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[Help the Solar Association - Do a short survey!](#)

Hello solar supporters! We wanted to update you as to our activities and also encourage you to fill out a short survey developed by Matt McLean. He has been hired by the Solar Association board to help identify suitable sites for a community array and collaborate with other organizations and assess community investment interest. A generous grant from the Sunshine Coast Community Foundation enabled us to hire Matt who has extensive community and co-op background.

After several successful bulk buys and educational campaigns, The Sunshine Coast Community Solar Association is exploring a community owned solar array. This could contribute significantly to our independent and green energy production.

Help us by completing a short survey about feasibility and siting for such an

array. Please fill out the survey by November 30 <https://goo.gl/forms/dCTXRXj9MoeCYf7m2>

An Exciting UBC Project

For several years, the SC Solar Association has been encouraging/working with students interested in pursuing solar and this year is no different. Four UBC students in Environmental Sciences will be working with us to analyze 3 potential community array sites. Matt will be working closely with them.

Membership

At our recent AGM, we decided to begin accepting memberships! We know that many people are interested in supporting the solar association and we realize that we need funds to support our ongoing work. Annual membership fees have been set at \$20, but students or those unable to afford that amount can pay \$10.

Although memberships will run from January 1st to December 31st, people taking out memberships any time after September 1st will be automatically covered for the following year. Membership allows you to vote at our AGM and stand for a director position. Non-members will continue to receive our newsletter but we greatly appreciate those who go the extra step to take out a membership.

To join SCCSA as a member, please email suncoastcsa@gmail.com and we will send you details to pay via paypal, or an address to mail

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