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Customers Build Clean Generating Plant for Duke Energy

Encouraging home/office solar helps reduce Duke Energy's expenses for more generating capacity. We can do quite well financially serving as the 'battery backup' and utilize our distribution grid. AND when we have a storm that damages the grid we won't be in such severe stress. This will require a change in mindset as Duke Energy is so accustomed to being 'generator' selling juice, but we need to encourage solar and see our positive role.

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