

Template for Group Net Metering Agreements for Vermont Municipal and School District Solar Projects (OCTOBER 2015)

The Vermont League of Cities and Towns coordinated a collaborative effort by the Vermont School Boards Association, the Vermont Superintendents Association's School Energy Management Program, the Vermont Public Service Department, the Vermont Natural Resources Council, and others to draft a Template for Group Net Metering Agreements. This resource can help municipalities and school districts that have decided to "go solar" to identify, modify, and craft contract provisions that best suit their goals and financial needs. The template is posted on VLCT's website at www.vlct.org/league-resources/search-vlct-resources/. For more information about the template, contact Abby Friedman at afriedman@vlct.org or 802-229-9111. Additional resources for municipalities and schools are listed below.

- **Vermont Public Service Department:** Anne Margolis, Renewable Energy Development Manager at 802-828-3058 or anne.margolis@state.vt.us. Website: www.publicservice.vermont.gov/topics/renewable_energy
- **School Energy Management Program:** Norm Etkind, Director, VSA, SEMP at semp@vtvsa.org or 802-229-1017. Website: www.vtvsa.org/school-energy-management-program.php
- **Vermont Natural Resources Council and the Vermont Energy & Climate Action Network** offer guidance on potential best options and strategies. Website: www.vecan.net or contact Johanna Miller, VNRC at jmiller@vnrc.org or 802-223-2328 ext. 112.
- **Renewable Energy Vermont** is the trade association of renewable energy businesses. Find potential solar installers/contractors at www.revermont.org.
- **Vermont Law School Energy Clinic, Institute for Energy and the Environment.** Email: energyclinic@vermontlaw.edu or website: www.vermontlaw.edu/academics/clinics-and-externships/energy-clinic
- **Efficiency Vermont** website: www.encyvermont.com/index