



## What are the income qualifications?

HOUSEHOLD SIZE	GROSS INCOME (District of Columbia)
1	\$52,550
2	\$60,050
3	\$67,550
4	\$70,050
5	\$81,100
6	\$87,100
7	\$93,100
8	\$99,100

## What is the environmental benefit of solar?

Each electron generated by solar means there is one less electron generated from a fossil fuel source. With more solar systems, this will result in cleaner air and each system results in the equivalent of planting 1,000 trees or preventing over 50 tons of carbon dioxide emissions from entering the atmosphere.

## How might storms or snow impact my system?

Solar systems are robust and engineered to withstand local storm conditions including hail, snow, and high winds. The panels will heat up quickly and remove snow from the roof.

## What if I do not own my own home?

As of 2016 we began working with renters and multi-family units at the Parkchester Apartments under the agency of the NHP Foundation. If you think your landlord may be interested, please refer them to Henry Neoman, our Multi-Family Project Coordinator, at [hneoman@gridalternatives.org](mailto:hneoman@gridalternatives.org)

## Are there opportunities to give back to GRID?

Yes, there are a number of ways you can give back. These include: helping install your solar panels, acting as a GRID solar ambassador in your community educating others about solar, contributing a portion of your savings towards the maintenance of your system, and providing lunch for the job trainees and installers during your installation.

## What is net metering?

Net metering allows you to offset energy consumption with your energy production. At the end of the month your final electric bill is the difference between total usage and the electricity your solar panels produced.

