Eversource's response to Tropical Storm Isaias was poor. Power restoration took over a week, during which we never saw an Eversource repair truck or line crew. The request for backup line crews was very late and grossly underestimated. No electric utility rate increase is justified or supported.

Connecticut needs to invest in storage and expand the Residential Solar Investment Program, with the goal of achieving our clean energy goals. In addition, we need to keep net-metering intact until at least 2022 and clarify the property tax exemption for solar and storage.

We also need to repeal the Pipeline Tax and move away from natural gas and other fossil fuels for electric generation.

Sincerely,

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