



WE ALL BENEFIT FROM THE SUMTER SOLAR PROJECT

Recurrent Energy is developing a large-scale solar energy project in Sumter County, Georgia north of Americus. Recurrent Energy expects to install up to 150 megawatts (MW) of solar on the site, which has the potential to power over 32,000 homes each year, boost economic development and significantly increase tax revenue for public services in Sumter County once the project is in operation, which is expected to be late 2023.



MORE FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SERVICES

- With about 1,300 acres, the Sumter Solar Project may sound large. But consider this: Sumter County has over 309,000 acres of land, so the project will account for less than 0.5% of Sumter County's total acreage.
- The Sumter Solar Project will generate over \$10 million of long-term additional revenue to Sumter County over the project's anticipated operational life.
- This additional tax revenue will be available for Sumter County to increase funding for schools, first responders, and other critical infrastructure services.



ATTRACTING BETTER-PAYING LOCAL JOBS

- Up to 350 jobs are expected to be created during peak construction.
- Expanded local power capabilities can also help attract the better jobs of the future – jobs that will provide opportunities so that Sumter County kids can stay in the area and earn a good living.
- The Sumter Solar Project is expected to generate 2-4 permanent jobs.



COMMUNITY COMMITMENT

- We are committed to partnering with our host communities and organizations where we develop projects. The Sumter Solar Project will support Sumter County's local community organizations through donations and sponsorships.
- If there are community organizations we should reach out to, please let us know.



ADVANCING GEORGIA'S ECONOMY

- Georgia is one of the most advanced and fastest-growing clean energy states in the southeastern United States.
- Georgia utilities are procuring solar energy because it is the most cost-effective source of energy for their customers and their operations.
- This investment in cost-effective, clean power generation in turn incentivizes further economic growth in Georgia, such as technology companies that prefer their data centers to be powered with green energy.

CREATING OPPORTUNITIES FOR SUMTER COUNTY BUSINESSES



- The Sumter Solar Project will create hundreds of new local construction jobs and new customers for local businesses.
- In all of the communities where we develop solar projects, Recurrent Energy identifies qualified local and regional businesses to assist with the development, construction and maintenance of the project. Business opportunities include engineering, geotechnical, surveying, construction, directional boring, aggregate/stonework, vegetation removal/disposal, equipment rentals, trucking/hauling, restoration, and housing/hospitality.
- Any business that can assist with the construction and maintenance of the Sumter Solar Project is encouraged to submit information to Recurrent Energy through the Sumter Solar Project website's Local Business page.

POSITIVE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR SUMTER COUNTY

- The Sumter Solar Project is an example of the type of economic development that is bringing low-cost, clean energy to Georgia.
- The project will help Sumter County attract more businesses, fuel existing business expansion, and contribute substantially to the county's tax base.

About Recurrent Energy: Recurrent Energy is a leading utility-scale solar and energy storage project developer. Based in the United States, Recurrent is a wholly owned subsidiary of Canadian Solar Inc. and functions as Canadian Solar's United States project development arm.

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