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## Docket #14-035-114 Solar NEM Study

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Dear Commissioners.

The Big Cottonwood Community Council appreciates your effort to find the costs and benefits associated with Rocky Mountain Power's net metering program in Utah. We have long supported the Blue Sky initiative, and many people already generate electricity with their solar panels.

It's important to conduct a comprehensive study of the impacts of displacing fossil fuels with customergenerated renewable energy. This is a unique chance to address the entire spectrum of cost-benefit variables. The study should include all grid-specific factors, public health, economic, and environmental impacts of using renewable energy verses fossil fuels to generate electricity.

Such an in-depth study of net metered renewable energy carries great weight for Utah's energy future.

All the best and thank you! Barbara Cameron, Chair Big Cottonwood Community Council