



Important Information to Rooftop Solar Owners:

Utilities are Proposing Changes to Make Solar More Expensive. Your Action is Requested!

Dear Neighbor,

I recently learned that the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) proposed to change the rules for rooftop solar. These changes are very similar to what PG&E, SoCal Edison, and SDG&E have been lobbying for.

These changes would impact new solar users starting this Spring. The changes will also impact all existing solar users 15 years after your system turned on, or immediately if you accept the PUC's battery rebate (a reduction of the existing 20-year protection). The changes include:

- A new solar penalty fee averaging \$57 per month
- An 80% cut in the credit solar users receive for sharing their extra energy with the grid (Net Metering). This decrease would go from an average of 25 cents per kilowatt-hour to about 5 cents.

The Administrative Law Judge in the NEM-3 proceeding at the CPUC has issued a notice indicating that we should expect more time to pass before they issue a revised proposed decision. The decision will not be scheduled for a vote "until further notice."

Despite strong opposition from people throughout the state to put the brakes on solar opportunities for all Californians, anti-competitive solar opponents are continuing to push their drastic changes to net metering.

Please add your voice and become involved in #SavingSolar. DC Solar Electric has detailed information and instructions on how to become involved on its website. I encourage you to review everything: www.dcsolarelectric.com/save-solar/

Sincerely,