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Comment: We are very concerned that our local power company, Idaho Power, provide this part of our state with reliable, affordable power well into the future, i.e., not for the next 10 or 20 years, but for the next 50 or 100. With the increasing worldwide recognition of the urgent need to reduce carbon emissions, the path ahead for any forward-thinking utility company can only mean investments in renewable energy. Please do not allow Idaho Power to drag its feet or to obstruct progress towards a sustainable future for Idaho households for selfish economic or blinkered political reasons. Each regional area's actions will contribute to the further pollution of our state, country and planet or to their gradual rehabilitation and the possibility for life on Earth to continue. This may sound overly dramatic, but the decision before the PUC regarding Idaho Power's request for mere 2-year contracts for solar developers amounts to ignoring the potential of solar energy and condemning Idaho's residents to an uncertain future.

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