

# Societal Impact Report

FY12  
FY26

Since the Connecticut Green Bank's inception through the bipartisan legislation in July 2011, we have mobilized more than **\$3.28 billion of investment** into the State's green economy. To do this, we used **\$545.8 million** in Green Bank dollars to attract **\$2.74 billion** in private investment, a leverage ratio of **\$6.00 for every \$1**. The impact of our deployment of renewable energy and energy efficiency to families, businesses, and our communities is shown in terms of economic development, environmental protection, equity, and energy (data from FY 2012 through FY 2026).\*

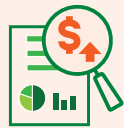
## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

**JOBS** The Green Bank has supported the creation of more than **31,544** direct, indirect, and induced job-years.



### TAX REVENUES

The Green Bank's activities have helped generate an estimated **\$173.6 million** in state tax revenues.



**\$63.8 million**  
individual income tax

**\$65.2 million**  
corporate taxes

**\$42.9 million**  
sales taxes

**\$1.5 million**  
property taxes

## ENERGY

### ENERGY BURDEN

The Green Bank has reduced the energy costs on families, businesses, and our communities.



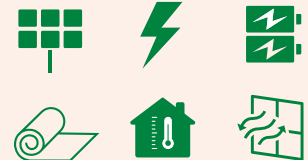
**72,800+**  
families



**9,000+**  
businesses

### DEPLOYMENT

The Green Bank has accelerated the growth of renewable energy to more than **777.7 MW** and lifetime savings of over **100 million MMBTUs** through energy efficiency projects.



## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

**POLLUTION** The Green Bank has helped reduce air emissions that cause climate change and worsen public health, including **6.7 million pounds** of SOx and **9.2 million pounds** of NOx lifetime.



**12.6 MILLION**  
tons of CO<sub>2</sub> :  
**EQUALS**

**189 MILLION**  
tree seedlings  
grown for 10 years

OR

**2.6 MILLION**  
passenger vehicles  
driven for one year

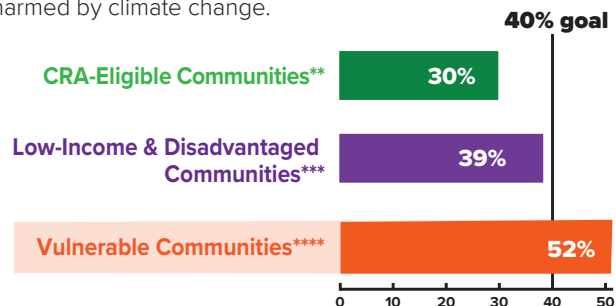
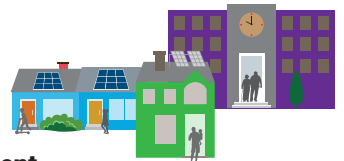
**PUBLIC HEALTH** The Green Bank has improved the lives of families, helping them avoid sick days, hospital visits, and even death.

**\$291.2 – \$609.4 million of lifetime public health value created**



## EQUITY

**INVESTING** in vulnerable communities, The Green Bank has set **goals** to reach **40% investment** in communities that may be disproportionately harmed by climate change.



\*\* Community Reinvestment Act (CRA) Eligible Communities – households at or below 80% of Area Median Income (AMI)

\*\*\* Low-Income and Disadvantaged Communities – those within federal Climate and Economic Justice Screening Tool and Environmental Justice Screening Tool

\*\*\*\* Vulnerable Communities – consistent with the definition of Public Act 20-05, including low- to moderate-income communities (i.e., less than 100% AMI), CRA-eligible communities, and environmental justice communities (e.g., including DECD distressed communities)



\* Includes projects, deployment, and investments approved, but not yet interconnected under Energy Storage Solutions.

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