

Solar for All Partner Connection Form

This optional partner connection form has been created to help potential applicants, coalition members, and partners identify each other and create coalitions and partnerships before applying to the Solar for All competition. Interested parties should fill out this form by June 20, 2023. Shortly after this deadline, parties who provide their contact information will receive a list of all parties who are interested in discussing partnerships. By providing this information, you are consenting to sharing your contact information with everyone who has signed up to be on this list.

All fields below are required, unless otherwise noted. Note: EPA will not publish this list publicly.

Please note submitting this form **does not** constitute a Notice of Intent (NOI), which will be described in the Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) and required for all Solar for All applicants.

Terms of Use

This partner connection list is intended to provide organizations interested in the Solar for All grant competition with an opportunity to form coalitions and partnerships with other organizations interested in this competitive grant opportunity.

EPA does not intend for the connection list to be used by individual consultants or other for-profit vendors to market their services to potential applicants as partners or otherwise. EPA will not include the contact information for individual consultants or other for-profit vendors on the partner connection list.

You must agree to these terms of use before continuing. **On June 20, 2023, this form will be closed.** Shortly thereafter an Excel spreadsheet will be distributed to the entire list that users will be able to filter and sort to find potential matches.

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- I do not agree to these terms of use and will not submit my information.

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Organization Type

- Non-Profit Organization
- Private-Sector Lender/Investor
- Other For-Profit Organization
- State Government
- Municipal Government
- Tribal Government
- Other

List all states or territories you are considering applying to serve in Solar for All (Please use standard two letter abbreviations)

CT

Please include a brief description of your organization.

As the nation's first state-level green bank, the Connecticut Green Bank leverages public resources to mobilize private investment to scale up clean energy and environmental infrastructure deployment. Such investment reduces the emissions of greenhouse gases and air pollutants, while providing benefits to vulnerable communities. For more details on the green bank, visit www.ctgreenbank.com

Please include a short description of your grant idea or area of interest.

As an interagency partner of a Connecticut Consortium including Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (“DEEP”), Public Utilities Regulatory Authority (“PURA”), Connecticut Housing and Finance Authority (“CHFA”), Department of Housing (“DOH”), and Department of Banking (“DOB”), the Connecticut Green Bank (“Green Bank”) seeks to support the investment in and deployment of residential solar in low-income and disadvantaged communities in Connecticut through a combination of funding and financing of technical and financial assistance initiatives. As a state with statutes consistent with the objectives of the GGRF, including statutory greenhouse gas emission reduction targets (e.g., 45% below 2001 levels by 2030 – consistent with the National Determined Contributions of 50-52% reduction of 2005 levels by 2030), statutory residential and community solar and storage incentive programs consistent with the principles of Justice 40, and statutory just transition policy enabling workforce development programs, including pre-apprenticeships and apprenticeship training, paying prevailing wages, and requiring community benefit agreements, Connecticut is ready to invest Solar for All resources through the GGRF to increase benefits from residential solar for low-income and disadvantaged communities.

In the coming months, we will be engaging our vulnerable communities to better understand the technical and financial assistance needs necessary to overcome barriers to accessing residential solar.

For more details on the Connecticut Consortium's comments into the GGRF, visit www.ctgreenbank.com/ggrf