

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE TASK FORCE MEMBERS  
**FROM:** TODD WYNN, TASK FORCE DIRECTOR  
**DATE:** April 6, 2011  
**RE:** 35-DAY MAILING—SPRING TASK FORCE SUMMIT

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The American Legislative Exchange Council will host its **Spring Task Force Summit (STFS) on May 10-11 in Charlotte, NC** at the **Westin Charlotte**. If you have not yet registered for this meeting, please click [here](#) for registration information or go to [www.alec.org](http://www.alec.org).

The following meetings are of interest to members of the Energy, Environment and Agriculture Task Force:

**Thursday, May 10**

- Registration (1:00pm – 5:30pm)
- Board Dinner (TBD, by invitation only)
- Opening night reception (8:00pm -11:00pm)

**Friday, May 11**

- Registration (7:30 am-3:00pm)
- ALEC Joint Board of Directors Meeting (8:00am-12:15pm, by invitation only)
- Task Force Energy and Agriculture Joint Subcommittee meeting (7:10am-9:15am)
- Energy, Environment and Agriculture Task Force Lunch Meeting (1:00pm-2:00pm)  
Presentation: Energy Cost Impacts on American Families  
*Eugene M. Trisko*
- Energy, Environment and Agriculture Task Force meeting (2:00pm – 5:20pm)
- Reception (5:30pm-7:00pm)

**The following materials are attached:**

- Agenda for the Energy, Environment and Agriculture Task Force Meeting (1 page)
- Agenda for the Joint Subcommittee Meeting (1 page)
- States and the Nation Policy Summit Task Force Meeting Minutes (1 page)
- Spring Task Force Summit Agenda-at-a-Glance (2 pages)
- Scholarship Policy by Meeting, ALEC Task Force Operating Procedures and ALEC Mission Statement (14 pages)
- Attendee Registration Housing Form and Spouse/Guest Registration Housing Form (2 pages)
- Model Legislation
- Energy, Environment and Agriculture Task Force Roster (not included but available upon request)

**Hotel information:** The Westin Charlotte is located at 601 South College Street, Charlotte, NC 28226.  
Telephone: 1 866 837 4148. Website: [www.westin.com/charlotte](http://www.westin.com/charlotte)

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the meeting, please contact me at (202) 742-8542 or by e-mail [twynn@alec.org](mailto:twynn@alec.org).

Sincerely,  
Todd Wynn

# 2012 ALEC SPRING TASK FORCE SUMMIT

May 11, 2012

The Westin Charlotte Hotel  
601 South College Street • Charlotte, NC 28202



charlotte, north carolina  
may 11, 2012

spring task force summit

## ATTENDEE REGISTRATION / HOUSING FORM

Early registration deadline: April 5, 2012

Housing cut-off date: April 5, 2012

Online  
www.alec.org

Fax (credit cards only)  
202.331.1344

Phone / Questions  
Registration 202.742.8538 (Mon-Fri, 9am-5:00 pm Eastern)  
Housing 1.866.837.4148

### ATTENDEE INFORMATION

Prefix (required)  Sen  Rep  Del  Mr  Mrs  Ms  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Badge Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization (required) \_\_\_\_\_  
Primary Address  Business  Home \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State/Province \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP/Postal code \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email (confirmation will be sent by email) \_\_\_\_\_  
Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Dietary Restrictions \_\_\_\_\_  
 This is my first time attending an ALEC event. \*Spouse / Guest: If registering a spouse or guest, please complete the spouse/guest registration form

### REGISTRATION INFORMATION

#### Registration Fees

Note: Member fees are subject to verification

	Early Until April 5	Onsite Beginning April 6
<input type="checkbox"/> ALEC Legislative Task Force Member	\$ 150	\$ 150
<input type="checkbox"/> ALEC Private Sector Task Force Voting Member	\$ 250	\$ 250
<input type="checkbox"/> ALEC Non-Profit Task Force Voting Member	\$ 250	\$ 250
<input type="checkbox"/> ALEC Legislative Member/ Non-Task Force Member	\$ 300	\$ 400
<input type="checkbox"/> Private Sector Member/ Non-Task Force Member	\$ 550	\$ 650
<input type="checkbox"/> ALEC Non-Profit Member (501(c)(3) status required)/ Non-Task Force Member	\$ 475	\$ 575
<input type="checkbox"/> Legislative/ Non-Member	\$ 400	\$ 500
<input type="checkbox"/> Private Sector/ Non-Member	\$ 675	\$ 825
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit Non-Member (501(c)(3) status required)	\$ 625	\$ 725
<input type="checkbox"/> Legislative Staff/ Government	\$ 400	\$ 500
<input type="checkbox"/> ALEC Alumni	\$ 350	\$ 450
<input type="checkbox"/> ALEC Legacy Member	\$ 0	\$ 0

REGISTRATION FEE : \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Note: Registration forms with enclosed payments must be received by April 5, 2012 to be eligible for early bird registration rates. Forms and/or payments received after April 5, 2012 will be subject to on-site registration rates.

#### METHOD OF REGISTRATION PAYMENT

**Credit Card:** Credit cards will be charged immediately.

Amer Express  Visa  MasterCard

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Exp Date (mm/yy) \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

#### REGISTRATION CANCELLATION / REFUND INFORMATION

Registrations cancelled prior to 5:00 pm Eastern April 5, 2012 are subject to a \$100 cancellation fee. Registrations are non-refundable after 5:00 pm Eastern April 5, 2012. Registration fees may be transferred from one registrant to another. All refund requests must be made in writing and sent via email to meetings@alec.org or fax to 202-331-1344.

**REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION INFORMATION** Online registrants will receive immediate email confirmation. If registering by form, confirmation will be emailed within 72 hours of receipt of payment.

### HOUSING

### RESERVATION CUTOFF FOR ALEC DISCOUNTED RATE IS April 5, 2012

I do not require a reservation at this time.

Arrival Date \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sharing room with \_\_\_\_\_

#### Room type

- Single (1 Adult) \$ 139  
 Double (2 Adults) \$ 139  
 Triple (3 Adults) \$ 139  
 Quad (4 Adults) \$ 139

**Suites and upgraded accommodations** are available upon request. Please call 1.866.837.4148 for additional information.

#### Special requests

- ADA room required:  
\_\_\_\_ Audio \_\_\_\_ Visual \_\_\_\_ Mobile  
 Rollaway / crib: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

#### METHOD OF HOUSING PAYMENT

Please use the same method of payment as above.

**Credit Card:** Credit Cards will be used to guarantee the reservation.

Amer Express  Visa  MasterCard  Discover

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Exp Date (mm/yy) \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\* All rates DO NOT include sales tax 15.25% (subject to change)

Note: Cutoff for reservations at the ALEC rate is April 5, 2012. After April 5, 2012, every effort will be made to accommodate new reservations, based on availability and rate.

#### HOUSING CONFIRMATION INFORMATION

Online reservations will receive immediate email confirmation. Reservations received by form will be confirmed via email within 72 hours of receipt.

#### HOUSING CANCELLATION / REFUND INFORMATION

Credit cards will be charged one night room and tax in the event of a no show or if cancellation occurs within 72 hours prior to arrival. Please obtain a cancellation number when your reservation is cancelled.

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Registration: 202.742.8538

## ATTENDEE INFORMATION IS REQUIRED TO REGISTER A SPOUSE OR GUEST

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email (*Confirmation will be sent by email*) \_\_\_\_\_

## SPOUSE / GUEST REGISTRATION

### SPOUSE / GUEST REGISTRATION GUIDELINES

1. Spouse / guest registration is meant to accommodate legal spouse and immediate family members.
2. Attendees from the same organization must register independently. No exception will be made.
3. Spouse / guest designation will be clearly visible on name badge.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle initial \_\_\_\_\_ Badge Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle initial \_\_\_\_\_ Badge Nickname \_\_\_\_\_  
Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle initial \_\_\_\_\_ Badge Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

### SPOUSE / GUEST REGISTRATION FEES

	<i>Number of Spouse/Guest(s)</i>	<i>Fee</i>	<i>TOTAL</i>
<input type="checkbox"/> Spouse / Guest <i>please note name(s) above</i>	_____	\$ 50	\$ _____

### METHOD OF SPOUSE / GUEST REGISTRATION PAYMENT

**Credit Card:** Credit cards will be charged immediately. Please fax to the above number for processing.

Amer Express      Card # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Visa                      Cardholder (*please print*) \_\_\_\_\_  
 MasterCard              Exp Date (*mm/yy*) \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

### REGISTRATION CONFIRMATION INFORMATION

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### REGISTRATION CANCELLATION / REFUND INFORMATION

Registrations are non-refundable after 5pm Eastern April 5, 2012.

# Agenda

## Thursday, May 10, 2012

Registration

3:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

NC Welcome Reception

8:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.

## Friday, May 11, 2012

Registration

7:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Task Force Subcommittee Meetings

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

*All Task Force members are welcome and encouraged to attend their Task Force's Subcommittee meetings.*

Digital Learning Subcommittee

8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Energy Subcommittee

8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Fiscal Policy Reform Working Group

8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

*Other Subcommittees to be Determined*

Workshop:

9:30 – 10:45

*All ALEC members are welcome to attend.*

Workshop:

11:00 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

*All ALEC members are welcome to attend.*

Task Force Lunch Meetings

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.

*Task Forces will each begin serving at 12:45 for luncheon.*

Task Force Meetings

2:00 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.

- Civil Justice
- Commerce, Insurance, and Economic Development
- Communications and Technology
- Education
- Energy, Environment and Agriculture
- Health and Human Services
- Public Safety and Elections
- Tax and Fiscal Policy

Spring Task Force Summit Reception

6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

COMMON CAUSE  
Holding Power Accountable

**ALEC ENERGY, ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE  
TASK FORCE MEETING**

2012 SPRING TASK FORCE SUMMIT

CHARLOTTE, NC

MAY 11, 2012

2:00PM – 5:20PM

TENTATIVE AGENDA

2:00 Call to Order, Welcome, and Introductions

*Representative David Wolkins, Indiana*

*Martin Shultz, Brownstein Hyatt Farber Shreck*

2:10 Oil and Gas Prices

*John Felmy, American Petroleum Institute*

2:30 Model Resolution: Resolution on U.S. Conference of Mayors Climate Protection Agreement  
Accountability

2:45 Model Legislation: Solar Streamline Permitting Act

3:00 The Importance of Electricity Grid Modernization.

*Edison Electric Institute speaker TBD*

3:20 Blue Ribbon Commission on America's Nuclear Future Update

*Michael McGarey, Nuclear Energy Institute*

3:35 Model Resolution: Resolution Urging Quick Congressional Action on the Recommendations  
Of The Blue Ribbon Commission on America's Nuclear Future

3:45 Model Legislation: Intrastate Coal and Use Act

4:00 Model Legislation: Electricity Freedom Act

4:15 The Dirty Truth Behind Reusable Bags

*Dr. Charles Gerba*

4:35 Model Legislation: Pipeline Replacement and Infrastructure Modernization and Enhancement  
Act

4:50 Model Resolution: Resolution Supporting a Reasonable Compliance Timeline and Economy-  
wide Impact Study of EPA's Mercury and Air Toxics Rule

5:05 Model Resolution: Resolution Urging Passage of the Regulations from the Executive In Need  
of Scrutiny (REINS) Act

5:20 Adjourn

# JOINT ENERGY AND AGRICULTURE SUBCOMMITTEE

2012 SPRING TASK FORCE SUMMIT

CHARLOTTE, NC

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 2012

7:10AM – 9:15AM

## TENTATIVE AGENDA

- 7:10 a.m. Welcome and Introductions  
*Rep. Tom Lockhart, Wyoming*  
*Michael McGarey, Nuclear Energy Institute*
- 7:15 a.m. Model Legislation: Intrastate Coal and Use Act
- 7:30 a.m. Unfunded Federal Mandates on States Impacting Agriculture Production  
*Jeff Case, CropLife America*
- 7:45 a.m. Model Legislation: Electricity Freedom Act
- 8:00 a.m. Model Legislation: Pipeline Replacement and Infrastructure Modernization and Enhancement Act
- 8:20 a.m. Model Resolution: Resolution Supporting a Reasonable Compliance Timeline and Economy- wide impact study of EPA's Mercury and Air Toxics Rule
- 8:35 a.m. Model Legislation: Solar Streamline Permitting Act
- 8:55 a.m. Model Resolution: Resolution Urging Quick Congressional Action on the Recommendations Of The Blue Ribbon Commission on America's Nuclear Future
- 9:10 a.m. For the Good of the Order
- 9:15 a.m. Adjournment

As the subcommittee time is limited, two model resolutions will be discussed at the Task Force meeting in detail versus being introduced at the subcommittee level first. The two resolutions are the *Resolution on U.S. Conference of Mayors Climate Protection Agreement Accountability* and the *Resolution Urging Passage of the Regulations from the Executive In Need of Scrutiny (REINS) Act*.

# ALEC

AMERICAN LEGISLATIVE EXCHANGE COUNCIL

**Energy, Environment, and Agriculture Task Force Meeting  
ALEC's 2011 States & the Nation Policy Summit  
Scottsdale, Arizona  
December 2, 2011  
Meeting Minutes**

Meeting began at 2:00 pm.

The meeting was called to order by Task Force Co-Chairmen Rep. David Wolkins of Indiana and Michael McGarey of the Nuclear Energy Institute, who filled in for Martin Shultz of Brownstein Hyatt Farber Schreck.

Todd Myers of the Washington Policy Center presented on his new book, *Eco-Fads: How the Rise of Trendy Environmentalism is Harming the Environment*

The Task Force adopted the resolution introduced by Kyle Rodgers of the American Gas Association, *Resolution on Responsible Resource Development*

Leonard Gianessi presented on the importance of herbicides for sustainable agriculture.

The Task Force adopted *Resolution Requesting that the Federal Government Confer and Consult with the States on Management of Public Lands and Energy Resources.*

The Task Force adopted the *Disposal and Taxation of Public Lands Act.*

Robert Ferguson of the Science and Public Policy Institute spoke on threats to the U.S. power grid and implications for public policy.

The Task Force adopted the *Resolution in Support of Modernizing the Federal Toxic Substances Control Act of 1976.*

The Task Force adopted the *Resolution in Support of the Keystone XL Pipeline.*

Steve Pociask of the American Consumer Institute presented on a new report regarding economic facts and consumer opinions about expanding domestic energy production.

The Task Force adopted the *Disclosure of Hydraulic Fracturing Fluid Composition Act.*

The meeting adjourned at 5:00 pm.

## **Resolution Urging Quick Congressional Action on the Recommendations of The Blue Ribbon Commission on America's Nuclear Future**

**Whereas**, nuclear utility ratepayers throughout the United States have contributed more than \$30 billion in fees and interest, as required under the Nuclear Waste Policy Act (NWPA) of 1982, for the sole purpose of removing used nuclear fuel from commercial reactor sites and defense-related high-level radioactive waste from Department of Defense facilities, and

**Whereas**, the federal government failed to satisfy the statutory requirements of the NWPA to begin accepting used fuel for disposal starting in 1998 and, indeed, has continued to fail to meet the terms of its contracts with U.S. nuclear plant operators, and

**Whereas**, the 104 operating U.S. commercial reactors have accumulated some 77,000 metric tons of used nuclear fuel, and

**Whereas**, the Obama Administration has terminated and Congress has ceased funding of all activities related to the license review or further development of a permanent central disposal repository at the Yucca Mountain site in Nevada, which has been the federal government's only intended destination for used fuel and defense-related waste, and

**Whereas**, the States of South Carolina and Washington, various communities and other parties remain involved in lawsuits attempting to compel the federal government to meet its obligations under the NWPA, and

**Whereas**, the President in January, 2010, appointed a Blue Ribbon Commission on America's Nuclear Future comprised of distinguished American scientists and nuclear policymakers to review various alternative options and make recommendations for future safe management of U.S. commercial used nuclear fuel and defense waste, and

**Whereas**, The Blue Ribbon Commission has recommended an integrated nuclear fuel management program incorporating: 1) Development of one or more Nuclear Regulatory Commission-licensed private or government-owned centralized interim storage facilities in communities in states that would willingly host such facilities; 2) Continued public and private sector research, development and deployment of used fuel and nuclear waste recycling technologies to close the nuclear fuel cycle in a safe, environmentally responsible, proliferation-resistant and economically viable process; and 3) Assured access by the nuclear waste program to revenues generated by consumers' continued payments and to existing balances in the Nuclear Waste Fund: and



**Whereas,** These recommendations from the Blue Ribbon Commission align closely with long-standing policy adopted and endorsed by the American Legislative Exchange Council,

**Resolved**

Now therefore let it be Resolved that the American Legislative Exchange Council encourages State Legislatures to urge the Obama Administration and the U.S. Congress:

1. To adopt legislation enabling the construction of one or more centralized interim fuel storage facilities through directives to the U.S. Department of Energy and through incentives to interested communities funded through access to the accumulated Nuclear Waste Fund.
2. To recognize there are willing host communities and states that are ready to voluntarily accept used fuel and defense waste shipments.
3. To assure access by the Nuclear Waste Management program to the revenues generated by consumers' continuing fee payments and to the significant balance in the Nuclear Waste Fund.
4. To enable one or more NRC-licensed private interim storage facilities to meet this long-ignored public policy need.

## **Resolution on U.S. Conference of Mayors Climate Protection Agreement Accountability**

**Whereas**, in 2005, the United States Conference of Mayors Climate Protection Agreement was created to encourage cities to reduce carbon emissions.

**Whereas**, the announcement of the Agreement says “supporting mayors pledge to reduce carbon dioxide emissions by 7 percent below 1990 levels by 2012” the levels included in the Kyoto Protocol.

**Whereas**, emissions in the United States were 7 percent higher in 2009 than 1990. Whereas, only nine states achieved the carbon reductions called for in the Kyoto Protocol.

**Whereas**, major cities, including Seattle which initiated the Climate Protection Agreement, have failed to meet the Kyoto targets.

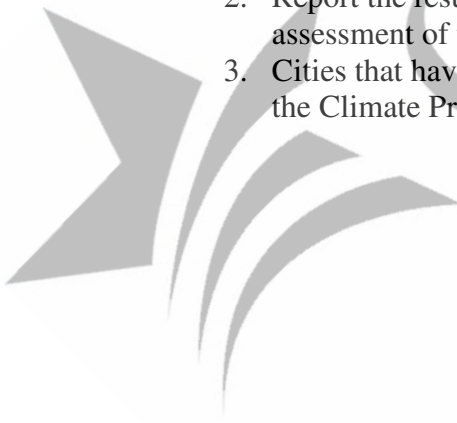
**Whereas**, more than 1,000 cities across the country signed the agreement.

**Whereas**, the Agreement calls upon cities to “Inventory global warming emissions in City operations and in the community.”

**Whereas**, the Agreement says the cities’ ability to meet the targets will indicate that the United States should commit itself to significant carbon emissions reductions.

**Be it resolved** that the cities within the state of \_\_\_\_\_ which are signatories to the US Conference of Mayors Climate Protection Agreement:

1. Provide evidence by the end of 2012 whether they have achieved the goals outlined in the Agreement, or if they failed to do so.
2. Report the results to the US Conference of Mayors for compilation in a final assessment of the results of the Agreement.
3. Cities that have failed to achieve the target will remove themselves as signatories to the Climate Protection Agreement.



**List of Signatories**  
**US Conference of Mayors Climate Protection Agreement**

Auburn, AL	Beverly Hills, CA	Laguna Beach, CA	Portola Valley, CA
Bessemer, AL	Burbank, CA	Laguna Hills, CA	Rancho Palos Verdes, CA
Huntsville, AL	Burlingame, CA	Laguna Woods, CA	Redlands, CA
Opelika, AL	Calabasas, CA	Lakewood, CA	Redondo Beach, CA
Selma, AL	Calistoga, CA	Lemoore, CA	Redwood City, CA
Troy, AL	Campbell, CA	Long Beach, CA	Rialto, CA
Tuscaloosa, AL	Capitola, CA	Los Altos, CA	Richmond, CA
Anchorage, AK	Chico, CA	Los Altos Hills, CA	Riverside, CA
Juneau, AK	Chino, CA	Los Angeles, CA	Rohnert Park, CA
North Pole, AK	Chula Vista, CA	Los Gatos, CA	Rolling Hills Estates, CA
Shishmaref, AK	Citrus Heights, CA	Malibu, CA	Sacramento, CA
Sitka, AK	Claremont, CA	Mammoth Lakes, CA	Salinas, CA
Apache Junction, AZ	Cloverdale, CA	Manhattan Beach, CA	San Bernardino, CA
Bisbee, AZ	Colma, CA	Marina, CA	San Bruno, CA
Buckeye, AZ	Concord, CA	Menlo Park, CA	San
Bullhead City, AZ	Cotati, CA	Mill Valley, CA	Buenaventura, CA
Flagstaff, AZ	Culver City, CA	Millbrae, CA	San Diego, CA
Gilbert, AZ	Cupertino, CA	Monterey, CA	San Fernando, CA
Goodyear, AZ	Del Mar, CA	Monterey Park, CA	San Francisco, CA
Mesa, AZ	Dublin, CA	Moorpark, CA	San Gabriel, CA
Oro Valley, AZ	El Cajon, CA	Moraga, CA	San Jose, CA
Peoria, AZ	El Cerrito, CA	Morgan Hill, CA	San Leandro, CA
Phoenix, AZ	Elk Grove, CA	Morro Bay, CA	San Luis Obispo, CA
Tucson, AZ	Fairfax, CA	Mountain View, CA	San Mateo, CA
Winslow, AZ	Fairfield, CA	Napa, CA	San Rafael, CA
Eureka Springs, AR	Fremont, CA	Newark, CA	Santa Ana, CA
Fayetteville, AR	Galt, CA	Novato, CA	Santa Barbara, CA
Fort Smith, AR	Gilroy, CA	Oakland, CA	Santa Clara, CA
Little Rock, AR	Glendora, CA	Pacific Grove, CA	Santa Cruz, CA
North Little Rock, AR	Hayward, CA	Pacifica, CA	Santa Monica, CA
Alameda, CA	Healdsburg, CA	Palm Springs, CA	Santa Rosa, CA
Albany, CA	Hemet, CA	Palo Alto, CA	Saratoga, CA
Aliso Viejo, CA	Herrnburg, CA	Paradise, CA	Sausalito, CA
Arcata, CA	Hillsborough, CA	Pasadena, CA	Sebastopol, CA
Atascadero, CA	Huntington Beach, CA	Petaluma, CA	
Atherton, CA	Imperial Beach, CA	Pleasanton, CA	
Avalon, CA	Irvine, CA		
Beaverton, CA	La Mesa, CA		
Benicia, CA	Lafayette, CA		
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Sierra Madre, CA  
Signal Hill, CA  
Solana Beach, CA  
Sonoma, CA  
South San Francisco, CA  
Stockton, CA  
Sunnyvale, CA  
Thousand Oaks, CA  
Torrance, CA  
Tulare, CA  
Vallejo, CA  
Visalia, CA  
Vista, CA  
West Hollywood, CA  
West Sacramento, CA  
Whittier, CA  
Windsor, CA  
Winters, CA  
Yountville, CA  
Yucaipa, CA  
Aspen, CO  
Basalt, CO  
Boulder, CO  
Carbondale, CO  
Denver, CO  
Dillon, CO  
Durango, CO  
Frisco, CO  
Glenwood Springs, CO  
Gunnison, CO  
Ignacio, CO  
Nederland, CO  
New Castle, CO  
Pagosa Springs, CO  
Telluride, CO  
Town of Crested Butte, CO  
Westminster, CO  
Bloomfield, CT  
Bridgeport, CT

Easton, CT  
Fairfield, CT  
Hamden, CT  
Hartford, CT  
Ledyard, CT  
Mansfield, CT  
Meriden, CT  
Middletown, CT  
Milford, CT  
New Haven, CT  
New London, CT  
Newtown, CT  
Norwich, CT  
Ridgefield, CT  
Stamford, CT  
Stratford, CT  
West Hartford, CT  
Willimantic, CT  
Dover, DE  
Newark, DE  
Wilmington, DE  
Washington, DC  
Atlantic Beach, FL  
Aventura, FL  
Bonita Springs, FL  
Cape Coral, FL  
Clearwater, FL  
Coconut Creek, FL  
Cooper City, FL  
Coral Gables, FL  
Coral Springs, FL  
Cutler Bay, FL  
Dania Beach, FL  
Davie, FL  
Deerfield Beach, FL  
Delray Beach, FL  
Doral, FL  
Edgewater, FL  
Fort Lauderdale, FL  
Fort Myers, FL

Fort Pierce, FL  
Gainesville, FL  
Greenacres, FL  
Gulfport, FL  
Hallandale Beach, FL  
Hialeah, FL  
Holly Hill, FL  
Hollywood, FL  
Hypoluxo, FL  
Jacksonville, FL  
Key Biscayne, FL  
Key West, FL  
Lake Worth, FL  
Lakeland, FL  
Largo, FL  
Lauderdale Lakes, FL  
Lauderhill, FL  
Layton, FL  
Leesburg, FL  
Margate, FL  
Melbourne, FL  
Miami, FL  
Miami Beach, FL  
Miami Gardens, FL  
Miami Lakes, FL  
Miramar, FL  
Naples, FL  
New Smyrna Beach, FL  
North Miami, FL  
North Miami Beach, FL  
Oakland Park, FL  
Orlando, FL  
Palm Bay, FL  
Palm Beach, FL  
Palm Beach Gardens, FL  
Palm Beach Shores, FL  
Palmetto Bay, FL  
Parkland, FL

Pembroke Park, FL  
Pembroke Pines, FL  
Pinecrest, FL  
Plantation, FL  
Pompano Beach, FL  
Port St. Lucie, FL  
Sarasota, FL  
South Bay, FL  
South Miami, FL  
St. Augustine Beach, FL  
Sunny Isles Beach, FL  
Sunrise, FL  
Sweetwater, FL  
Tallahassee, FL  
Tamarac, FL  
Tampa, FL  
Tarpon Springs, FL  
Treasure Island, FL  
Vero Beach, FL  
West Palm Beach, FL  
West Park, FL  
Wilton Manors, FL  
Alpharetta, GA  
Athens, GA  
Atlanta, GA  
Augusta, GA  
Decatur, GA  
East Point, GA  
Macon, GA  
Roswell, GA  
Savannah, GA  
Tybee Island, GA  
Hilo, HI  
Honolulu, HI  
Kauai, HI  
Maui, HI  
Bellevue, ID

Boise, ID  
Hailey, ID  
Idaho Falls, ID  
Pocatello, ID  
Sandpoint, ID  
Sun Valley, ID  
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Alton, IL  
Aurora, IL  
Belleville, IL  
Berwyn, IL  
Blue Island, IL  
Bolingbrook, IL  
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Carol Stream, IL  
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Collinsville, IL  
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Des Plaines, IL  
East Peoria, IL  
Edwardsville, IL  
Elgin, IL  
Elmhurst, IL  
Evanston, IL  
Glen Carbon, IL  
Hazel Crest, IL  
Highland Park, IL  
Hoffman Estates,  
IL  
Homewood, IL  
Joliet, IL  
Lake Forest, IL  
Lake in the Hills,  
IL  
Lombard, IL  
Manhattan, IL  
Minooka, IL  
Moline, IL  
Normal, IL  
Northbrook, IL  
Oak Lawn, IL  
Oak Park, IL  
Orland Park, IL  
Oswego, IL  
Palatine, IL  
Park Forest, IL

Parkridge, IL  
Pecatonica, IL  
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Plainfield, IL  
Rock Falls, IL  
Rock Island, IL  
Rolling Meadows,  
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Schaumburg, IL  
South Roxana, IL  
Spring Valley, IL  
Springfield, IL  
Urbana, IL  
Villa Park, IL  
Waukegan, IL  
Westmont, IL  
Wilmette, IL  
Bloomington, IN  
Carmel, IN  
Columbus, IN  
Evansville, IN  
Fort Wayne, IN  
Garrett, IN  
Gary, IN  
Greencastle, IN  
Indianapolis, IN  
Jeffersonville, IN  
Michigan City, IN  
New Albany, IN  
Richmond, IN  
South Bend, IN  
Valparaiso, IN  
Whiting, IN  
Altoona, IA  
Ames, IA  
Audubon, IA  
Aurelia, IA  
Bellevue, IA  
Carlisle, IA  
Cedar Falls, IA  
Cedar Rapids, IA  
Charles City, IA  
Clive, IA  
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Crystal Lake, IA  
Davenport, IA

Decorah, IA  
Des Moines, IA  
Dubuque, IA  
Fairbank, IA  
Fairfield, IA  
Grafton, IA  
Hiawatha, IA  
Iowa City, IA  
Lawler, IA  
Lawton, IA  
Neola, IA  
Rake, IA  
Sageville, IA  
Shenandoah, IA  
Sioux City, IA  
Spirit Lake, IA  
Steamboat Rock,  
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Wapello, IA  
West Des Moines,  
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Windsor Heights,  
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Woolstock, IA  
Fairway, KS  
Kansas, KS  
Lansing, KS  
Lawrence, KS  
Merriam, KS  
Mission, KS  
Prairie Village,  
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Roeland Park, KS  
Shawnee, KS  
Topeka, KS  
Westwood, KS  
Westwood Hills,  
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Bowling Green,  
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Frankfort, KY  
Lexington, KY  
Louisville, KY  
Owensboro, KY  
Prospect, KY  
Villa Hills, KY

Alexandria, LA  
Baton Rouge, LA  
Grand Coteau, LA  
New Orleans, LA  
Belfast, ME  
Biddeford, ME  
Bowdoinham, ME  
Cape Elizabeth,  
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Falmouth, ME  
Kennebunk, ME  
Kennebunkport,  
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Lewiston, ME  
Montville, ME  
Portland, ME  
Saco, ME  
South Portland,  
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Town of  
Cranberry Isles,  
ME  
Waterville, ME  
Yarmouth, ME  
Annapolis, MD  
Baltimore, MD  
Brunswick, MD  
Chestertown, MD  
Chevy Chase, MD  
Edmonston, MD  
Gaithersburg, MD  
Kensington, MD  
Laurel, MD  
Rockville, MD  
Salisbury, MD  
Sykesville, MD  
Takoma Park, MD  
Acton, MA  
Amesbury, MA  
Beverly, MA  
Boston, MA  
Brockton, MA  
Cambridge, MA  
Chelmsford, MA  
Fitchburg, MA  
Gloucester, MA

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Newburyport, MA  
Newton, MA  
Northampton, MA  
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Salem, MA  
Somerville, MA  
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Weymouth, MA  
Worcester, MA  
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Berkley, MI  
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Detroit, MI  
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Flint, MI  
Grand Rapids, MI  
Holland, MI  
Kalamazoo, MI  
Lansing, MI  
Marquette, MI  
Meridian  
Township, MI  
Muskegon, MI  
Pittsfield Charter  
Township, MI  
Portage, MI  
Roseville, MI

Royal Oak, MI  
Saline, MI  
Southfield, MI  
Southgate, MI  
Sturgis, MI  
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Taylor, MI  
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Traverse City, MI  
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Waterford, MI  
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Berkeley  
Township, NJ  
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Head, NJ  
Borough of Point  
Pleasant, NJ

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Rockaway, NJ

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South Brunswick, NJ  
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Township of Toms River, NJ  
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Vineland, NJ  
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Santa Fe, NM  
Silver City, NM  
Taos, NM  
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Brighton, NY  
Brookhaven, NY  
Buffalo, NY  
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Croton on Hudson, NY  
Dobbs Ferry, NY

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Greenburgh, NY  
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Syracuse, NY  
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Upper Nyack, NY  
Utica, NY  
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White Plains, NY  
Williamsville, NY  
Yonkers, NY  
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Beaufort, NC  
Bethania, NC

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Charlotte, NC  
Cherryville, NC  
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Concord, NC  
Davidson, NC  
Dunn, NC  
Durham, NC  
Flat Rock, NC  
Gastonia, NC  
Greensboro, NC  
Greenville, NC  
Highlands, NC  
Indian Trail, NC  
Kings Mountain, NC  
Kinston, NC  
Lewisville, NC  
Lincolnton, NC  
New Bern, NC  
Oak City, NC  
Pilot Mountain, NC  
Pleasant Garden, NC  
Raleigh, NC  
Rocky Mount, NC  
Salisbury, NC  
Snow Hill, NC  
Surf City, NC  
Tryon, NC  
Village of Bald Head Island, NC  
Wake Forest, NC  
Waynesville, NC  
Wilmington, NC

Winston-Salem, NC  
Fargo, ND  
Grand Forks, ND  
Saipan, MP  
Akron, OH  
Alliance, OH  
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Dayton, OH  
East Palestine, OH  
Garfield Heights, OH  
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Kettering, OH  
Lima, OH  
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Massillon, OH  
North Olmsted, OH  
Orrville, OH  
Parma, OH  
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South Euclid, OH  
Stow, OH  
Toledo, OH  
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Warren, OH  
West Salem, OH  
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Youngstown, OH  
Zanesville, OH  
Norman, OK  
Shawnee, OK  
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Ashland, OR  
Beaverton, OR

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Eugene, OR  
Forest Grove, OR  
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Gresham, OR  
Hillsboro, OR  
Lake Oswego, OR  
Lincoln City, OR  
Milwaukie, OR  
Oregon City, OR  
Portland, OR  
Vernonia, OR  
Allentown, PA  
Bethlehem, PA  
Braddock, PA  
Dunmore, PA  
Easton, PA  
Erie, PA  
Forest Hills, PA  
Harrisburg, PA  
Kutztown, PA  
Lancaster, PA  
Leechburg, PA  
Lower Makefield, PA  
Marple Township, PA  
Millbourne, PA  
Narberth, PA  
Newtown, PA  
Oxford, PA  
Philadelphia, PA  
Pittsburgh, PA  
Reading, PA  
Scranton, PA  
Towanda, PA  
Whitehall Township, PA  
Wilkes-Barre, PA  
York, PA  
Aguadilla, PR  
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Barranquitas, PR  
Caguas, PR  
Camuy, PR

Carolina, PR  
Cayey, PR  
Cidra, PR  
Comerio, PR  
Guayanilla, PR  
Guaynabo, PR  
Hormigueros, PR  
Humacao, PR  
Isabela, PR  
Jayuya, PR  
Juncos, PR  
Las Marías, PR  
Moca, PR  
San Juan, PR  
Utua, PR  
Vega Baja, PR  
Yauco, PR  
Pawtucket, RI  
Portsmouth, RI  
Providence, RI  
Warwick, RI  
Charleston, SC  
Clemson, SC  
Columbia, SC  
Greenville, SC  
Greenwood, SC  
Lexington, SC  
Rock Hill, SC  
Sumter, SC  
Huron, SD  
Spearfish City, SD  
Chattanooga, TN  
Cookeville, TN  
Crossville, TN  
Franklin, TN  
Manchester, TN  
Nashville, TN  
Signal Mountain, TN  
Addison, TX  
Arlington, TX  
Austin, TX  
Carrollton, TX  
College Station, TX



Coppell, TX  
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Denton, TX  
Edinburg, TX  
El Paso, TX  
Eules, TX  
Fairview, TX  
Fort Worth, TX  
Frisco, TX  
Garland, TX  
Hurst, TX  
Hutto, TX  
Laguna Vista, TX  
Laredo, TX  
McKinney, TX  
Mount Vernon,  
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Plano, TX  
Port Isabel, TX  
Richardson, TX  
San Antonio, TX  
Shavano Park, TX  
South Padre  
Island, TX  
Sugar Land, TX  
Texarkana, TX  
Westlake, TX  
Moab, UT

Park City, UT  
Salt Lake City,  
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South Salt Lake,  
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Burlington, VT  
Montpelier, VT  
Alexandria, VA  
Blacksburg, VA  
Charlottesville,  
VA  
Covington, VA  
Newport News,  
VA  
Norfolk, VA  
Portsmouth, VA  
Richmond, VA  
Salem, VA  
Virginia Beach,  
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Williamsburg, VA  
Auburn, WA  
Bainbridge Island,  
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Battle Ground,  
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Bellevue, WA  
Bellingham, WA  
Bremerton, WA

Burien, WA  
Camas, WA  
Carnation, WA  
Clyde Hill, WA  
Coupeville, WA  
Edmonds, WA  
Everett, WA  
Ferndale, WA  
Issaquah, WA  
Kirkland, WA  
Lacey, WA  
Lake Forest Park,  
WA  
Lynnwood, WA  
Olympia, WA  
Pacific, WA  
Redmond, WA  
Renton, WA  
Sammamish, WA  
Seattle, WA  
Shoreline, WA  
Snoqualmie, WA  
Spokane, WA  
Tacoma, WA  
Tukwila, WA  
Tumwater, WA  
Vancouver, WA  
Washougal, WA

Yarrow Point,  
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Fayetteville, WV  
Morgantown, WV  
Oak Hill, WV  
Shepherdstown,  
WV  
Ashland, WI  
Bayfield, WI  
Evansville, WI  
Fitchburg, WI  
Greenfield, WI  
Kenosha, WI  
La Crosse, WI  
Madison, WI  
Menomonie, WI  
Milwaukee, WI  
New Berlin, WI  
Oshkosh, WI  
Racine, WI  
River Falls, WI  
Stevens Point, WI  
Superior, WI  
Washburn, WI  
Waukesha, WI  
Wauwatosa, WI  
West Allis, WI  
Jackson, WY



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## Solar Streamline Permitting Act

SECTION 1. The Legislature finds and declares all of the following:

- A) Various reports show that the permitting costs and process associated with solar distributed generation installation varies widely across jurisdictions in the state.
- B) High permitting fees and a lengthy and burdensome permitting process increase the cost of installations and reduce the ability for solar to be deployed across all income spectrums.
- C) A streamlined, consistent process for installations of solar distributed generation technology on residential and commercial property will eliminate unnecessary waste and variability across jurisdictions, increase the deployment of solar distributed generation, provide solar customers greater installation ease and create jobs in this state.
- D) The state can assist local jurisdictions in deploying this technology by developing statewide building standards and recommendations for the installation of basic solar equipment on residential and commercial property to ensure safe, reasonable and consistent enforcement.
- E) The appropriate state commission shall develop a model ordinance and guidelines that can assist local agencies to develop building standards and permitting processes for solar distributed generation technology on residential and commercial property. The commission shall post the model ordinance and guidelines on its internet website.
- F) The state encourages local jurisdictions to develop or amend their building standards and permitting processes to ensure there exists a low cost, streamlined process for deployment and installation of solar distributed generation technology on residential and commercial property.

### SECTION 2.

A) *Option 1:* No city, county, or city and county, with a population of over fifty thousand residents (50,000) shall charge solar rooftop permit fees of over five hundred dollars (\$500) for residential solar systems and one thousand dollars (\$1000) for commercial solar systems

*Option 2:* No city, county, or city and county, may charge permit fees to install a solar system that, in aggregate, exceed the lesser of the city or county's actual costs in issuing the permit or five hundred dollars (\$500) for a residential application or one thousand dollars (\$1000) for a nonresidential application if the device or system produces fewer than two megawatts of direct current electricity or an equivalent-sized solar system for retail electricity generation.

B) Every city, county, or city and county must create an electronic submittal process that is open to the public for permit applications

C) A city, county, or city and county shall submit a report to the state commission, no later than December 1, 2013, with the following information:

1) A finding that they have adopted fees in accordance with Section 2(A) related to the issuance of the solar installation permit.

2) An electronic submittal process for permit applications is available to the public.



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