



Powering Up the Deployment Decade Series

Ensuring effective, efficient, & equitable implementation of federal bills including the IRA

Sub-Topic: Building Local Support for Renewable Energy Siting

Zoom Meeting Notes

When: Tuesday 10/10 @ 10am PT / 1pm ET (1-Hour Meeting)

Host: Ning Mosberger-Tang, Founder (Greg is on vacation)

Next Meeting Tuesday 10/24 @ 10am PT / 1pm ET

Watch Full Meeting Video ([58 min video](#))

Gathering, Welcome, and Intro: Ning Mosberger-Tang ([5 min video](#))

- Please [invite](#) your friends and colleagues to join 1.5°CSG
- You can review all of our fundraising and available matching funds at: www.onepointfiveclimate.org/member-info
- Today we have two sets of \$50k c3 matching funds for each presenting organization creating a total of \$100k in matching funds.

Greenlight America ([12 min video](#))

Greenlight America is focused on leveraging local grassroots support with the goal of winning local clean energy siting and permitting fights. The U.S. needs to build 6,000 clean energy facilities over the next decade, almost 2 per day, as well as more than 10,000 miles of transmission lines to hit emission reduction goals. Local opposition is the biggest obstacle to these projects, and there are few coordinated efforts to engage supporters as advocates for these projects. Greenlight is building a scalable, nationwide clean energy campaign hub to work with partner organizations, engage and mobilize local residents, and win project approvals.

- Matt Traldi, Founder and CEO, Greenlight America
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- Greenlight America [Slide Deck](#)
- Please make a contribution to Greenlight America today and email greg@onepointfiveclimate.org to unlock the \$50k in matching funds.
 - [Greenlight America C3 contribution instructions](#)
- [Greenlight America Due Diligence Doc](#)

Land & Liberty - a project of Clean Grid Alliance ([10 min video](#))

Land and Liberty, part of the Clean Grid Alliance, boasts a highly experienced team with a two-decade track record of effectively navigating utility-scale siting conflicts across several states, including Minnesota, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio. Their renewable energy siting efforts are distinctly concentrated on the more conservative, rural regions within these states, acknowledging that these areas hold the greatest technical potential for renewable energy projects while concurrently harboring the lowest levels of public support for the fundamental reasons behind transitioning to carbon-free sources of electricity.

- Beth Soholt, Executive Director, Clean Grid Alliance
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- Please make a contribution to Land & Liberty today and email greg@onepointfiveclimate.org to unlock the \$50k in matching funds.
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- [Land & Liberty Due Diligence Doc](#)

Member Q&A ([27 min video](#))

Closing by Ning ([3 min video](#))

Member Overtime

- We welcomed members (especially new members) to stay on for overtime to discuss what they heard and/or introduce themselves to other members.

