The Newton Solar Challenge -- Upcoming Workshops

Auburndale Community Library - Your choice of dates: Sunday Nov. 16 at 4 PM (or) Wednesday Nov. 19 at 7 PM

The Newton Solar Challenge is a City-wide residential solar campaign sponsored by Green Decade Newton, the City of Newton Sustainability Office and Newton-based BarnRaise Energy. The Newton Solar Challenge provides: preferred pricing for Newton residents, American-made solar equipment, a choice of high-quality regional solar installers and loans from local banks to support residential solar ownership.



In the Solar Workshops, the team will give a brief presentation and then will have interactive "breakouts" in small groups covering:

- How would solar work at my house?
- How would it "look" on my house?
- Show me the numbers !
 - How does solar reduce increasing utility bills (NSTAR's recent 29% increase)?
 - How do the numbers work to provide a payback on a solar investment ?
 - Solar Loans: How will home equity loans and other loan products enable residential ownership and help make the numbers even better? We will have a Village Bank representative available in the breakout session.

We will provide hospitality of coffee, soft drinks and desserts. We expect to be wrapped up with the presentation within 30 minutes and then will have informal "breakout discussions" for about 30 minutes. This is an opportunity to learn and get involved in an informational, community-based setting. To learn more, visit <u>http://www.newtonsolarchallenge.com/</u>

Solar Workshop Location: Auburndale Community Library -- 375 Auburn Street, Newton, MA 02466 <u>www.auburndalelibrary.org</u>

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