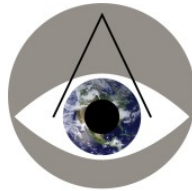


A Letter to Doug McMillon:
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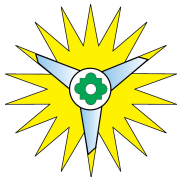


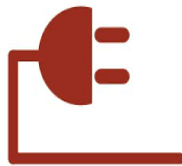
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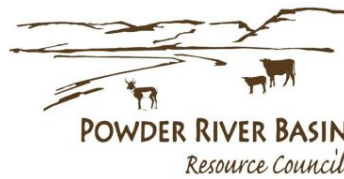
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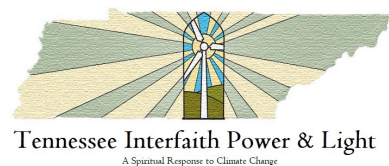
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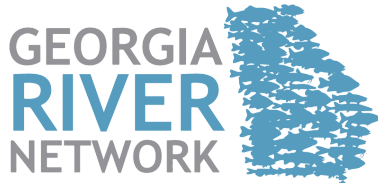
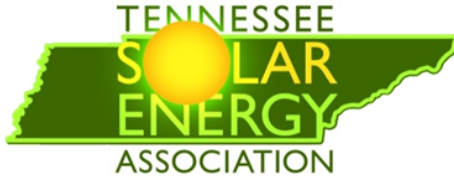


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Mr. Doug McMillon
President and CEO, Walmart Inc.

November 5, 2021

Dear Mr. McMillon,

On behalf of our organizations and the thousands of members we represent, we are writing to urge you to commit Walmart to installing solar on all viable rooftops and parking lots by 2035.

Businesses can and should play a key role in reducing global warming pollution by transitioning to 100 percent renewable energy. We are excited by Walmart's current commitments of zero emissions by 2040 and 100 percent renewable energy by 2035. Walmart's goal to double the number of on-site solar projects on U.S. stores, Sam's Club locations and distribution centers by 2020 is a step in the right direction, yet given its tremendous potential and the benefits of on-site solar production, we are urging you to expand Walmart's commitment to on-site solar.

Specifically, we're urging you to continue Walmart's leadership among America's retailers by committing to put solar wherever viable, including rooftops and parking lots, on its over 5,000 United States locations by 2035.

Putting solar panels on the nation's big box grocery and retail stores creates unique benefits for the environment, electricity customers and the large commercial businesses themselves. The benefits are:

- Generating clean electricity from rooftop solar panels on existing commercial buildings is good for the environment. For example, based on a 2016 report, Walmart alone could install approximately 5,844 MW of rooftop solar capacity which is equivalent to the power consumed by 660,000 American households per year.
- Rooftop solar power is good for the grid and electricity consumers. Producing electricity on rooftops, close to where the electricity will be used, reduces losses that happen during electricity transmission – losses that totaled an estimated 203 million megawatt-hours (MWh), or 5 percent of electricity sales in 2012.
- Putting solar panels on the roofs of all big box stores is good for business. Electricity produced by rooftop panels on the nation's big box stores and shopping centers could offset the annual electricity use of these buildings by 42 percent, saving these businesses \$8.2 billion annually on their electricity bills.

Walmart has been a leader among retailers when it comes to reducing emissions and transitioning to clean renewable energy. We hope you will continue this leadership and as part of it, set an ambitious goal of putting solar on all viable rooftops and parking lots by 2035.

Sincerely,

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