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Sunrise Solar Solutions Wins 10th Solarize Contract with Newest Solar Initiative: Solarize Our Congregation

Solarize Our Congregation Brings Solar Power to Congregations in Westchester, Rockland and the Hudson Valley

[Sunrise Solar Solutions](#) has just won its 10th Solarize contract, [Solarize Our Congregation](#), a new solar power program bringing quality solar installations at discounted pricing to members and friends of selected religious organizations. Sunrise Solar Solutions the largest locally-owned and operated solar company in Westchester, Rockland and the Hudson Valley, including northern New Jersey and Connecticut, was named the official solar installer for the Hudson River Presbytery-South, which includes 34 Presbyterian congregations in both Westchester and Rockland Counties.

Solarize is a community outreach program that uses a discounted pricing structure, education and outreach to offer quality, affordable solar electric systems to property owners. Given the

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Federal and state tax incentives, attractive financing, and the group discount, qualified homeowners and commercial or nonprofit property owners, including churches, can have a system installed at no upfront cost and realize immediate and ongoing savings on their electricity bills.

Solarize Our Congregation is a new program developed and administered by Abundant Efficiency, a clean energy consultancy. The current Solarize Our Congregation campaign is offered in partnership with Sustainable Westchester, a Westchester-based non-profit that counts nearly all Westchester municipalities as members. Technical support is provided by New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA) under Governor Andrew M. Cuomo's NY-Sun initiative, a \$1 billion investment in solar power through 2023 to significantly expand solar installations. HRP-Green has conducted extensive outreach to area churches and congregations and has provided guidance on tailoring the Solarize program for its members.

Sunrise was chosen as the installer best suited to serve residential and business owners through the Solarize program's competitive bidding process. This process required that all solar contractors be thoroughly vetted by the state and local agencies, have a stellar reputation, a commitment to the community and prove that they are dedicated to best practices.

"Sunrise is very excited to be working with HRP-Green on this unique program. It is wonderful to be able to bring value to both the churches and their congregants and to support the core value of caring for the earth," said Sunrise Solar Solutions president and CEO Doug Hertz.

Sunrise had also been named the designated residential and commercial installer by several other Solarize programs throughout the region including Solarize Bedford-Mount Kisco,

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Solarize Cortlandt-Croton, Solarize Larchmont-Mamaroneck, Solarize Greenburgh, Solarize Peekskill, Solarize Nyack Plus (including all of Rockland County), Solarize Rye Brook, Solarize Hastings-Dobbs Ferry and Solarize Wappingers.

“We are known as a top-tier residential and commercial installation company and guarantee our clients that they will receive the highest quality materials, the best possible service and pricing, and the benefit of our experience and hands-on customer service approach,” says Hertz.

Homeowners who sign up for solar installations by June 4, 2018 will be able to take advantage of group rates significantly below market prices. Commercial and nonprofit property owners can sign up for information about the program until June 4th and have until October to sign a contract.

A number of HRP Presbyterian churches will be holding Solarize Our Congregation Info Sessions, which are open to members and friends of HRP Presbyterian congregations as well as the surrounding community. Sessions have already taken place in Pleasantville, Rye, and Montgomery. Find an updated list of upcoming info sessions at www.SolarizeOurCongregation.org (select North or South region).

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Sunrise Solar Solutions, headquartered in Briarcliff Manor, NY, is the largest locally-owned and operated solar company in Westchester and the Hudson Valley, including northern NJ and CT. A full service NYSERDA solar installer and NABCEP certified installer -- Sunrise offers sales, design, and installation of state-of-the-art solar energy systems for both homes and businesses. For more information, call (914)762-7622 or visit, <http://www.sunrisesolarllc.com>.

Photos attached: First Presbyterian Church of Yorktown Heights (Westchester County) (2)