

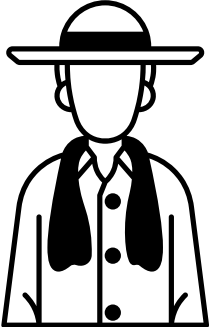
SOLAR DELIVERS TAX RELIEF IN ILLINOIS

Tax revenue from **solar** projects is steady predictable income!

Solar energy accounts for:¹

- **\$3.8 B - Capital Investments**
- **\$180 MM - Property Taxes Mason County**
- **\$2.8 MM - State & Local Taxes**

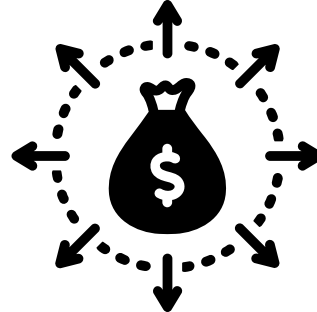
Solar delivers many economic benefits:²



Direct payments to landowners who host solar panels



Employment opportunities during construction and operation of a project



New spending infused into the local economy



New tax revenue streams to rural communities

The new tax revenue streams can help pay for essential services:

Local Schools



Roads



Police & Fire Services



New revenue from solar relieves the tax burden on residents!

Mason County²

Jobs created with solar:

- **812** during
construction

- **64 long-term jobs**



New Earnings with solar:

- **\$46.5 million** during
construction

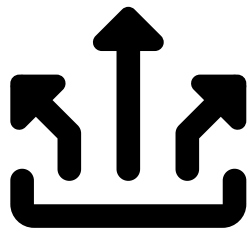
- **\$2.4 million** long-term



Additional Output from
solar:

- **\$78.3 million** during
construction

- **\$21.1 million** long-term



State of Illinois²

Jobs created with solar:

- **26,677** during
construction

- **976** long-term jobs

New earnings with solar:

- **\$2.1 billion** during
construction

- **\$71.7 million** long-term

Additional Output from
solar:

- **\$4.1 billion** during
construction

- **\$189.8 million** long-
term

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