

Subject: RE: HEARING on proposed changes to Net Metering Credit values: Wednesday!!!!

Hello All,

The hearing last night was very effective. The evening started with great testimony in the form of a letter from the Cape Delegation, followed by strong individual testimony from Rep. Randy Hunt, Senator Julian Cyr and Rep. Timothy Whelan.

After that, the DPU heard from the AG's office. The AG is calling for a decrease in Eversource rates, never mind decrying the raise proposed by Eversource.

Then town officials from Tisbury, West Tisbury, Chatham, Barnstable County, Bourne, Harwich, Provincetown, Barnstable, and Yarmouth took the podium, identifying the specific effects on their towns and counties' services and tax base if the DPU allows Eversource to slash the value in the Net Metering Credits.

While Edgartown and Orleans could not attend, CVEC has collected letters from these towns as well.

CVEC will rely on the testimonies you have all provided as we make our case against the Net Metering Credit devaluation. We ask remaining members and participants to provide their individual testimony too! All testimony should be in the form of a letter on letterhead addressed to:

Mark D. Marini, Secretary
Department of Public Utilities
1 South Station
5th Floor
Boston, MA 02110

Please send your letters to CVEC. To be included in CVEC's case, the deadline for your written testimony is next Thursday at the end of business. Friday morning CVEC will submit its testimony on your behalf. The letters you submit to CVEC will make our case. Without testimony from those affected, CVEC hasn't much of a case. We can only preserve the value of Net Metering Credits if we have your testimony.

Thank You,

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