

Alliant Energy's Cedar Rapids Community Solar garden is being built north of the 1100 block of 33rd Avenue SWon company-owned property. (Alliant Energy) CEDAR RAPIDS -- The city of Cedar Rapids will become an anchor tenant of Alliant Energy's Community Solar Garden after the City Council approved purchasing 900 solar blocks Tuesday.

What is Alliant's Cedar Rapids Community Solar Garden?

Alliant's Cedar Rapids Community Solar Garden is an important milestone in Alliant's Clean Energy Blueprint, a roadmap to accelerate its transition to renewable energy through its Clean Energy Vision. This includes a goal to attain net-zero carbon dioxide emissions from electricity generation by 2050.

What is Alliant's solar garden?

Alliant's solar garden, north of the 1100 block of 33rd Avenue SW, is an effort toward a healthier environment and reduced reliance on fossil fuels. It is made up of 18,000 solar blocks. At maximum output, the 4.5-megawatt project powers about 3,600 homes.

How does Alliant Energy work?

Buy blocks in a local solar garden - Purchase blocks of solar to cover up to 100% of your energy use. Energy is delivered onto the grid - The energy generated is distributed onto the power grid. Alliant Energy powers the community - Clean, renewable energy helps power homes and businesses.

What is Alliant's Community Solar program?

Alliant's Community Solar program allows the company's electric customers to benefit from solar power without installing solar panels on their propertyby subscribing to it. Subscribers receive monthly credits on electric bills for every block of energy purchased.

What is Alliant Energy doing in Cedar Rapids?

Alliant Energy, with the goal of achieving net-zero carbon emissions from energy generation by 2050, announced Tuesday, July 12 that it will establish its first Iowa community solar 'garden' in Cedar Rapids. Expanding on its commitment to renewable energy, Alliant Energy is bringing this project to southwest Cedar Rapids.





The solar energy generated will be delivered to the power grid, where Alliant Energy manages its sale on the market. Alliant customers can buy a solar block from the garden and receive monthly



"We subscribed to the Alliant Energy Community Solar garden as we were looking for a way to support sustainable, clean energy since it was not feasible to put solar directly on our house," said Joe Sharp, Alliant Energy Community Solar subscriber. "We were thrilled to learn we could also help family members reduce their energy bills.



Don"t miss this opportunity to power your home or business with clean, hassle-free renewable energy. Community solar is community funded and provides an opportunity to enjoy the benefits of solar without installing panels on your property. Alliant Energy builds, owns and maintains a dedicated solar garden on behalf of participating subscribers.





With the Alliant Energy(R) Community Solar program, Alliant Energy builds, owns, and maintains a dedicated community solar garden for the participating subscribers. The renewable energy produced by the solar site is delivered to the grid, where Alliant Energy manages the sale of the energy on the market.



The Cedar Rapids Community Solar garden is an important milestone in Alliant Energy's Clean Energy Blueprint, the company's roadmap to accelerate its transition to renewable energy. It puts the company on a path to achieve its Clean Energy Vision, which includes a goal to attain net-zero greenhouse gas emissions from its utility operations



The Alliant Energy(R) Community Solar program builds, owns and maintains a dedicated solar site on your behalf. You invest in a portion of the electricity the community solar arrays provide and receive ongoing monthly bill credits for the next 20 years. And the best part ??? you can purchase blocks of solar to cover up to 100% of your energy use





Solar garden is constructed - Alliant Energy will build and maintain a solar garden on your roof. Alliant Energy powers the community - Clean, renewable energy helps power homes and businesses. Get started. Contact your key account manager or the Business Resource Center at 1-866-ALLIANT (866-255-4268) to learn more.



Contact us to better understand your current electric rate and what bill savings you might expect if you install a solar PV system. Alliant Energy customers can call the Renewable Energy Hotline at 1-800-972-5325, 8 a.m. ??? 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. More information.



This is the second Alliant Energy community solar garden to become operational. The first, in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, began generating energy in early 2022. The company expects it will soon begin to construct a ???





Solar panels are shown at Alliant Energy's new community solar garden, located east of the Rock Haven assisted living facility, 3400 N. County Road F, in Janesville, Thursday, Oct. 17, 2024.



The solar garden's power offsets local electricity demand and improves our sustainability footprint in Marshalltown. Our solar projects are a reflection of our commitment to clean, renewable energy in the state of lowa.



- Alliant Energy(R) Community Solar ??? Fond du Lac August 2021 - Alliant Energy(R) Community Solar ??? Fond du Lac Video: Much of the success of our first community solar garden is thanks to the excitement of Fond du Lac residents and businesses. Video: Habitat for Humanity partner families receive the gift of community solar





Solar panel arrays at Alliant Energy's community solar garden in southwest Cedar Rapids. CREDIT RICHARD PRATT. Even as Alliant Energy leaders and customers touted the completion of Alliant's first Iowa community solar garden at an open house at the ImOn Ice Arena May 2, officials implied that more such projects are likely on the horizon.



FOND DU LAC ??? Alliant Energy's first community solar garden is now up and running in in Fond du Lac County. The one-megawatt project located southeast of the city, along U.S. 151 near Hickory



The solar garden will be built on Alliant property north of the 1100 block of 33rd Avenue SW in Cedar Rapids. grocery store in Mount Vernon ??? has purchased 126 solar blocks in Alliant Energy





GRINNELL, Iowa (April 18, 2024) ??? Alliant Energy, with four Grinnell community partners, has broken ground on multiple solar projects that will total 5 megawatts (MW), at the new Grinnell Solar Park on the west side of the city. Alliant Energy will own, operate and maintain the Grinnell Solar Park as part of its Alliant Energy(R) Customer-Hosted Renewables program.



The Cedar Rapids Community Solar garden is now generating renewable energy for the more than 300 Alliant Energy customers who subscribed to the utility's first community solar garden in Iowa. The 4.5-megawatt garden is Alliant Energy's largest operational solar project to date in Iowa, according to a release.



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FOND DU LAC, Wis. (January 24, 2022) ??? Alliant Energy announces the 1-megawatt Fond du Lac community solar project is now operational and producing power. Solar production tracking began January 1, 2022. "The Fond du Lac garden is the first of what is expected to be multiple community solar locations across Iowa and Wisconsin," said David de Leon, President of ???



Contractor becomes anchor tenant in Alliant
Energy's Fond du Lac community solar project Fond
du Lac, Wis. ??? March 10, 2021 ??? The Fond du
Lac area is showing strong support for Alliant
Energy's community solar project. The 1-megawatt
solar garden announced in December and planned
for the southwest side of the city has received a
significant boost from Michels ???



The 4.5 MW garden is Alliant Energy's largest operational solar project to date in Iowa. Alliant Energy began constructing the project in 2021. It is north of the 1100 block of 33rd Avenue SW on Alliant Energy-owned property ???





Right now, it is divided into solar blocks -purchased by Alliant Energy customers -- that
distributes power to the region's grid. Those
subscribers then receive a credit on their power bill
for



MADISON, WI (April 25, 2023) ??? Rock County and Alliant Energy have announced their partnership on two solar projects to be established on a nearly 22-acre site. The plan includes constructing a 2.25-megawatt (MW) community solar garden alongside a 1.4-MW customer-hosted project in Janesville, Wisconsin.