



National Solar Tour Press Release

Wondering about your friends' and neighbors' cost saving renewable energy solutions? Come visit the 25th Annual ASES National Solar Tour to be held early October 2020, virtually.

For Immediate Release

The American Solar Energy Society (ASES) is proud to announce that the largest annual grassroots solar event in the nation will be taking place in neighborhoods nationwide during the month of **September/October 2020**. Attending the Virtual National Solar Tour will allow communities across the country the opportunity to see new and innovative technologies locally that will benefit the environment on a global level without leaving their own home. Americans have a voice in how they get their energy. Visiting homes and businesses virtually on the National Solar Tour will allow visitors to learn, engage and be a part of the solution to current energy challenges.

The ASES National Solar Tour is the largest grassroots solar event in the nation. In recent years, the National Solar Tour has attracted more than 150,000 participants and 5,000 solar-energy sites nationwide. This year ASES has teamed with Solar United Neighbors (SUN) to involve more tour sites and resources.

It offers the opportunity to informally tour innovative green homes and buildings, and see affordable and practical technologies in local neighborhoods, that benefit the environment and are part of the solution to the nation's energy challenges. The National Solar Tour hopes to continue to inspire people across the nation to make sustainable energy choices that reduce costs, support energy independence, protect against power outages, and reduce carbon emissions.

Those interested in solar energy should please consider visiting a business or resident participating in the National Solar Tour to learn more. Contact solartour@ases.org if you are interested in organizing a tour in your neighborhood or town.

This event is coordinated nationally by the nonprofit American Solar Energy Society and Solar United Neighbors and *Generation180* in collaboration with dozens of

outstanding partner organizations. It takes place annually during the last week of September and the first week of October. Join us from September 28th to October 4th in conjunction with National Energy Awareness Month.

To find local virtual event information and sponsorship opportunities, please go to nationalsolartour.org.

About the American Solar Energy Society

Established in 1954, the nonprofit American Solar Energy Society (ASES) is the nation's leading association of renewable energy professionals and advocates. ASES is the United States Section of the International Solar Energy Society (ISES). **Our mission is to enable a 100% renewable energy society.**

Programs

ASES publishes the award-winning [SOLAR TODAY magazine](#) (digital and print for members), and the e-newsletter Solar@Work (for renewable energy professionals). We organize and present the ASES National Solar Conference, and publish its Proceedings. SOLAR 2020 which took place in July 2020 by a Virtually, On-line event. We lead the [ASES National Solar Tour](#) — the largest grassroots solar event in the world.

We bring the Solar and Renewable Energy Communities Together with:

- Regional chapters in 41 states and the District of Columbia
- [7 Student Chapters](#) at colleges across the country
- [9 Technical Divisions](#), with academic and engineering members from all disciplines, to serve as a clearing house for basic research across all renewable-energy and energy-efficiency technologies

Local ASES Chapter in Florida: is Florida Renewable Energy Association. (FREA) Visit their web site at www.CleanEnergyFlorida.org or their facebook page and YouTube channel for additional local information. Contact: Bill Young, phone: 321-264-0514, and email at freabilly@gmail.com.

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