



Energy Block Grants Work!

CAMPAIGN TO SAVE EECBG



Tulare Combats Climate Change

The City of Tulare, California is working to improve the City's environmental performance with its Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) funding. The City is reducing its annual greenhouse gas production and taking advantage of its natural energy resources through **aggressive investments in solar photovoltaic generation**.

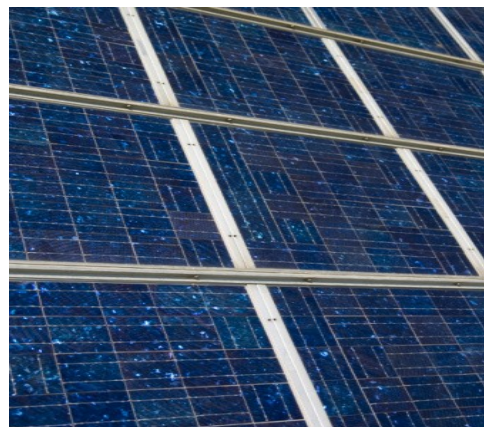
Tulare is using EECBG funding to ...

- **Install a 1 megawatt capacity solar photovoltaic power plant** at the City's wastewater treatment plant, with plans to expand the generation capacity of this plant by leveraging Power Purchase Agreements.
- **Leverage programs offered by the State** to provide loans to low-income homeowners for investments in distributed solar generation.
- **Complete community-wide plans to reduce greenhouse gas emissions** and increase local air quality.

For more information about Tulare's EECBG activities, contact Lewis Nelson at (559) 684-4318, or lnelson@ci.tulare.ca.us.

Impact on Tulare, CA

- \$518,700 in EECBG funds
- More than \$5 million leveraged
- 18 jobs created or retained
- 518 metric tons of CO₂e emissions prevented



Organized by Climate Communities, the Energy Block Grants Work! campaign is showcasing how cities and counties across America are using federal Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG) dollars to create jobs, save energy, and reduce carbon pollution. For more information, visit www.energyblockgrants.org.