

Nevada's rooftop solar battle heats up

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The future of a November ballot referendum seeking to return Nevada's rooftop solar program to its original, more favorable rates for homeowners remains uncertain, but that hasn't stopped the opposition from starting its campaign.

Citizens for Solar and Energy Fairness, a coalition including NV Energy that wants the new net metering rates approved by state regulators to remain in effect, is running a television ad and has a new website to educate voters on its opposition to the proposed referendum.

The coalition, which says it wants "affordable energy for all ratepayers," states that the referendum to restore Nevada's net metering program, should it qualify for the November ballot, would subsidize rooftop solar customers through those who do not have the systems.

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