

ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2017
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB626

Hearing Date: Thursday February 09, 2017
Committee On: Natural Resources
Introducer: Larson
One Liner: Adopt the Shared Community Solar Act

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Indefinitely postponed

Vote Results:
Aye: 7 Senators Albrecht, Bostelman, Geist, Hughes, Kolowski, Quick, Walz
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting: 1 Senator McCollister

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Tyson Larson
Cliff Mesner
Ken Winston
Nancy Meyer
Alan Meyer
Kevin Connot
Garner Girthoffer
John Hansen

Representing:

Introducer
self
Sierra Club - Nebraska Chapter
self
self
self
Geronimo Energy
Nebraska Farmers Union

Opponents:

Kristen Gottschalk
Dan Schmid

Representing:

Nebraska Rural Electric Association
self

Neutral:

Scott Benson
Rick Nelson

Representing:

Lincoln Electric System
Custer Public Power District

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 626 would create the Shared Community Solar Act, and require local distribution utilities to create a community solar pilot program.

Dan Hughes, Chairperson