

# What is Community Shared Solar

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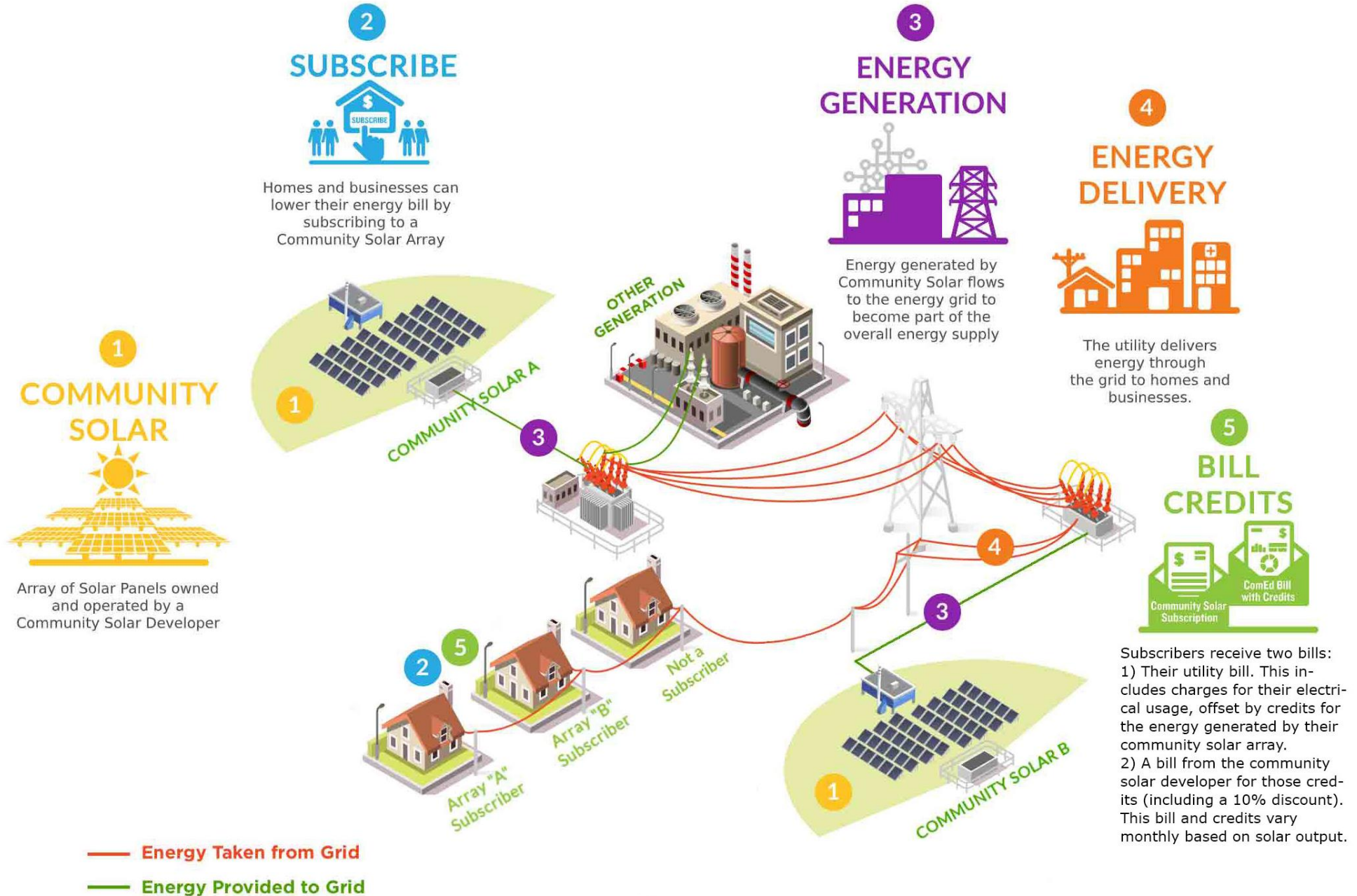
# What is “Community Shared Solar” ?



East Light solar farm at Saugerties landfill

- A “solar farm” is operated by a private company that produces electricity that is supplied to the grid.
- Individuals or businesses can buy a subscription to a portion of the solar farm roughly equal to their electrical usage.
- Electricity is produced by the panels in the solar farm and fed to the grid.
- The value of the electricity produced by your portion is credited to your Central Hudson bill.
- You pay the solar farm 90% of the value of those credits.

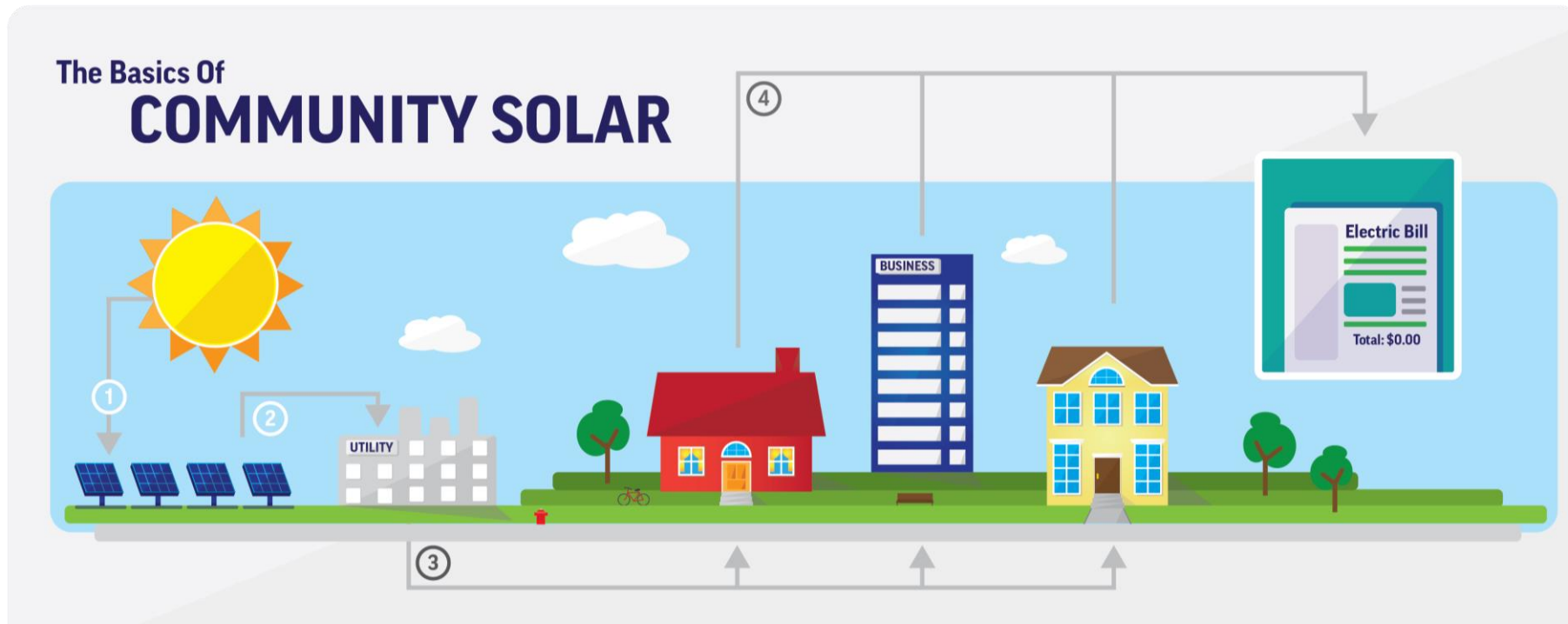
# How Does Community Solar Work?



# What you pay for

You pay the solar farm company for the electricity your portion produces. You receive a credit for this electricity on your Central Hudson bill.

- Solar Farms usually charge 10% less than your CH credit is worth.
- For example: Your portion produces **\$100 worth of electricity** this month.
  - You receive a **\$100 credit** on your Central Hudson bill.
  - You pay the solar farm company **\$90**.



With most solar farms there is no contract, and no commitment. You can join or quit at any time.

**Billing Detail**

**Electric Service Charges 943 kWh at a cost of \$173.56**  
 Average Daily Cost for Electric \$6.9424

**Amount of Electricity Used**

Aug 13,2021	Present Reading (estimated)	94619
Jul 19,2021	Previous Reading (actual)	93676

**Electricity Used (kWh) 943**

**Cost for Electricity Used (for 0.8 months)**

**ENERGY DELIVERY CHARGES:**

Basic Service Charge	0.8 Mos @	19.50	15.60
Delivery Svc Chg	943 kWh @	0.09283	87.54
MFC Admin Chg	943 kWh @	0.00186	1.75
Transition Adj	943 kWh @	0.00029	0.27
SBC/RPS Chgs	943 kWh @	0.00651	6.14
Misc. Charges	943 kWh @	0.00645	6.08
RDM Chg	943 kWh @	-0.01325	-12.49
<b>Total Delivery Chrgs</b>			<b>104.89</b>

**ENERGY SUPPLY CHARGES:**

(You may choose another supplier for this part of your service)

MFC Supply Chg	943 kWh @	0.00351	3.31
Market Price	943 kWh @	0.06796	64.09
Market Price Adj	943 kWh @	-0.00107	-1.01
<b>Total Supply Chrgs</b>			<b>66.39</b>
NYS & Local Taxes			2.28

**TOTAL ELECTRICITY COST \$173.56**

For this billing period, the average cost of energy we purchased for you was \$0.07040 per kWh (excluding taxes). You can use this number to compare our price to other suppliers' prices.

**Payments and Adjustments**

PAYMENT RECEIVED ELECTRONICALLY	AUG 11	\$ 21.08
COMMUNTY DISTRIB GENERATION CREDIT	AUG 17	\$-163.08

# How it works with your current electric supplier

- Central Hudson continues to deliver your energy. You still get a monthly bill from them.
- You can still pick any energy services company (ESCO) to provide your electricity via Central Hudson.
- No matter who provides your electricity - Central Hudson or some other ESCO (like the Town of Saugerties CCA) - You still get the solar credit.

# Who is Eligible?

Anyone with an electric bill – Single family homes, apartments, condos, businesses.



# What companies are offering Community Shared Solar in our area?

community solar with  
**nexamp**

Sign up to claim your share of a Nexamp solar farm!  
Enter your zip code below to see if we're in your area.

Zip Code

**Find Your Farm**

- ✓ No rooftop solar panels required
- ✓ Stay with your current utility company
- ✓ Save up to 10% on your annual electricity costs
- ✓ No credit checks
- ✓ No long term contracts or cancellation fees
- ✓ Support local clean energy

**Nexamp**

[solar.nexamp.com](http://solar.nexamp.com)

Common Energy

How it works | Reviews | FAQs

**Support clean energy and save.**

Common Energy works with state-supported clean energy programs that lower emissions and offer you guaranteed savings on your electricity. See if we have a project in your area!

**Check Availability**

**Instead of a utility bill, receive our Statement of Savings**

**Saugerties**

**Common Energy**

[commonenergy.us/partners/solarizeulster](http://commonenergy.us/partners/solarizeulster)

**Pointe**church

A new solar option for New York

The Pointe of Praise church in Kingston strives to improve the lives of its community members, and that fits right in with our thinking at SunCommon.

Community Solar Arrays (CSAs) are your local solar farm co-op. When you buy into a CSA, you have all the benefits of owning a solar array for your home without installing anything on your roof.

**Kingston**

**SunCommon**

[suncommon.com/community-solar-array](http://suncommon.com/community-solar-array)

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**Welcome to Community Solar**

Orange & Rockland and Central Hudson customers can join a local solar farm, support renewable energy in their community, and enjoy 10% savings on their electric bills with no installation or upfront payment required. Finally: an electric bill you'll love!

Name  Phone

Email  Zip Code

**See if You Qualify**

**Solstice**

[solstice.us/ulster](http://solstice.us/ulster)

**Community Solar in the Hudson Valley**

Located in Poughkeepsie, this project will bring clean energy and more to the Hudson Valley! Residents and small businesses serviced by Central Hudson for electricity are eligible to join. The project is currently under construction and slated to be fully operational by this summer.

**Blue Wave**

[start.bluewavesolar.com/centralhudson](http://start.bluewavesolar.com/centralhudson)

**Medusa**

**2,801 kW Project**

Annual CO2 Impact

- 5,939,315 Less Miles Driven
- 4,013 Trees Planted
- 2,655,956 Lbs. of Coal Avoided

**About the Project**

Project Story | Contract Details

Project is live and generating credits. TODAY! All Central Hudson customers can participate in this community solar project and enjoy savings for the life of the program.

**Powermarket**

[ulster.powermarket.io/marketplace.htm](http://ulster.powermarket.io/marketplace.htm)