United States 2018 State Smart Meter Opt-Out Survey with Authorities

This state smart meter opt-out survey is up to date as of August 1, 2018, using information that is publicly available on the internet.

Background:

1. Smart meter opt outs take three general forms:
	1. State legislation mandating smart meter opt outs.
	2. State public utility commission regulations mandating smart meter opt outs.
	3. State public utility commission orders approving opt outs and opt out tariffs for different utilities in their smart meter filings.
2. For several states that are new to smart meter deployment, we were unable to find state mandates, public utility regulations or tariffs regarding opt out filings, so we left those states blank, because we could find no references to smart meter opt out or to mandatory smart meter deployment for residential households.
3. If we were able to find at least one utility in the state which permits smart meter opt outs, we listed that state as a “YES”, because obviously, there is at least the possibility of opting out of smart meter deployment in that state.
4. All cited authorities in this survey are compiled and available in full format following this link: <https://www.ehs.group/>

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| States which have considered smart meter harm | Opt Out? | DATE | Authority |
|  Alabama |  |  |  |
|  Alaska |  |  |  |
|  Arizona | YES | 12/18/2014 | Arizona Corporation Commission Decision No 74871 Docket No E-01345A-13-0069 |
|  Arkansas | YES | 10/30/2017 | Arkansas PSC ORDER 8: DOCKET 16-060-U (Entergy AMI metering application) |
|  California | YES | 2/1/2012 | CA PSC smart meter opt out order 12-02-014. |
|  Colorado |  |  |  |
|  Connecticut |  |  |  |
|  Delaware |  |  |  |
|  Florida | YES | 1/7/2015 | Florida PSC order PSC-15-0026-FOF-EI, Docket 130223-EI |
|  Georgia | YES | 12/17/2013 | “Smart Meter Q & A - Georgia Public Service Commission On December 17, 2013 the Commission approved a Smart Meter Opt-Out tariff as part of Georgia Power's 2013 rate case. Customers who opt out of having a smart meter installed and prefer to maintain a mechanical meter at their residence or facility can now do so with a basic service charge of $19 per month.”Georgia Public Service Commission Docket # 36989 |
|  Hawaii | YES | 2013 \_ \_ 8/29/2017 2/7/2018 | Kauai Island Utility Cooperatives opt out; August 2017 smart meter opt in only: Hawaiian ElectricMaui Hawaiian Electric proposes opt in onlyHawaii PUC Order No 35268 Docket 2017-0226 |
|  Idaho | YES | 2015 | Idaho Falls response to CRC opt out recommendations #6.4 |
|  Illinois | YES | 2/5/2014 | Illinois Commerce Comm. Com Ed Opt Out Order 13-0552  |
|  Indiana | YES | 6/13/2018 | Indiana Utility Reg Comm Order Cause 44963 |
|  Iowa | YES | pre 2018 | Alliant Energy filings with Iowa Utilities Bd allow opt outs from AMI Meters. |
|  Kansas |  |  |  |
|  Kentucky  | YES  | 4/13/2016 | Kentucky PSC Order case 2012-00428 |
|  Louisiana  | YES | October 2012 | Lafayette Utility System smart meter opt out tariff approved by City-Parish Council |
|  Maine | YES | 5/19/2011 6/22/2011 | Maine PUC Part I Opt Out Order, Maine PUC Part II Opt Out Order. |
|  Maryland | YES | 1/7/2013 | Maryland Public Service Commission Order No. 85294 Cases no 9207, 9208, 9294 |
|  Massachusetts  | YES | 2014 | Massachusetts Dept of Public Utilities tariff 13-83-A |
|  Michigan | YES | 6/28/2013 | Michigan PSC Decision Case No. U-17087 |
|  Minnesota | YES | as of August 2018  | Connexus Energy Opt out form  |
|  Mississippi | YES | 5/17/2017 | PSC Order docket 2016-UA-261 |
|  Missouri | YES | 2018 | Missouri City Utilities AMI Opting Out information, City Utilities website 2018 |
|  Montana |  |  |  |
|  Nebraska |  |  |  |
|  Nevada | YES | 2/4/2013 | Nevada PUC Docket No. 12-05003 |
|  New Hampshire | YES | 6/7/2012 | NH Cons Stat. Title 34 Ch. 374 section 374-62 |
|  New Jersey |  |  |  |
|  New Mexico | YES | 4/11/2018 | NM Public Reg Comm. Final Order, Case No. 15-00312-UT |
|  New York | YES | 10/19/2017 | NY PSC Order Case no 14-M-0196 |
|  North Carolina | YES | 6/22/2018 | North Carolina Utilities Commission Order in Docket No. E-7, SUB 1115; Docket No. E-100, SUB 147; DOCKET No. E-100, SUB 153 |
|  North Dakota |  |  |  |
|  Ohio |  YES  | 4/27/2016 | OHIO PUC Order re Duke Energy Opt Out case numbers 14-1160-EL-UNC |
|  Oklahoma | YES | 7/1/20185/1/2017 | Okla. Corp Comm. Order No. 679358, Docket No. PUD 201700496 Okla. Corp Comm. Order No 662059, Docket No. PUD 201500273  |
|  Oregon | YES | 3/21/2017 | PUC PACIFICORP, d/b/a PACIFIC POWER Order No. 17-113 |
|  Pennsylvania | NO | 5/3/2018 6/14/2018  | PUC final decision C-2015-2474602 \_ PUC final decision C-2015-2475355  |
|  Rhode Island | YES | 2/1/2013 | RI PUC Case No. 2130 |
|  South Carolina | YES | 11/17/2016 | SC PSC DOCKET NO. 2016-354-E - ORDER NO. 2016-791 |
|  South Dakota |  |  |  |
|  Tennessee | YES | August 2012 | Cleveland Utilities offers opt outs |
|  Texas | YES | 8/9/2013 | TEXAS PUC non standard meter service Project 41111 Rule PUC Regulations Section 25.133 |
|  Utah | YES | 3/7/2017 | Provo Municipal Council 17-043 AMI Opt Out Policy and fee request |
|  Vermont | YES | 5/18/2012 | 30 V. Stat. Ann. § 2811 |
|  Virginia | YES | 5/14/2013 | Dominion Energy smart meter opt outs: Dominion Energy website under “Location: Virginia” |
|  Washington  | YES | 4/10/2018 | Wash UTC docket U-180117 Policy Statement |
|  West Virginia | YES | 5/14/2013 | Dominion Energy smart meter opt outs: Dominion Energy website under “Location: West Virginia” |
|  Wisconsin | YES | 11/1/2012 | Order docket 5-WI-101 Wisconsin Public Service Commission |
|  Wyoming | YES | 12/23/2013 | Wyoming PSC Docket No. 10012-59-CT-13 (Record No. 13658) |