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Silver Maple Solar

A 200 MW solar project — sited on private land in Zeeland and Jamestown townships in Ottawa County, Michigan — generating enough clean energy to power over 34,057 homes.



\$57.6 million

in property taxes over the lifetime of the project

\$30 million

property tax revenue allocated to the local school district

6 jobs

in full-time operations

250 jobs

in construction

Project Timeline



2025 Start of Development



Q4 2025 Local & State Permitting



2027 Construction



2027 Beginning of Operations

Additional Notes

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Key Facts About Silver Maple Solar

FACT 01

Silver Maple Solar is designed to complement existing agricultural land uses, protect the soil and avoid negative impacts to wildlife.

FACT 02

Solar farms increase the resiliency of Michigan's electric grid while **protecting consumers** from the volatility and rising costs of traditional energy sources.

FACT 03

Solar panels are made of safe, welltested materials commonly found in household products.

FACT 04

RWE's advanced remote operations center will monitor the solar panels 24/7, 365 days a year, while the **onsite operations team** will be available to respond in the unlikely event of an emergency.

FACT 05

At the end of Silver Maple Solar's useful life, equipment will be removed and the land returned to its original uses.

Environmental Benefits

219 million gallons of water conserved each year

Unlike traditional power plants, solar farms do not consume water to generate electricity, leading to great water savings.

853,870 lbs. annual reduction in pollution (NOx, SO2 and PM2.5)

Clean energy technologies reduce the harmful air pollution that causes acid rain, water and soil contamination, resulting in lower rates of asthma, heart conditions and other health issues.

\$7.3 million in annual public health savings due to reduced pollution

Solar power prevents air pollution, which makes the air safer to breathe, leading to better health and lower health care bills.

RWE in the U.S.

RWE Clean Energy, a subsidiary of RWE, is the third-largest renewable energy company in the United States. With 11+ gigawatts of operational wind, solar and battery projects, RWE Clean Energy is committed to expanding its renewable footprint across America. RWE employs around 2,000 professionals nationwide and stands ready to meet the nation's growing energy needs. Through its locally developed, market-ready solutions, RWE is strengthening American energy independence and reliability.



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