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Southern Branch



Tour of USAFA Solar Array



Join us to learn about the U.S. Air Force Academy's new 30-acre solar array. The panels will generate more than 11 percent of the Academy's electric needs and advance its goal of using 100 percent renewable energy by 2020.

The array is expected to produce 12,000 megawatt-hours and save the Academy \$1 million annually. California-based Sunpower designed and built the array over a period of about 5.5 months at a cost of about \$18 million. SunPower expects the array to have a 25-year lifetime.

Participants should park and meet at the Pass & ID building just before the south gate of the Academy.

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Tuesday July 19, 2011, 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm

The location will be just west of I-25 and Academy Blvd. before the AFA gate. Visitors will need a valid photo ID to enter.

RSVP for the program at

<http://usgreenbuildingcouncilcolorado.memberlodge.org/southern>

Questions: contact southernbranch@usgbccolorado.org