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Jeff Killip, Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
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RE: Docket UE-231031 (Advice No. 2023-60) Puget Sound Energy's Electric Tariff Revision

Dear Mr. Killip,

I am writing to express my strong support for this tariff filing to formally extend the current net metering tariff rate until at least December 31, 2025.

Washington residents have the right to generate their own clean energy to receive fair compensation for any generated power that they send out into the grid. This temporary extension of the current net metering tariff will PSE and other solar stakeholders the additional time needed to have a study completed that is comprehensive and impartial, and takes into account all aspects of the costs/benefits of net metered solar.

A recent study by E3 that was funded by a group of utilities was incomplete in process and scope, and has been deemed by multiple parties involved in the process, as well as by an expert analyst to be deeply flawed and biased. The UTC has the obligation to do what is fair and right for PSE's customers. Approving this formal extension of the current tariff will demonstrate the UTC is being impartial on this rate determination.

Thank you in advance for approving this rate request.

Respectfully,

*Katee Wood*