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As chair of the Colrain Energy committee I have become aware of the potential barrier roof warranties can place making it difficult to place a solar array on a rooftop.
My suggestion is that the MA building code require any new building to have the capacity to bear the weight of a full rooftop of panels plus the snow that could potentially fall on the roof.
Thank you
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