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**Subject:** Statement of Position Submitted by Steve A **Date:** Tuesday, December 13, 2022 8:51:46 AM

# **Statement of Position Submitted**

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## Message

Please continue to allow for net metering of residential solar. This allows me to save money and energy in periods of over production and recoup those credits when I need more energy from Duke. Promoting rooftop solar is important and net metering is very important to allowing families to afford rooftop solar.

From: Jamie Brown
To: Statements

Subject: Docket E-100, Sub 180CS

**Date:** Tuesday, December 13, 2022 9:23:54 AM

## Good morning,

I am an existing rooftop solar owner and have been a constant advocate for them to friends and family. However, I am deeply concerned about the proposed change to the rules for net metering. Not only is it disadvantageous to existing owners, it disincentivizes prospective owners. I strongly encourage you to reject Duke Energy's proposal.

Thank you for taking the time to read and consider.

Jamie Brown 21 Saint Andrews Court Durham, NC 27707 From: <u>Douglas D Sellers</u>
To: <u>Statements</u>

**Subject:** Statement of Position Submitted by Douglas D Sellers

**Date:** Tuesday, December 13, 2022 11:07:22 AM

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## Message

I have had solar panels on my roof since April of 2020. I invested in them because it is good for the environment. In the best case scenario, with net metering remaining as it is, it will take many more years for the solar panels to give me a return on my financial investment. Now Duke energy want to change the rules regarding net metering. That will hurt all of us that are trying to do right for the environment and discourage others from doing so in the future. Privately owned solar systems allow energy companies to reduce the need for investing in their own energy production plants, thus reducing their cost not increasing it. Please do not vote to reduce the net metering system.

From: Greg Borom
To: Statements

**Subject:** Statement of Position Submitted by Greg Borom **Date:** Tuesday, December 13, 2022 12:34:29 PM

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## Message

Please do not rush a decision on net metering and instead take the time to do a thorough cost/benefit analysis before making new policies. Additionally, existing net metering customers like myself should be able to stay on our current net metering plan if we choose. We made our investment in rooftop solar with certain understandings of the costs and our return on investment. It would be unfair to change those terms in an unfavorable way. Rooftop solar should be incentivized and maximized as a strategy to address carbon reduction and build more resilient energy infrastructure. Let's take the time to research the costs and benefits before changing the pricing and terms of net metering in NC.

From: <u>Lisa Ross</u>
To: <u>Statements</u>

**Subject:** Statement of Position Submitted by Lisa Ross **Date:** Tuesday, December 13, 2022 3:12:52 PM

# **Statement of Position Submitted**

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## Message

Don't rush making a decision on net metering -- protect existing customers from changes for the life of their system. House Bill 589 requires that the NCUC investigate the costs and benefits of rooftop solar before any changes to net metering are made, and that investigation has yet to be conducted. Duke Energy claims solar customers pay less than their fair share for using the grid, but that has not been proven, and some studies show the opposite. Please conduct a full cost-benefit study of rooftop solar. Thank you.