

CITIES LEAD ON SOLAR

SOLAR MODULE
PRICES ARE
DECREASING



SOLAR-FRIENDLY
POLICIES ARE
ON THE RISE



SOLAR POWER IS A MAINSTREAM ENERGY
SOLUTION WITH WIDESPREAD BENEFITS TO OUR:



HEALTH, ECONOMY & ENVIRONMENT

AMERICA'S MAJOR CITIES ARE HELPING LEAD THIS CLEAN ENERGY REVOLUTION

20 CITIES

cover **.1%** of the
land area in the U. S.

and generate **7%** of our
nation's solar energy

which has increased
200-fold since 2002



THESE TOP 20 CITIES
CONTAIN MORE SOLAR
POWER TODAY THAN
WAS INSTALLED IN
THE ENTIRE U.S. JUST
SIX YEARS AGO



Los Angeles, CA	New Orleans, LA
San Diego, CA	Sacramento, CA
Phoenix, AZ	Jacksonville, FL
San Jose, CA	Albuquerque, NM
Honolulu, HI	Portland, OR
San Antonio, TX	Austin, TX
Indianapolis, IN	Las Vegas, NV
New York, NY	Newark, NJ
San Francisco, CA	Raleigh, NC
Denver, CO	Boston, MA

THIS IS PROGRESS IN ACTION:

- ✓ local solar initiatives
- ✓ partnerships with utilities
- ✓ strong state-level policies
- ✓ federal incentive programs

THE IMPACT OF SOLAR:

HEALTH BENEFITS

solar energy reduces outdoor
air pollutants that endanger
the health of city residents

JOB CREATION

in 2013 the number of solar jobs
grew 10x faster than the national
average growth in employment

COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE

solar energy reduces the
pollution that fuels climate
change and extreme weather

GET THE FACTS: WWW.ENVIRONMENTAMERICA.ORG/SOLAR-REPORT