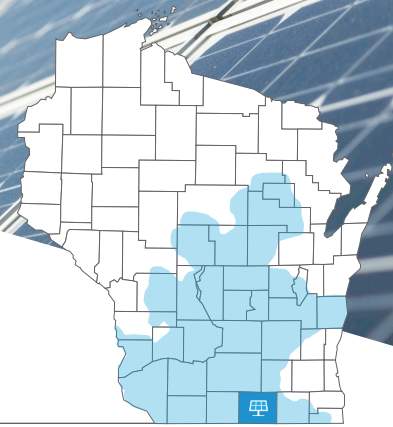


# North Rock Solar Project



The North Rock Solar Project is an estimated 50-megawatt (MW) solar project located in Rock County, Wisconsin. Once complete, the project will positively impact the environment and generate enough clean, low-cost energy to power nearly 13,000 homes.

## Fast facts

**Location:** Town of Fulton | **Size:** 50 MW | **Project area:** 473 acres | **Homes powered:** ~13,000

## Economic benefits

The North Rock Solar Project will be a significant source of new local tax revenue, creating hundreds of thousands of dollars in annual shared revenue for the Town of Fulton and Rock County. Construction of this project is creating around 100 jobs and relies heavily on the skilled craftsmanship of workers hired through several local union halls including carpenters (Local 314), laborers (Local 464), operating engineers (Local 139), IBEW electricians (Local 890) and millwrights (Local 1056). Leased land payments will provide income for local landowners and farmers over the 30-year lifespan. In addition, soil recovery during the project's lifespan will protect agricultural land and preserve its value for future generations.



## Environmental benefits

This project will feature grass and seed mixes surrounding the solar panels and throughout the solar arrays that will help build soil nutrients and create a pollinator-friendly habitat. Pollinator friendly vegetation has been proven to prevent soil erosion and add benefit to high-value crops, creating a win-win for both human and wildlife communities.

Requiring only sunlight for fuel, the North Rock Solar Project represents a long-term reduction of traditional fossil fuels for energy generation, creating a clean environment and clean energy future for Wisconsin and the Midwest.

## Powering what's next

The North Rock Solar Project is part of Alliant Energy's Clean Energy Blueprint for Wisconsin, a strategic roadmap to cost-effectively accelerate renewable energy while reducing carbon emissions. As part of the Blueprint, Alliant Energy plans to add nearly 1,100 MW of solar energy to the grid by the end of 2023. For more information visit [poweringwhatsnext.alliantenergy.com](https://poweringwhatsnext.alliantenergy.com).

