The following comment was submitted via PUCWeb:

Name: Dave Driscoll

Submission Time: Sep 6 2023 11:13AM

Email: dave@agrisolar.pro Telephone: 208-681-9422 Address: 475 Rice St. Blackfoot, ID 83221

Name of Utility Company: Idaho Power

Case ID: IPC-E-23-14

Comment: "I am the owner of AgriSolar. This announcement from IP WILL DEVASTATE my new business.

PLEASE stop this!!!"

The following comment was submitted via PUCWeb:

Name: Dennis Wagner

Submission Time: Sep 6 2023 12:08PM

Email: ddsjwagner@gmail.com
Telephone: 208-520-7617
Address: 3580 Georgia Lane

Ammon, ID 83406

Name of Utility Company: Rocky Mountain Power

Case ID: IPC-E-23-14

Comment: "Stop Screwing over people who are trying to save the planet!"

The following comments were submitted via PUCWeb:

Name: Robert Frame-Christensen Submission Time: Sep 6 2023 1:26PM

Email: gdnrbob@yahoo.com Telephone: 916-505-5318 Address: 1441 Lakeview Dr.

Pocatello, ID 83201

Name of Utility Company: Idaho Power

Case ID: IPC-E-23-14

Comment: "I am opposed to Idaho Power's NET METERING CHANGES. They are detrimental to the conversion from regular metering and solar production. It also runs contrary to the Inflation Reduction Act 's goals."

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Name: Nola Cates

Submission Time: Sep 6 2023 1:46PM

Email: njcates@yahoo.com Telephone: 208-681-5089 Address: 154 Ellsworth Road

Pocatello, Id 83202

Name of Utility Company: Idaho Power

Case ID: IPC-E-23-14

Comment: "My comment concerns my solar panels. When I invested in solar panels, I was not made aware of the any proposed changes being considered by the Idaho Public Utilities. I was told my power bill would be \$5 a month. Those of us that invested in solar power, which was recommended by Idaho Power, and was not informed of the proposed change, should be grandfathered in the current price and not have to pay the new billing system prices. "

----Original Message-----

From: Martha Bibb <<u>marthasbibb@gmail.com</u>> Sent: Wednesday, September 6, 2023 1:54 PM To: Jan Noriyuki <<u>jan.noriyuki@puc.idaho.gov</u>> Subject: IP new rate structures IPC-E-23-14

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Dear Public Utilities Commissioners,

I am a roof top solar owner and power generator. My panels went up in 2017 so I have been "grandfathered" into a favorable rate structure until now. I invested in solar because I felt that it was the right thing to do for the greater good. I am a middle income retired person. I am also old so I had not expected to "recoup" my investment in clean energy but I had hoped to maintain a fairly reasonable and affordable rate for the power that I return to the Idaho Power grid. And of course my panels face south as was recommended in 2017 because that captures the most sunlight for the greatest number of months per year.

I feel that there are several issues confronting us at this time.

Solar compensation rates are going to be reduced. This will discourage lower income families and businesses from investing in solar.

The hours of generation that are fairly compensated factors into consideration when figuring rates. This penalizes early solar investors like myself.

Many factors were ignored and despite Idaho Power's opinion about the importance of those factors, there is ample data to support the health costs of not going to clean power. The environmental costs are huge-climate change is real and is fueled(no pun intended) by burning fossil fuel.

Long dangling above ground transmission line are extremely dangerous and cause fatal wildfires. Idaho Power's rate structure information is very difficult to understand. Or were there just so many corporate employees working to build their plan that the information was not brought into a simple, understandable and predictable format? Has this been done intentionally?

We need to have fewer opportunities for this corporate monopoly to change our rate structure. It is too unpredictable, time consuming and complicated to keep coming back to this every year or two!

I understood that the Public Utilities Commission is supposed to protect citizens from unfair practices by our power company. We really need protection from unfair practices because we have no other company to choose from.

Please help us to achieve a simple, fair and predictable energy rate structure.

Martha S. Bibb 810 CD Olena Dr 3Hailey, ID 83333 503 539-886
