

## Solar owners don't always use all the electricity they generate

 When they generate extra, that electricity goes back through their electric meter to be used by neighbors.

## Net metering ensures they earn fair credit for this electricity

- With net metering, solar owners earn a credit on their bill based on how much excess electricity they've generated.
- Solar owners have paid for this excess electricity through their initial investment in solar.



## Fair policy is key to continued growth of rooftop solar

- Roughly 3,021 West Virginia homes and businesses participate in rooftop solar net metering programs.
- Ending net metering would strand millions of dollars invested in solar energy and discourage further investment.

## More rooftop solar benefits all West Virginians

- It creates thousands of well-paying West Virginia jobs.
- It lowers costs for all electric customers by making the electric grid more efficient.
- It provides security and resilience to storms by decentralizing power production.

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