodfin, WNC.

Back in 2015, as part of the agreement that Buncombe County struck with Duke Energy to close the Lake Julian coal power plant, Duke agreed to build 15 megawatts of new solar energy in our community as part of the plan to retire coal and transition to clean energy. The NC Utilities Commission acknowledged this agreement in approving Duke's Carolinas Modernization Project that included the new gas plant.

Commit to the original agreement. Build 15mw of solar power in WNC. Then, take a stand for Climate Action and build another 15mw of solar power in eastern NC. People in both parts of the state need clean, renewable energy.

Sincerely,  
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