



Power companies have a plan to kill solar in West Virginia.

For over a decade, WV's net metering policy has helped create local jobs, kept the lights on, and protected Mountaineers from unfair fees and rising utility bills. Now, greedy power companies are pushing the Public Service Commission (PSC) to eliminate these protections.

We encourage you to take the following actions to let the WV PSC know **why** the current net metering policy is beneficial to you.

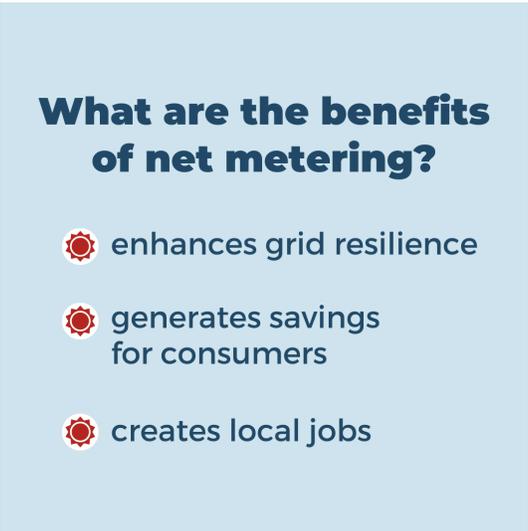
1. Sign this [petition](#).
2. Copy and paste the language and graphic below and text it to someone who you believe would take action on this important issue. If you don't have solar, but this is important to you, feel free to adapt the text below.
3. Share a social post from below that resonates with you to your social media page.
4. Submit a 15-30 second video sharing your positive experience with solar and energy credits. [Learn more.](#)
5. Follow [West Virginians for Energy Freedom](#) on social media for updates on net metering policy.

Text language:

“Hey there! West Virginia power companies are trying to change long-standing rules that protect consumers to get themselves more money - as if they don't have enough. Right now, a policy called net metering allows folks to generate their own electricity with solar and then feed excess power back into the local electric grid in exchange for credits. I have solar, and net metering has been super beneficial to me. It's helped other homeowners and businesses save money and create jobs. Will you help me out and sign this petition in opposition to changes in net metering rules?”

<https://www.energyfreedomwv.org/net-metering-action>

Thank you so much!”

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| <p><i>General</i></p> <p>WV utility companies, Mon Power and Potomac Edison, want to rewrite rules in their favor so that new customers aren't fairly compensated for their excess solar power. This would deny West Virginians the right to energy freedom.</p> <p>It would affect solar users, businesses, and the economic growth of the state.</p> <p>Join us in signing this petition to let the PSC we do not support their rule changes:</p> <p>https://www.energyfreedomwv.org/net-metering-action</p> |  <p>Solar rights are under attack.</p> <p>Stand up for West Virginians' energy rights! Sign the petition to save net metering.</p> |
| <p><i>Businesses</i></p> <p>💡 Net metering enables businesses with solar panels (like us!) to generate their own electricity, then feed their excess power back into the local electric grid.</p> <p>This has allowed local businesses to grow and create new jobs across West Virginia.</p> <p>But now, power companies want to take net metering away, which would cost businesses a lot of money!</p> <p>Join us and sign this petition to let power companies know we oppose the changes to the existing fair market net metering rules.</p> <p>https://www.energyfreedomwv.org/net-metering-action</p> |  <p>What are the benefits of net metering?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> enhances grid resilience generates savings for consumers creates local jobs |

WEST VIRGINIANS FOR ENERGY FREEDOM

Elected Officials

Did you know?

A set of rules is currently in place in WV that makes it possible for solar users who produce more power than they use to earn a credit on their monthly electric bill. It's called net metering.

This is a great opportunity for solar users in the state - businesses and family homes. However, power companies want to take it away.

This affects real people in our communities, and maybe even you!

Join me today and sign the petition to let power companies know we do not support their proposed changes:

<https://www.energyfreedomwv.org/net-metering-action>

Solar Industry Leaders

Once again, solar is under attack in West Virginia. 🚨

Two power companies – Mon Power and Potomac Edison – are attempting to rewrite the rules in their favor, threatening to diminish the benefits of West Virginia's fair market net metering for their customers.

The last thing the state of West Virginia needs is for monopoly utilities to take away more of our energy freedom.

Sign the petition to stop power companies from pulling the plug on solar:

<https://www.energyfreedomwv.org/net-metering-action>



Utility companies are devising a new plan to take away West Virginians' energy freedom.

Join me in standing up for our energy rights: sign the petition to protect fair market net metering.



It's time to stand up for our energy rights.

Sign the petition to stop the assault on solar net metering.