

CITY COUNCIL
STUDY SESSION AGENDA
OF
JULY 18, 2016



North
Augusta

South Carolina's
Riverfront

Administration Department



Interoffice Memorandum

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: B. Todd Glover, City Administrator

DATE: July 15, 2016

SUBJECT: Study Session Date of Monday, July 18, 2016

A study session of the North Augusta City Council has been scheduled for **Monday, July 18, 2016, at 6:00 p.m.** in the Municipal Center 3rd Floor Council Conference Room/Council Chambers located at 100 Georgia Avenue. **PLEASE NOTE THE NEW TIME OF 6:00 P.M.**

The following are among the topics for discussion and review:

ITEM 1. CITY COUNCIL AGENDA: Items on the July 18, 2016 Council Agenda – Council Discussion

At this time, any questions related to the agenda scheduled for tonight's meeting may be discussed.

ITEM 2. FINANCE: Franchise Request by Crown Castle – Council Consensus

Representatives from Crown Castle presented a franchise request at the May 16, 2016 study session. Council consensus regarding this matter is requested.

ITEM 3. Parks, Recreation, & Tourism: Funding for Riverview Park Gym Additions – Council Update

The North Augusta Parks, Recreation, & Tourism Department Director, Rick Meyer; City Administrator, Todd Glover; and Finance Director, Cammie Hayes will review the financial options at reprioritizing funding in Sales Tax III to cover the costs of the new gym additions at Riverview Park.

ITEM 4. Parks, Recreation, & Tourism: Solar Panels Request – Council Update

A request to install solar panels on the roof of the Riverview Park Activities Center has been made by Southern View Energy. Director of Parks, Recreation, and Tourism, Rick Meyer, will update Mayor and Council on the request.

Please see **SS ATTACHMENT NO. 4** for additional information.

ITEM 5. LEGAL: Executive Session – Request of the City Administrator

In compliance with Section 30-4-70 (a) (5) the City Administrator has requested an executive session for the purpose of:

(5) Discussion of matters relating to the proposed location, expansion, or the provision of services encouraging location or expansion of industries or other businesses in the area served by the public body.

Discussion of Project Jackson's Master Development Agreement



SOUTHERN VIEW
ENERGY

Years 11 – 25 (Option1) All power generated under true net metering will be at a value of \$.115 cents per KWH. We propose that the investor receive \$.08 cents per KWH and the City of North Augusta receive \$.035 cents per KWH. The differential values are due do the fact that the investor is still required to maintain insurance and maintenance on the system.

Years 11 – 25 (Option 2) We estimate that the combined overall value of the energy generated to be at a value of \$.085 cents per KWH. However, this is an estimate! We propose that 70% of production go to the Investor and 30% of the production go to the City of North Augusta. Again, the differential is due to the fact that the insurance and maintenance will be on the responsibility of the investor. The monetized value of this will be described below.

Under both options 1 and 2, the interconnection location will be located behind the meter at the Activities Center. This means that no checks will be administered by SCE&G after year 10. The values of the production will be noticed in a reduction in the power bill to the Activities Center. In order to validate the worth of the KWH production, revenue grade metering will be installed on the array to determine total production. Also, CT's will be placed on the load side of the Activities Center as well as the load side of the solar array. A simple math calculation of subtraction will determine the amount of energy generated by the array vs. the amount that is purchased at avoided cost rates. This will allow both parties to quantify the true value of the production and a bill will be given by the investor to the hospital for the rate and quantity of the production each month.

Array size: 375 KW

Array Production: 1259KWH per KW installed (Value determined through PVSYST

Yearly Production: $1259 \times 375 = 471,236$ KWH (adjusted)

Years 1 – 10 (Value represents month 1. Annual production will degrade at .005% per year

Investor
 $471,236\text{KWH} \times \$0.1675 = \$78,932$ per year

City of North Augusta
 $471,236 \text{ KWH} \times \$0.0525 = \$24,732$ per year

Years 11 – 25

Investor
 $427,272 \times \$0.08 = \$34,181$ per year (Option 1)
 $427,272 \times \$0.0595 = \$25,422$ per year (Option 2)

City of North Augusta
 $427,272 \times \$0.035 = \$14,954$ per year (Option 1)
 $427,272 \times \$0.0255 = \$10,895$ per year (Option2)

Estimated 25 Year Savings for City of North Augusta → **\$420,000** Cost to City – Loss of Roof Control

Option to Buy Clause Available After Year 10 : Terms Negotiable

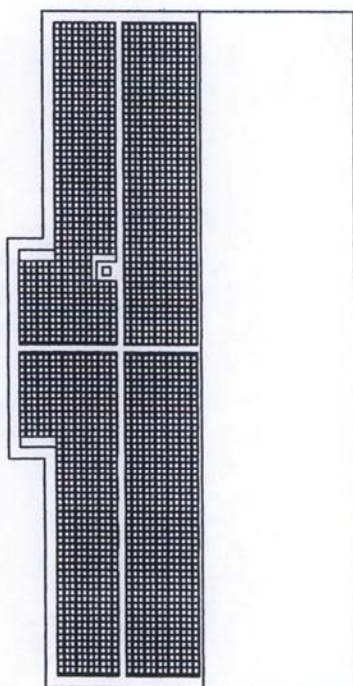
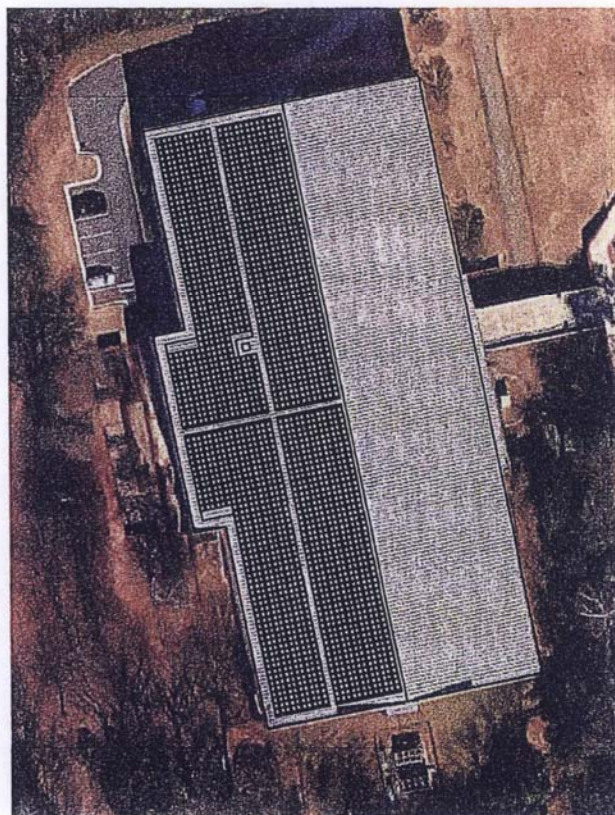
Solar Design,
Installation & Service

THE SOLAR ENERGY EXPERTS

Licensed Electrical Contractor
GA, NC, SC

Riverview Park Center

375kW DC



SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS

- SYSTEM SIZE 374.4kW DC
- MODULE TYPE Canadian Solar 320W
- INVERTER TYPE SolarEdge 20kW
- MODULE QTY 1170
- INVERTER QTY 15

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INITIAL PROJECT OVERVIEW DRAWING

Riverview Park Activities Center
 100 Riverview Park Drive
 North Augusta, SC 29841

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SOUTHERN VIEW
 ENERGY



MAXPOWER CS6X-310 | 315 | 320P

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KEY FEATURES

-  Excellent module efficiency of up to 16.68 %
-  Outstanding low irradiance performance: 96.0 %
-  Positive power tolerance of up to 5 W
-  High PTC rating of up to 91.97%
-  IP67 junction box for long-term weather endurance
-  Heavy snow load up to 5400 Pa, wind load up to 2400 Pa
-  Salt mist, ammonia and blowing sand resistance, apply to seaside, farm and desert environments*

25
years

linear power output warranty

10
years

product warranty on materials and workmanship

MANAGEMENT SYSTEM CERTIFICATES*

ISO 9001:2008 / Quality management system
 ISO/TS 16949:2009 / The automotive industry quality management system
 ISO 14001:2004 / Standards for environmental management system
 OHSAS 18001:2007 / International standards for occupational health & safety

PRODUCT CERTIFICATES*

IEC 61215 / IEC 61730: VDE / MCS / CE / SII / CEC AU / INMETRO
 UL 1703 / IEC 61215 performance: CEC listed (US)
 UL 1703: CSA / IEC 61701 ED2: VDE / IEC 62716: VDE / IEC 60068-2-68: SGS
 Take-e-way / UNI 9177 Reaction to Fire: Class 1

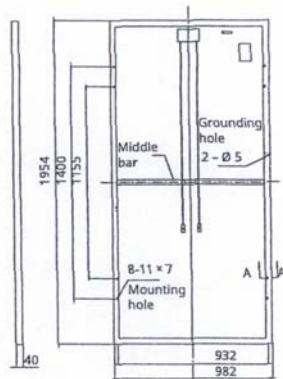


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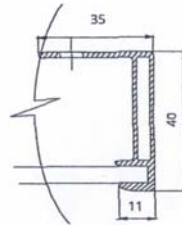
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ENGINEERING DRAWING (mm)

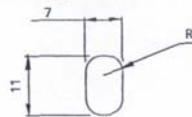
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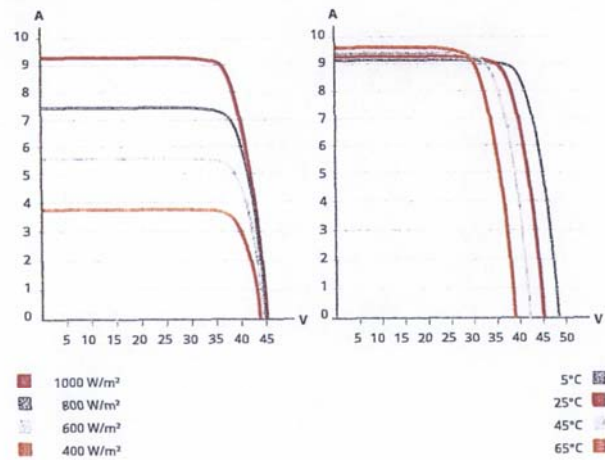
Frame Cross Section A-A



Mounting Hole



CS6X-320P / I-V CURVES



ELECTRICAL DATA / STC*

| CS6X | 310P | 315P | 320P |
|------------------------------|---|---------|---------|
| Nominal Max. Power (Pmax) | 310 W | 315 W | 320 W |
| Opt. Operating Voltage (Vmp) | 36.4 V | 36.6 V | 36.8 V |
| Opt. Operating Current (Imp) | 8.52 A | 8.61 A | 8.69 A |
| Open Circuit Voltage (Voc) | 44.9 V | 45.1 V | 45.3 V |
| Short Circuit Current (Isc) | 9.08 A | 9.18 A | 9.26 A |
| Module Efficiency | 16.16 % | 16.42 % | 16.68 % |
| Operating Temperature | -40°C ~ +85°C | | |
| Max. System Voltage | 1000 V (IEC) or 1000 V (UL) | | |
| Module Fire Performance | TYPE 1 (UL 1703) or CLASS C (IEC 61730) | | |
| Max. Series Fuse Rating | 15 A | | |
| Application Classification | Class A | | |
| Power Tolerance | 0 ~ + 5 W | | |

* Under Standard Test Conditions (STC) of irradiance of 1000 W/m², spectrum AM 1.5 and cell temperature of 25°C.

ELECTRICAL DATA / NOCT*

| CS6X | 310P | 315P | 320P |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Nominal Max. Power (Pmax) | 225 W | 228 W | 232 W |
| Opt. Operating Voltage (Vmp) | 33.2 V | 33.4 V | 33.6 V |
| Opt. Operating Current (Imp) | 6.77 A | 6.84 A | 6.91 A |
| Open Circuit Voltage (Voc) | 41.3 V | 41.5 V | 41.6 V |
| Short Circuit Current (Isc) | 7.36 A | 7.44 A | 7.50 A |

* Under Nominal Operating Cell Temperature (NOCT), irradiance of 800 W/m², spectrum AM 1.5, ambient temperature 20°C, wind speed 1 m/s.

PERFORMANCE AT LOW IRRADIANCE

Industry leading performance at low irradiance, average relative efficiency of 96.0 % from an irradiance of 1000 W/m² to 200 W/m² (AM 1.5, 25°C).

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Caution: For professional use only. The installation and handling of PV modules requires professional skills and should only be performed by qualified professionals. Please read the safety and installation instructions before using the modules.

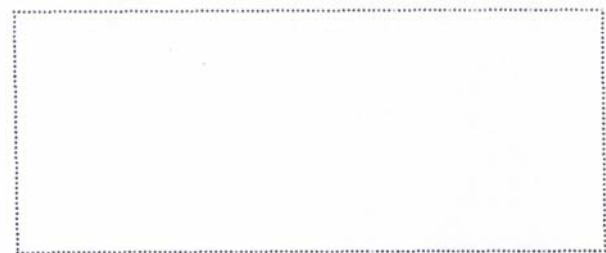
MECHANICAL DATA

| Specification | Data |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Cell Type | Poly-crystalline, 6 inch |
| Cell Arrangement | 72 (6x12) |
| Dimensions | 1954x982x40 mm (76.9x38.7x1.57 in) |
| Weight | 22 kg (48.5 lbs) |
| Front Cover | 3.2 mm tempered glass |
| Frame Material | Anodized aluminium alloy |
| J-Box | IP67, 3 diodes |
| Cable | 4 mm ² (IEC) or 4 mm ² & 12 AWG 1000V (UL), 1150 mm (45.3 in) |
| Connectors | Friends PV2a (IEC), Friends PV2b (IEC / UL) |
| Standard | 26 pieces, 620 kg (1366.9 lbs) |
| Packaging | (quantity & weight per pallet) |
| Module Pieces per Container | 624 pieces (40' HQ) |

TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTICS

| Specification | Data |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Temperature Coefficient (Pmax) | -0.41 % / °C |
| Temperature Coefficient (Voc) | -0.31 % / °C |
| Temperature Coefficient (Isc) | 0.053 % / °C |
| Nominal Operating Cell Temperature | 45±2 °C |

PARTNER SECTION



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NET ENERGY METERING

BILL CREDIT AGREEMENT (BCA)

| MAXIMUM PRODUCTION | 1,000 kW <i>(May offset all/part of energy usage or not more than 100% of contract demand)</i> | 1,000 kW <i>(May offset all/part of energy usage or not more than 100% of contract demand)</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|--|---------------------|-------------|--------|---------------------|--------|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|------------------------|
| SYSTEM LOCATION | Onsite (Owned or leased) | Onsite (Owned or leased) | | | | | | | | | | |
| PROGRAM DESCRIPTION | For every kWh generated, customer offsets their own energy usage and receives an energy credit for excess generation put back on the grid. | Buy under your current rate for electric service. Receive an SCE&G bill credit for all your solar generation. | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMPENSATION FOR GENERATION | Receive an energy credit for any excess energy at the same energy rate as your current electric service. | <p>Sell all solar energy to SCE&G at a bill credit rate based on the size of the customer's solar system.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Bill Credit per kWh</th> <th>System Size</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>\$0.20</td> <td>0 kW < size ≤ 20 kW</td> </tr> <tr> <td>\$0.18</td> <td>20 kW < size ≤ 100 kW</td> </tr> <tr> <td>\$0.14</td> <td>100 kW < size ≤ 1000 kW</td> </tr> <tr> <td>\$0.22</td> <td>Qualifying Tax Exempts</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><i>Subject to annual adjustments for new participants.</i> BCA may be assigned to customer's lessor or installer.</p> <p>Qualifying Tax Exempts Churches – Rate 12 Schools – Rate 22 Municipalities – Rate 3</p> | Bill Credit per kWh | System Size | \$0.20 | 0 kW < size ≤ 20 kW | \$0.18 | 20 kW < size ≤ 100 kW | \$0.14 | 100 kW < size ≤ 1000 kW | \$0.22 | Qualifying Tax Exempts |
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| TERM | Available through 12/31/2025 for customers signed up by 12/31/2020. | Bill credit fixed for a 10-year term. BCA available to new customers thru 12/31/2020. | | | | | | | | | | |
| BILLING | If you generate more energy than you use, you receive an energy credit on your monthly bill. If you use more energy than you generate, you owe the net amount. | Credits appear on your monthly bill based on the total output from your solar system. Any excess credit is carried forward to offset future charges. | | | | | | | | | | |
| ANNUAL TRUE-UP | Annual bill credit at avoided cost for any remaining excess energy during the November billing cycle. | Annual payment for any remaining excess credits over \$600 during the November billing cycle. | | | | | | | | | | |
| METER REQUIREMENTS | Two (2) Meters One for solar system and one for your business. | Two (2) Meters One for solar system and one for your business. | | | | | | | | | | |
| INTERCONNECTION FEES | Application Fee ≤ 100 kW \$250 > 100 kW Fee based on system size | Application Fee ≤ 100 kW \$250 > 100 kW Fee based on system size | | | | | | | | | | |
| ARE RENEWABLE ENERGY CREDITS (RECs) AVAILABLE TO CUSTOMERS? | RECs are retained by SCE&G under this program. | RECs are retained by SCE&G under this program. | | | | | | | | | | |

