

From: [Cory Johnson](#)
To: [Jan Noriyuki](#)
Subject: IPC-E-23-14 hearing comment
Date: Monday, October 23, 2023 5:00:25 PM

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Good afternoon,

I am extremely concerned about the lack of public hearings on Idaho Power's rooftop solar changes. Tuesday's hearing is again set for regular business hours. As a housing case manager for Jesse Tree, I work with low-income folks in the Treasure Valley most impacted by environmental injustice. This poor working class will not have an opportunity to share their opinion of the proposed changes and how they will be impacted.

I urge you to consider adding additional hearings that are outside the 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. window and are long enough to allow everyone to speak, be located in at least two more cities, and include a virtual testimony option for all the people who can't attend in-person. Please help people participate in our democracy, particularly on proposals coming from a monopoly utility.

Thank you,
Cory Johnson

From: [Laurie B](#)
To: [Jan Noriyuki](#)
Subject: IPC-E-23-14
Date: Tuesday, October 24, 2023 8:27:38 AM

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Hello,

I'm an Idaho Power and rooftop solar customer. I'm concerned about the very limited public access to the upcoming hearings on Idaho Power's rooftop solar changes. The hearings need to be after general working hours, be long enough to allow everyone to speak, be located in at least two more cities, and include a virtual testimony option for all the people who can't attend in-person like myself.

Are email comments being accepted?

If so, I oppose all proposals coming from a monopoly utility that raise prices for solar owners who are investing their own money to save Idaho Power from having to build new power plants as our state's population grows. I am particularly concerned about the proposal and how it will negatively impact farmers who installed solar to help lower energy use with irrigation. I urge you to deny this proposal and stand with solar owners as we work to make the grid more sustainable.

Thanks,
Laurie

From: [Tailor Sponcey](#)
To: [Jan Noriyuki](#)
Subject: Comments on Case # IPC-E-23-14
Date: Tuesday, October 24, 2023 1:04:09 PM

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I Tailor Sponcey am advocating for the PUC to help stop Idaho Power from decreasing the solar credit earning potential on the basis of the points listed below, as well as help to better incentivize more utility customers the potential option to opt for solar power.

- Idaho Power has a 100% clean energy goal - keep the public interested and contributing to that goal with fair programs, including sufficient solar credit earning potential. Distributed energy system owners should be fairly compensated for the services they provide and programs should enable a local energy economy.
- Customers of all types deserve programs that help make the right choice for their family's energy use, ensuring pathways to universal access for all Idaho & Oregon residents to participate in energy production
- Local clean energy systems provide grid security and reliability while protecting our climate and public lands from catastrophic events like wildfires
- Solar programs provide countless, high profile jobs for diverse groups of people. From administrative and electrical, inspectors, and utility employees alike. Please don't downsize jobs in Idaho and Oregon by decreasing the public interest in the growing solar industry by reducing their incentive for clean energy.

Thank you

From: [Chris Hecht](#)
To: [Chris Hecht](#); [Chris McEwan](#); [Curtis Thaden](#); [Jan Noriyuki](#); [Jolene Bossard](#); [Jon Kruck](#); [Maria Barratt-Riley](#)
Cc: [Front](#)
Subject: RE: Notice: A complaint was submitted to PUCWeb
Date: Tuesday, October 24, 2023 3:08:58 PM

-----Original Message-----

From: PUCWeb Notification <Do.Not.Reply@puc.idaho.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, October 24, 2023 3:00 PM
To: ConsumerComplaintsWeb <ConsumerComplaintsWeb@puc.idaho.gov>
Subject: Notice: A complaint was submitted to PUCWeb

The following complaint was submitted via PUCWeb:

Name: Roberta D'Amico
Submission Time: Oct 24 2023 2:27PM
Email: joro.boise@gmail.com
Telephone: 208-908-3013
Address: 3109 S. Crossfield Way
BOISE, ID 83706

Name of Utility Company: Retired

Contacted Utility: No

Comment: "To Commissioner's Anderson, Hammond, and Lodge:

Thank you for your service on the Public Utilities Commission.

I am writing today because the Public Utilities Commission's (PUC) needs to DISAPPROVE the proposal from Idaho Power which will result in gutting Idaho's rooftop solar program.

The current proposal will push rooftop solar further and further out of reach for Idahoans, the proposal needs to be worked so that homeowners who obtain solar panels benefit fairly. Solar owners deserve fair and full compensation for the excess solar energy they give back to the utility, not the pennies that Idaho Power wants to provide based on its skewed calculations.

Additionally, the public hearings need to be more accessible beyond the 3 hour window in the middle of a workday, and a virtual option needs to be provided. Idahoans deserve a more accessible and democratic public process.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

Roberta D'Amico, Boise, Idaho

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<https://puc.intranet.idaho.gov/apps/intranet/Complaint> [Opens the PUC Intranet application]