

RESOLUTION 2023-130
SUPPORT RESOLUTION - IN SUPPORT OF DIMENSION RENEWABLE ENERGY
COMMUNITY SOLAR PROJECTS

WHEREAS, Dimension RE LLC (“Dimension Renewable Energy” or “Dimension”) is developing the following community solar projects located within the Township of Florence.

Project LLC	Address	Size (MW)	Estimated Subscribers
Florence Solar 2 LLC	1400 West Front St	2.98	512
Florence Solar 3 LLC	1100 West Front St	2.98	512

;and

WHEREAS, the Dimension projects will bring other benefits to the Township of Florence. Dimension has committed to working with local non-profits, community organizations, affordable housing partners, and workforce training partners to maximize the impact of its projects through the funding and implementation of initiatives that will provide K-12 renewable energy STEM education, solar-specific workforce development, funding for community projects and programs, and prioritization of solar access for low- and moderate-income households; and

WHEREAS, it is the intention of the Township of Florence to support community solar development for the purpose of achieving the multiple economic, health, environmental, social justice, and educational benefits of solar energy, while maintaining the community character, design standards, and livability of the Township of Florence; and

WHEREAS, solar energy facilities and technologies can be deployed in the Township of Florence and implemented to ensure the maximum use of solar energy in the community; and

WHEREAS, the deployment of community solar energy facilities can greatly reduce the cost of energy for local residents while lowering New Jersey’s carbon emissions; and

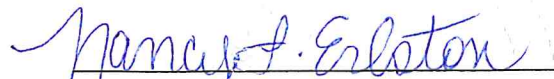
WHEREAS, the Township of Florence wishes to support local community solar projects that are being submitted into the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities’ Community Solar Program to ensure our residents and business enjoy the many benefits of community solar development; and

WHEREAS, Dimension will prioritize Florence Township residents as subscribers of the projects. Prioritization will include marketing subscriptions exclusively within Florence Township for a minimum of three months as well as other strategies such as utilization of Township-specific marketing campaigns, collaboration with the Township and other local organizations to educate, engage, and enroll Township residents, offering unique enrollment incentives to Township residents, and/or prioritizing Township residents for available subscription capacity on an ongoing basis.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED on the 21st day of June, 2023, by the Township Council of the Township of Florence that it supports the Dimension Renewable Energy community solar rooftop projects identified above in this Resolution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township of Florence endorses for selection by the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities, the Dimension Renewable Energy community solar projects identified above in this Resolution.

I, NANCY L. ERLSTON, Clerk of the Township of Florence, Burlington County, New Jersey, certify that the foregoing Resolution was regularly moved and adopted at a regular meeting of the Florence Township Council held June 21, 2023.


NANCY L. ERLSTON, RMC
TOWNSHIP CLERK