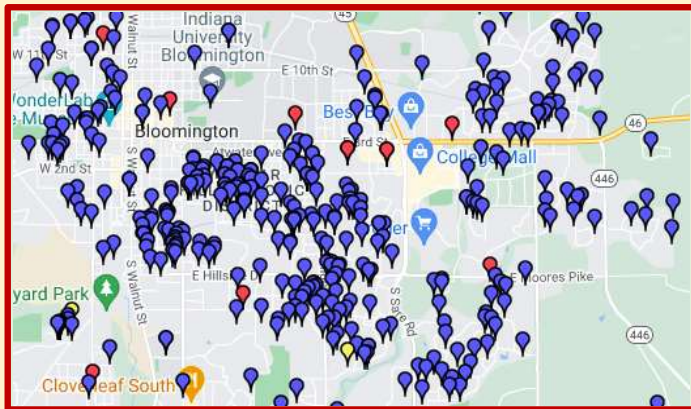


# In April

## TASK OF THE MONTH

### Learn how solar can work for you

Indiana ranks 51<sup>st</sup> among states for going solar, but there are nearly 1000 solar installations in south central Indiana, leading the Midwest area!



### Advocate for Community Solar

Community solar is a solar energy system where households, businesses, or nonprofits can subscribe to receive a credit on their utility bill for a share of the power the solar panels produce. It expands access to solar energy, avoids large upfront costs for customers and provides an alternative for anyone unable to place solar systems on their property. **Let your representative know you support this!**

#### For advice & support on solar:



**SIREN** (Southern Indiana Renewable Energy Network) offers

advice to homeowners.



<https://www.sirensolar.org/>



**Indiana Solar For All** helps lower-income homeowners can “pay” for arrays with sweat equity.

<https://insfa.org/>

Both are projects of the nonprofit Center for Sustainable Living.



#### Hoosiers for Community Solar



This coalition of over a dozen organizations is working to enable independent community solar as a tool to make the benefits of renewable energy accessible to all Hoosiers.

<https://hoosiersforcommunitysolar.com>

Although proposed legislation to require rule changes allowing the creation of community solar facilities did not receive a hearing in 2024, the coalition continues to work to gain bipartisan support.



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