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To whom it may concern,

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I'm a local installer/contractor in Murray, Utah and am taking the opportunity to voice my support for a continued and boosted Rocky Mountain Power solar (PV) incentive. If Utah is going to be a leader or at least a respectable market for solar (PV), we currently need and could certainly use continued and boosted support from Rocky Mountain Power (RMP).

The current RMP solar incentive program is ineffective. We have never obtained any financial assistance from the program and have never expected to due to its infamous reputation for being a 'phantom' incentive - gone in a flash.

We all need electricity. I just installed a solar (PV) battery backup system for a resident in West Valley. The owner's wife uses a respirator to support and maintain her ability to continue living. Of course, the equipment runs on electricity and operates continuously, 24 hours a day. The point is that electricity is a community necessity. It's production should be for supporting and uplifting the living standards of the community, not for solely making a profit.

In my opinion, if RMP is to be considered a true community asset and a moral and socially responsible organization, it must increase the effectiveness of its current solar incentive program by increasing the allotted funds dramatically.

There are ways to make this program work for everyone; the people who actually have the practical capacity to utilize solar energy, those who don't, as well as RMP.

Please use your influence and skills to improve the standard of living for all Utahns by maintaining and boosting this important and very much needed solar PV program.

Sincerely,

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