

Public Comments Received for Case Number: 2025-00113
Response Monday, February 16, 2026

Your comments in the above referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2025-00113 in any further correspondence.

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Received through Public Comments

Friday, February 13, 2026

From: Keith Pack
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Comments:

Dear Kentucky Public Service Commission,

My name is Keith Pack, and I am a long-time business owner for over 42 years in Morehead, Kentucky. As a dedicated KU customer, I have invested in two solar installations on my properties specifically to help control and reduce our high utility costs, making sustainable energy a practical choice for a local business like mine. When I submitted my application and installed the systems just two years ago, the information provided by KU and the applicable tariffs clearly indicated that the net metering terms—under NMS-2—would provide stable compensation for exported energy over a long period, often aligned with the expected 25-year lifespan of solar equipment. I relied on those assurances when making this significant financial commitment, expecting reliable credits to offset our energy expenses and deliver a reasonable payback period.

Now, in Case 2025-00113, KU is proposing to drastically lower the net metering export credit rate by nearly half. This change would make my solar investments no longer make economic sense, as the reduced credits would extend the break-even period far beyond what was projected and could turn a smart cost-saving decision into a financial burden. Its deeply unfair to alter the terms mid-stream for existing customers who acted in good faith based on the rules in place at the time of installation.

I strongly urge the Commission to protect existing solar customers by grandfathering current NMS-2 compensation rates for systems already installed, similar to how previous transitions (like from 1:1 net metering to NMS-2 in 2021) preserved benefits for earlier adopters for 25 years. This approach maintains trust in utility commitments, supports continued solar adoption by businesses and residents, and avoids punishing those who've already invested in Kentucky's clean energy future.

Please reject or substantially modify these proposed cuts to net metering credits for existing installations. Kentucky's small businesses and communities benefit from stable, predictable energy solutions like solar—don't undermine them now.

Thank you for considering my concerns as a long-standing KU customer and local business owner.

Sincerely,
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