

QUARTERLY REPORT

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16 New Nonprofits Assisted



14 Advocacy Engagements



12 Coalition Commitments Fulfilled

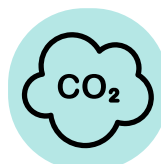
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567 Clean Energy Projects Funded



219,789.54 Kilowatts of Solar Supported



5.42 Megatons of Carbon Offset



\$38,405,668 total grants managed



QUARTER 2 HIGHLIGHTS



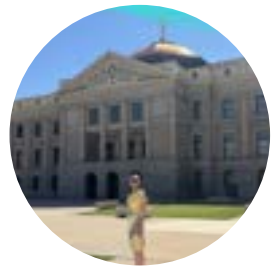
We participated in San Diego's "Hands Off" Earth Day event, in partnership with SanDiego350, to protest the Trump Administration's attempts to strip climate nonprofits of their 501(c)(3) status as well as erode climate policies and programs. We also stood up for climate justice at the Make Polluters Pay press event and the "No Kings" march.

We hosted our second annual pickleball fundraiser, benefiting the Olivewood Gardens & Learning Center in National City, which successfully raised \$13,120 to support their clean energy project, bringing the total funding secured for this new roof, solar, storage and heat pump project to the total project cost of \$155,000. The system is installed and producing clean energy! Thanks to all of the project supporters!



Our third cohort of college interns completed their internships. We were happy to host two San Diego State University students, Isabella Louie and Lucas Baker, who served as our Climate Justice Intern and Climate Graphic Designer Intern. Congratulations to both of them for graduating in June!

Our founder and executive director met with the office of Arizona Governor Katie Hobbs to discuss solar programs and policies to make solar more accessible to renters, low income communities and tribal communities. Tara has been invited to speak at the upcoming Arizona Tribal Clean Energy Summit.



Our founder and executive director, Tara Hammond, traveled to La Crosse, Wisconsin to accept the Partner of the Year award from the La Crosse County Library Foundation, visited a dozen Solar Moonshot Program grantee solar sites and met with community leaders.

We were invited to speak at Rep. Mike Levin's 123rd Town Hall in Encinitas. Tara spoke about how the Federal Budget Reconciliation Bill would negatively impact clean energy projects while increasing electric bills for everyone and extending reliance on fossil fuels.

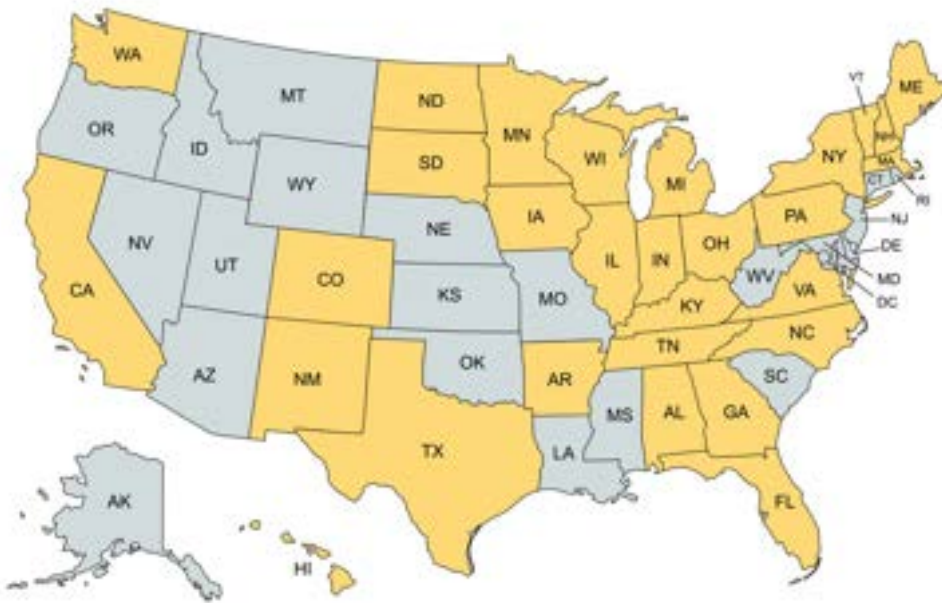


SOLAR MOONSHOT PROGRAM



Our [Solar Moonshot Program](#) supports nonprofit organizations in making the transition to clean solar energy by providing critical funding for clean energy projects that might not otherwise be possible.

In addition to direct grants through the program, we also offer short-term, low-interest recoverable grants to help cover project costs offset by the Investment Tax Credit. These recoverable grants not only extend the impact of Solar Moonshot Program funding but also help establish a sustainable revenue stream, enabling the program to support even more organizations in their shift to renewable energy.



Projects supported by the Solar Moonshot Program in 29 states, Puerto Rico, Rwanda, Mexico, Cameroon and the Philippines

IMPACTS THIS QUARTER



\$337,772
committed



1,103.53 kW
of solar supported



\$230,027
in estimated
financial savings



16 projects
across **8 states**

SOLAR MOONSHOT PROGRAM



Below is the list of nonprofit organizations who have been committed a Solar Moonshot Program grant and are still in the construction process or awaiting for their solar power systems to be energized!

- Be a Helping Hand located in Nashville, TN
- Manistique Community Treehouse Center located in Detroit, MI
- School District of West Salem located in West Salem, WI
- School District of La Crosse (Northside Elementary) located in La Crosse, WI
- Habitat for Humanity Virginia located in VA
- Art Intersection MKE, located in Milwaukee, WI
- Deerfield Community Center, located in Deerfield, WI
- Hope Village - Tiny Housing Alternatives Inc, located in Chippewa Falls, WI
- Staunton-Augusta-Waynesboro Habitat for Humanity located in GA
- Couleecap Inc, located in La Crosse, WI
- EARTHseed Farm and Permaculture, located in Sonoma County, CA
- Northeast Iowa Council, Boy Scouts of America, located in Dubuque, IA
- Clinton Community Hall, located in Clinton, WA
- Southern Bluffs Elementary, located in La Crosse, WI
- Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Radio, located in Dewy County,
- Gloria Dei Lutheran Church, located in Duluth, MI
- Newfound Lake Region Association, located in Newfound Lake, NH

SOLAR MOONSHOT PROGRAM



Below is the continued list of nonprofit organizations who have been committed a Solar Moonshot Program grant and are still in the construction process or awaiting for their solar power systems to be energized!

- Pine Point Native School Microgrid & Resilience Hub, located on White Earth Reservation, MN
- Quasimondo Physical Theatre, located in Milwaukee, WI
- The Nature Place, located in La Crosse, WI
- Aldo Leopold Nature Center, located in Monona, WI
- North County Alano Club, located in Oceanside, CA
- Delta Learning Center, located in Antioch, CA
- Casa Uriel, located in Tijuana, MX
- Whitehall Community Library, located in Whitehall, WI
- Ontario Community Library, located in Ontario, WI
- Hillsboro Community Library, located in Hillsboro, WI
- Pilgrim United Church of Christ and Preschool, located in Carlsbad, CA
- Scouting America, Gateway Area Council, located La Crosse, WI
- Turnstone Center for Children and Adults with Disabilities, located in Fort Wayne, IN
- Seneca Nation, located in Irving, NY
- Family Children's Center, located in Winona, MN
- Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Central PA, located in State College, PA
- Zeitgeist Center for Arts and Community, located in Duluth, MN
- Youth Empowerment for Advancement Hangout Philly, located in Philadelphia, PA
- Claremont Learning Partnership, located in Claremont, NH
- Washtenaw International High School and Middle School, located in Ypsilanti, MI

SOLAR MOONSHOT PROGRAM



Recently completed projects that are producing clean energy:

- Gustavus Adolphus College located in St. Peter, MN
- Kinvest Impact Foundation, located in Rwanda
- Clinton Community hall, located in Clinton, WA
- Centre for Community Development and Environmental Restoration, located in Cameroon
- Cottonwood Gulch Expeditions, located in Albuquerque, NM
- Olivewood Gardens & Learning Center, located in National City, CA
- Recreation and Fitness Resources, located in Bayfield, WI
- School District of La Crosse (Summit Elementary) located in La Crosse, WI



SOLAR MOONSHOT PROGRAM FEEDBACK



"Our new solar system will help reduce operating costs for the Clinton Community Hall for decades into the future. We couldn't have moved forward without the support of the Solar Moonshot Program. In addition to the generous financial support, their program is super accessible and the folks we worked with were so helpful throughout the process. Just such an amazing resource for smaller non-profit facilities like ours that might not otherwise be able to get solar installed."

- Mike Gerhardt
Board President, Clinton Community Hall



Photo credit:
Clinton Community Hall



Photo credit:
Community Development and Environmental
Restoration

"We are located in the tropics where there is abundant sunshine and can exploit this advantage to improved on the lighting situation in our hospitals and clinics. With this in mind and considering the unreliable nature of our energy supply company, CENCUDER, has recently installed solar energy in 3 health centers to enable them function 24 hours a day."

- Kwangene Princely, CEO, Community Development and
Environmental Restoration

LOOKING AHEAD



Launch Partnership with the SD International Film Festival

The San Diego International Film Festival and Hammond Climate Solutions Foundation have announced the inaugural Climate Track, which is debuting this October at the 24th annual film festival and will feature powerful films that spark climate action, foster meaningful dialogue and help drive real-world solutions. This exciting new addition highlights the role of storytelling in addressing the climate crisis. The film festival will promote the opportunity for attendees to contribute to a solar and storage project for the Boys & Girls Club of South County in Imperial Beach. If you would like to explore sponsorship opportunities for the Climate Track and the climate event, please reach out to us!



Support Solar, Storage and Clean Energy Workshops in National City

Last year, we were awarded a \$100,000 grant from San Diego Community Power, in partnership with the San Diego Foundation and Calpine Energy. This funding helped advance a solar and battery storage project at Olivewood Gardens & Learning Center, along with educational clean energy workshops that focus on youth workforce development. We'll be co-hosting the first workshop for youth who are interested in going into the clean energy space on October 4! More details will be announced on our social media channels soon.



Continue Strong Climate Advocacy

We are actively using our voice and resources to advance climate justice across San Diego, California and throughout the country. Our team continues to champion equitable clean energy policies and programs that deliver tangible benefits to local communities—especially those historically underserved. This includes our strong opposition to the “Big Beautiful Bill,” which threatens to erode critical clean energy tax credits and limit access to renewable solutions. We’re committed to protecting these incentives and ensuring they remain available to nonprofits, families and frontline communities who need them most.



Managing A Clean Energy Grant Program

We have agreed to manage a \$500,000 clean energy grant program for projects in Oceanside. More details should be announced next month.



Securing Funding for Climate Programs

We are actively pursuing additional funding opportunities to expand our programs, scale our impact and bring clean energy solutions as well as climate education to more communities across the country.



THANK YOU!

We couldn't do this work without the incredible support of our philanthropic and nonprofit partners. Thanks for helping push forward real change toward a more just and livable future.



For questions, feedback, partnership or donation inquiries,
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