



**Agenda Item: Letter of Support**

**Title: Letter of opposition to limiting net metering**

**Recommended Council MOTION:**

I move to approve the letter of opposition to SF0016 because of the harmful effects the legislation could have on Laramie’s Economic Development, Environmental Stewardship, and costs of City Services.

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**Administrative or Policy Goals (from 2020 document):**

Goal 1. Holistic Economic Development

Milestone 1. See Thrive report

Goal 2. Environmental Stewardship

Milestone 4. Continue Renewable Energy Installations and/or Efficiencies at City Facilities & Properties

Goal 3. Maintain and Improve City Services to Residents.

Milestone # 2 Continue Technology Efficiency Program

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**Background:**

We believe the impact of the legislation would be harmful to both our local community and to the state of Wyoming because it would eliminate the many advantages of net metering. The City of Laramie has made investments in photovoltaic arrays and has plans for more for reducing utility costs and carbon emissions.

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**Legal/Statutory Authority:**

**Responsible Staff:**

Mayor Weaver

Attachments:

Letter of Opposition