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Mr. Val Jensen  
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Dear Mr. Jensen:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Energy on Tuesday, September 26, 2017, to testify at the hearing entitled "Powering America: Technology's Role in Empowering Consumers."

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. The format of your responses to these questions should be as follows: (1) the name of the Member whose question you are addressing, (2) the complete text of the question you are addressing in bold, and (3) your answer to that question in plain text.

To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions with a transmittal letter by the close of business on Monday, November 13, 2017. Your responses should be mailed to Allie Bury, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to [Allie.Bury@mail.house.gov](mailto:Allie.Bury@mail.house.gov).

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely,



Fred Upton  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Energy

cc: The Honorable Bobby L. Rush, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Energy

Attachment

**Attachment—Additional Questions for the Record**

**The Honorable Fred Upton**

1. With little to no growth in electricity consumption, you're confident that our traditional utility business model is "gone". As new sources of electricity generation attempt to compete in this environment, is financing easily available to these developers or are these proposals seen as too risky?