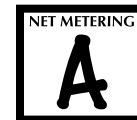
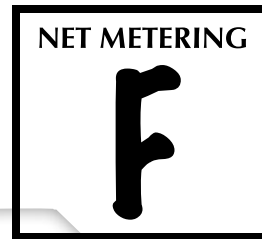
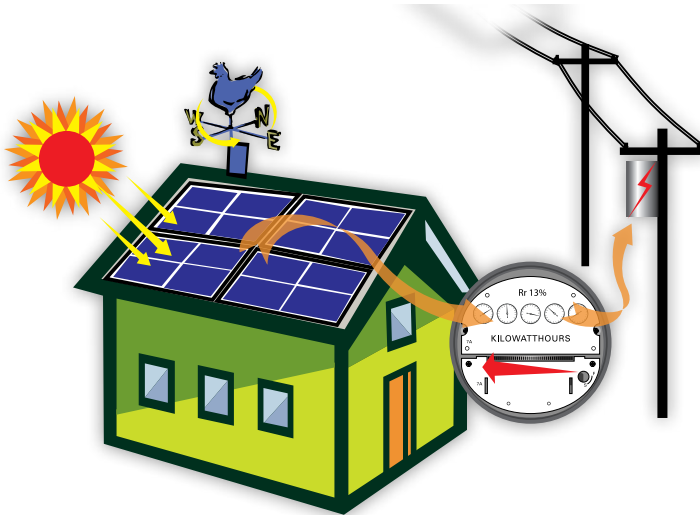


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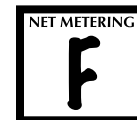
## North Carolina

### What is net metering?

The simplest, fairest way to bill customers who generate their own clean power. Each kilowatt-hour generated has the exact same value as each kilowatt-hour consumed.



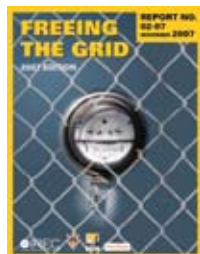
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### What's Wrong?

Customers who generate their own renewable power in our state are hit with extra fees and larger monthly minimums. Under today's rules, a North Carolina customer-generator can actually pay more for using less electricity. Why are we punishing customers who want to add clean power to the grid? This sends a signal North Carolina doesn't want clean energy.



**Good net metering rules drive a vital renewable energy market.  
Bad net metering rules keep renewable energy stalled.**

Energy policy experts recently released **Freeing the Grid: 2007 Edition** a report "grading" states' net metering standards

Available for a free download at:

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