Trixie Behr - Fwd: Rocky Mountain Power Solar Program

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Dear Commissioners:

I am writing to you about the idea of ending the RMP Solar Program. This is a program that is hardly yet known to the public. It should not end. If anything, it should be enlarged. It has been a program with too few opportunities provided to the public, in regard to time frame, and also as far as dollars allotted.

A suggestion to the Commission would be to place sidebars on it to encourage home and business energy efficiency (EE) to be conducted prior to incenting solar on the same building. This could help encourage judicious use of energy with solar power installation as the ultimate reward.

Please do not discontinue this program. Solar is just beginning to penetrate the consciousness of Utahns; I urge you to continue it until the market itself is truly penetrated here in our state. We have too powerful of a solar resource here to disregard its potential beneficial use in our communities.

Sincerely, Mary Ann Wright