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To: [MPSCEDOCKETS](#)
Subject: It's time for Michigan utilities to expand and improve solar programs
Date: Thursday, July 10, 2014 12:45:10 AM

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From: [Paul Hickman](#)
To: [MPSCEDOCKETS](#)
Subject: It's time for Michigan utilities to expand and improve solar programs
Date: Thursday, July 10, 2014 9:47:27 AM

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From: [Martha Hill](#)
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Thank you for your actions in the public interest.

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