Solar and Storage for Energy Resilience

STATUS:

Operational

LOCATION:

St. Petersburg, FL (Pinellas County)

CONGRESSIONAL DISRICT:

Florida 14th

TECHNOLOGY(S):

Solar and Battery Storage

RELEVANT TAX PROVISION(S):

Investment Tax Credit (ITC)

FAST FACTS:

- Across Florida, more than 240,000 homeowners have installed solar to generate their own electricity, save money, and become more energy independent.
- Over the past decade, the cost of solar generation in Florida has fallen 37%, helping cut electric bills and save consumers money.
- Solar and home battery storage have helped provide tens of thousands of hours to residents across Florida, keeping the lights on in the face of hurricanes and blackouts.



ADVANCED ENERGY IN FLORIDA BY THE NUMBERS:

207,600

Advanced Energy Jobs

5%

Advanced Energy Job Growth Rate

3%

EV Job Growth Rate

15%

Solar Job Growth Rate

SOURCES

- "2024 Advanced Energy Employment Fact Sheets," Advanced Energy United, October 2024
- "National Solar Jobs Census 2023," Interstate Renewable Energy Council (IREC), September 2024

