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RE: Docket UE-231031 Puget Sound Energy's Electric Tariff Revision

I am writing in support of the upcoming filing.

Net metering is an important element of sustainable energy and a benefit to all involved. Customers of PSE benefit because they can build credit in the summer months to use during the winter months when energy demands are higher. PSE benefits because each solar array installed on a home acts as a supplier of green energy for PSE that can displace fossil fuel based electricity both for that home and with any surplus for use by homes that do not have solar.

The alternative to net metering is localized storage with the use of whole house batteries so homeowners can store their own energy for future use. This requires additional resources both financially for the customer and on through materials and manufacture of these batteries.

Please consider any and every future extension to the net metering.

Thank you, David O'Connor