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To: New Hampshire House Science, Energy, and Technology Committee  
Fr: Doria Brown  
Subj: House Bill 760

Nashua strongly support House Bill 760 because it ensures fairness in New Hampshire's energy market and protects the rights of our communities. Community Power programs provide cost savings, innovation, and local decision-making, but unfair utility cost-shifting threatens their success. HB 760 prevents utilities from imposing discriminatory fees that undermine these programs and shift costs unfairly onto consumers.

This bill also preserves consumer choice by ensuring a level playing field for all energy suppliers, allowing communities to choose the best energy solutions without interference from utilities. Importantly, HB 760 supports local control, protecting the ability of cities and towns to make energy decisions that benefit their residents.

By passing HB 760, we uphold fairness, competition, and community empowerment in New Hampshire's energy future. I urge you to support this bill.

Respectfully,

**Doria Brown, Energy Manager**



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