

SOLAR STATEMENT

PR-1	Req'd	Provide a document that demonstrates your local government's commitment to pursue SolSmart designation.
		<p>Local governments interested in pursuing SolSmart designation must indicate their commitment to supporting solar development in their community by completing the PR-1 Solar Statement Pre-requisite. The solar statement should be signed by an individual who can speak on behalf of the local government. It is preferred that the statement is signed by a Department executive or an elected official, but it does not need to go through an official approval process. The solar statement demonstrates your community's commitment to pursue SolSmart designation. If possible, please place the solar statement on your local government's letterhead.</p> <p>The solar statement should address the items listed in the bullets below. The statement does not need to be more than one page in length.</p> <p>Ways to Verify</p> <p>Provide a signed solar statement that includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A commitment to participate in the SolSmart designation process • A statement of solar goals, areas of focus or community priorities (e.g. streamlining the permitting process or supporting a non-profit led solar initiative) • A statement of support for solar development to be inclusive and equitable for all residents • Past achievements or programs related to solar PV and/or renewable energy • A commitment to tracking metrics related to solar PV and/or provide a benchmark of available solar metrics (e.g. the number of installed systems, capacity, growth in residential installations, etc.) • A commitment of staff time and resources to improve the local market for solar PV
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