

ACTIVATING GREEN ENERGY COMMUNITIES



2016 Progress Report

With the help of community leaders, Connecticut Green Bank is driving economic development by accelerating the growth of green energy in Connecticut. This progress report offers a glance at the statewide and local impacts in your community. **Thank you for joining with Connecticut Green Bank and contributing to a greener future.**

Statewide Green Energy Achievements

In 2015, Connecticut Green Bank sparked the state's green energy economy by attracting more private investment in green energy to surpass our target of 30 MW of residential solar power eight years ahead of schedule. Our new goal is to reach 300 MW by 2022 with the help of Public Act 15-194. Passed with strong bipartisan support, this legislation lets Connecticut Green Bank expand access to solar for residents.

Our commercial loan program, C-PACE, is an innovative and affordable way for businesses, nonprofits, and multi-family property owners to pay for green energy upgrades. The program, which currently covers 90% of Connecticut's eligible market, has approved more than 176 projects totaling \$121 million.

	Fiscal Year	
	2016	Total 2012-2016
Approved, Closed, or Completed Projects	8,279	18,781
Green Bank Investment	\$55.6 million	\$181.4 million
Total Green Energy Investment	\$334.6 million	\$936.9 million
Green Energy Capacity (MW)	75.9	193.8
Annual Energy Saved (MMBTU)	436,467	1,970,714
Job Years Created	4,582	11,736
Tons of CO ₂ Avoided (Lifetime)	921,579	2,241,188

All data table numbers represent estimates.

About Connecticut Green Bank

The Connecticut Green Bank is the nation's first green bank. We're creating a thriving marketplace to accelerate green energy adoption in Connecticut. By leveraging public and private funds, we make green energy financing accessible and affordable for homeowners, businesses and institutions. We innovate, educate, and activate to accelerate the growth of green energy.