

SOLAR SITING SUBCOMMITTEE – Approved August 13, 2025

Charge:

Ensure that the town plan provides clear, accurate guidance regarding the development of solar energy projects in the Town of Norwich, guided by the laws of the State of Vermont, bearing in mind the town's character, topography, location of critical utilities, and desires of all its residents. The Solar Siting Subcommittee will define in the town plan clear criteria for any solar project requiring Public Utility Commission Section 248 process review.

The Solar Siting Subcommittee will engage with other town groups, such as the Energy Committee, the Conservation Committee, and will continue to welcome input during its meetings to hear feedback from the members of the public.

The Solar Siting Subcommittee will provide input to the efforts of the Planning Commission to develop an enhanced energy plan for the Town of Norwich.