



Want to go solar on your home, farm, or small business but don't know where to start?

Good news! The new Lakes and Prairies Solar Co-op is now open for new members. This opportunity is brought to you by West Central Initiative, the Clean Energy Resource Teams (CERTs), and Solar United Neighbors (SUN).

The solar co-op is free to join, making going solar easier and more affordable than ever.

What is a solar co-op?

Solar co-ops are neighbors joining together to use group buying power to get the best price on solar. It also allows co-op members to tap into the expertise of SUN and other community members who have gone solar to help you with your solar transition.

Why a solar co-op?

- Get a great price and service when going solar.
- Tap into and understand financial incentives for going solar.
- Get support throughout the process of going solar.
- Join for free with no obligation to go solar.

Now is a great time to go solar:

- With the Inflation Reduction Act of 2023, the Federal Solar Investment Tax Credit is now at 30% of the cost of going solar.
- Through Minnesota's "net metering" policy your electric utility compensates you for the solar power you produce but don't use.
- Solar panels start generating income the moment they are turned on and can pay for themselves over the life of the system.

Attend a Solar 101 event in your community or online to learn more!

- Morris: November 12, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. at the West Central Research and Outreach Center
- Fergus Falls: December 4, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. at the Fergus Falls Public Library
- Moorhead: January 23, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. at the Moorhead Library
- Virtual Solar 101: February 11, 2025, at noon.
- Virtual Solar 101: March 25, 2025, at 7 p.m.

Learn more & sign up for the Lakes and Prairies Solar Co-op:

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Scan to join the co-op, register for a Solar 101 event, or learn more!



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