PV Solar Solutions for Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians with AES



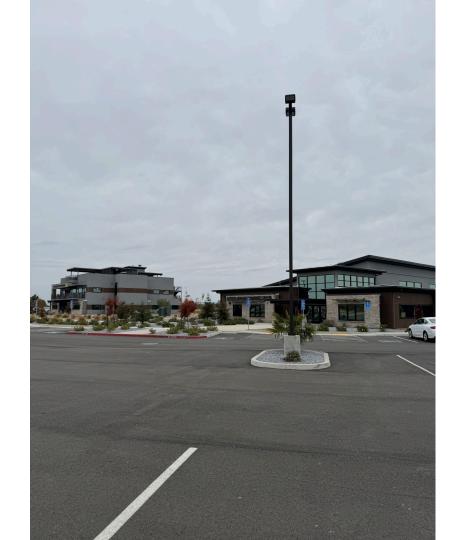
The start of solar for Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians

In 2022 AES completed three solar PV projects for Paskenta Band of Nomlaki Indians at their Medical, Dental and Administration Clinics. These 3 projects were located in Corning, Ca with the purpose of reducing costs and the carbon footprint. Funded by CalOES.

We worked together to start two more projects located at their new Community Center and Administration Buildings.









Proposed new site - Community and Administrative Building PV system



187 KW Roof mounted PV system attached on the community center and aggregated to the administration building. This allows for all panels at the site to be roof mounted and not ground mounted, saving cost and space.

Aggregation and System Explained

NEMA-Net Energy Metering Aggregation works in a way to allow the generated electricity to be allocated to both meters. It is not a set KW of solar dedicated to each meter. It is more fluid. Whichever building is using the energy, that's where the credit will be given. This allows for more flexibility in case one building uses more or less than predicted.

Original project was increased to 186 KW because we found that we could fit more panels on the roof than originally expected. Or initial design showed offsetting just 80% of the community building, we increased the size to cover 111% of the expected usage to account for any unforeseen additional usage. This overage can be shared between the two buildings via NEMA.

Designed to cover 100% of current usage for Admin Bldg

PRODUCTION & CONSUMPTION

ELECTRICITY MIX



Current usage: 97,848 kwh/year. Production estimate: 97,500 kwh/year

Projected Utility Savings Admin Building

	Pre-solar	Post-solar
YEAR 1 UTITLITY BILL	\$30,632	\$3,419
ANNUAL CONSUMPTION	97,848 kWh	97,848 kWh
UTILITY COMPANY	Pacific Gas & Electric Co	Pacific Gas & Electric Co
UTILITY RATE	A-1 Small General	A-1 Small General

Savings are based on several factors. 1. Utilizing current Net Energy Metering. 2. Does not include PGE charges for demand and non-bypass fees. 3. Based on the usage assumptions. Using more power than the solar produces, will result in true up bill at the end of the year. 4. Assuming A-1 rate tariff. PGE has the ability to retire/change rate tariffs.

Environmental Savings Equivalent To:



Vehicles Taken Off Road

Miles Per Year Saved 74,553



Tanker Trucks of Gas Saved **10**



Barrels of Oil Saved 1,751



Number of Tress Planted 19,307



Acres of US Forests Saved 617.20



Railcars of Coal Saved 4



Pounds of Coal Saved 808,792

Designed to 111% of usage of the Community Bldg



Estimated usage 116,000 kwh/year. Production estimate: 128,760 kwh/year. There was limited data for usage available, this was an estimated of what will be used. Limited space allowed for less than 100% coverage.

Projected Utility Savings Community Building

YEAR 1 UTITLITY BILL	Pre-solar \$35,719	Post-solar \$3,138	
ANNUAL CONSUMPTION	116,200 kWh	116,200 kWh	
UTILITY COMPANY	Pacific Gas & Electric Co	Pacific Gas & Electric Co	
UTILITY RATE	A-1 Small General	A-1 Small General	

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Environmental Savings Equivalent To:





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Miles Per Year Saved 78,933

Vehicles Taken Off Road



Tanker Trucks of Gas Saved **11**



Barrels of Oil Saved **1,854**



Number of Tress Planted 20,442



Acres of US Forests Saved 653.47



Railcars of Coal Saved 4

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Pounds of Coal Saved 856,314

Break even at year 10.2 for Tribe match \$275K

Center		0
\$	66,000	\$126,000
\$	72,600	\$138,600
\$	79,860	\$152,460
\$	87,846	\$167,706
\$	96,631	\$184,477
\$	106,294	\$202,924
\$	116,923	\$223,217
\$	128,615	\$245,538
\$	141,477	\$270,092
\$	155,625	\$297,101
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Total Savings over 30 years (10% annual increase PGE)

25	\$ 590,984	\$1,128,242
26	\$ 650,082	\$1,241,066
27	\$ 715,091	\$1,365,173
28	\$ 786,600	
29	\$ 865,260	Savings over
30	\$ 951,786	30 Years:
	\$ 7,265,997	\$ 7,265,997

Grant Award vs 30 years Savings:

- DOE Award \$202,744
- Tribal Match \$275,552
- Total Project Cost \$478,296
- Total savings over 30 years with 10% annual PGE increase
- \$7,265,997 \$478,296 = \$6,787,701



