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Dear Resident,

As a community, we are proud to be taking steps to achieve local environmental goals. The Village of Pittsford is happy to be partnering with the Towns of Pittsford, Brighton, and Irondequoit, Joule Community Power and our local partner Roctricity, to form Monroe Community Power.

Through Monroe Community Power, the Village of Pittsford is now offering our residents and small businesses a fully vetted community solar program. If you choose to participate in this program, you will be able to subscribe to a local community solar project and support the generation of renewable energy.

As a resident (homeowner and renter) or small business who enrolls in community solar you can:

- Access the benefits of solar without needing to install panels on your rooftop or property*
- Save up to 10% annually on your electricity costs
- Support the development of clean, renewable electricity in NY State
- Participate without risk because you may cancel without penalty at any time

**If you have your own solar panels or participate in another solar program, you already receive solar credits and are thereby ineligible to enroll in a community solar program.*

Each enrollment in this community solar program, in addition to saving you money and supporting local renewable energy, will generate \$50 for a Village of Pittsford Sustainability Fund, which will be used for a future project to benefit the community.

Because there is only so much power a solar farm can generate, these community solar farms will be closed to new enrollment when they become fully subscribed—**just one more reason to enroll today!**

Enroll and learn more at www.monroecommunitypower.com/enroll

Ask questions or get help with enrollment by calling Roctricity at (585) 244-0244.

You are invited to join me and the Monroe Community Power team remotely on **Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at 6 PM** at a Public Info Session where we will discuss the program and answer your questions.

RSVP and get the virtual meeting details at www.bit.ly/pittsford-solar-1216

The Village of Pittsford, in its commitment to pursue sustainable policies, embraces the idea of community solar but also recognizes the importance of preserving western New York's prime and unique soils. Through work with Joule and Roctricity, the Village has been assured that participating in this community solar program will not cause the conversion of any additional farmland in the region to accommodate the solar array. Community Solar represents the next step in Pittsford's long legacy of commitment to a healthy environment. We're pleased to be able to offer it to you.

Sincerely,
Mayor Robert Corby