







“...FEMA projects that nearly thirteen thousand people will die in the Cascadia earthquake and tsunami. Another twenty-seven thousand will be injured, and the agency expects that it will need to provide shelter for a million displaced people, and food and water for another two and a half million.”

Solar & Storage Projects

- RVCOG (Central Point)
- Oregon Shakespeare Festival (Talent)
- First United Methodist Church (Salem)
- Neah-Kah-Nie School District (Manzanita / Garibaldi)
- Temple Beth Sholom (Salem)
- City of Talent (Talent)
- Jackson County Fire District (Talent)
- SnowCap Food Bank (Gresham)
- Access Food Bank (Medford)
- Mt. View Elementary School + District Office (Corvallis)
- City of Medford WWTP (Community Solar)*

How Can I Participate in Solar in Oregon?

1) **Install solar on your own roof (behind the meter)**

- a) Finance it yourself, and reap the benefits of the tax credits.
- b) Finance as much of it as the tax credits are worth, and crowdfund the rest. Your net cost is zero.
- c) Have it financed entirely by others.

2) **Install solar on your own roof (community solar)**

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- b) Finance as much of it as the tax credits are worth, and crowdfund the rest. Your net cost is zero.
- c) Have it financed entirely by others.

3) **Invest with others in Crowdfunding a cooperatively-owned solar project**, on a school, nonprofit or other B Corp company. Minimum investment is \$1,000, returns are paid back annually, and anyone in Oregon can participate.

4) **Invest with others in Crowdfunding a Community Solar Project**. The power goes to subscribers (including you, if you want). Minimum investment is \$5,000, returns are paid back annually, and anyone in Oregon can participate.

5) **Subscribe to a Community Solar project**. Oregon's new Community Solar program allows customers of Pacific Power and PGE to subscribe to the power produced by a Community Solar project, and get a credit on their electric bill. No upfront payment is required, and individuals, nonprofits, businesses and governments can all participate.

6) **Own a share of a Community Solar project**. Join with others in owning part of the solar panels in a community solar project. You split the cost of buying the solar equipment, and get a credit on your bill for the power produced, and since you own the solar equipment, you can also claim the federal tax credit on the equipment.

7) **Buy Renewable Energy Credits (RECs)** in projects elsewhere, from a utility or other organization (PGE, RDF, PacifiCorp Blue Sky, etc.)

Solar Harvest



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Humble Suggestions...

- Fund batteries on solar installations, at key locations
- Remove the barriers to combining solar and agriculture