

Tucson Electric Power SunShare Summary

- Incentive Type: Utility Rebate Program
- Eligible Renewable/Other Technologies:
Photovoltaics from 1kW to 100kW DC in size
- Applicable Sectors: Commercial, Residential
- Rebate:
 - \$2,000 per AC kW (\$2/watt) Option 1
 - \$3,000 per DC kW (\$3.00/watt) Option 3
 - Option 2 was discontinued for 2007.
- Website: <http://www.greenwatts.com/pages/sunshare.html>

TEP – SunShare Options

- Option 1 - TEP will provide a rebate of \$2,000 per kW of verified AC output for photovoltaic systems purchased on your own. 10 kW AC cap per system. Includes maintenance labor by TEP through 2012.
- Option 3 - Customers purchase their own photovoltaic equipment and the rebate amount is based on the installed solar generating capacity, or DC capacity. With this option TEP will provide a rebate of up to \$3,000 per kW of rated DC solar generating capacity. (\$2,500 per kW for Non residential project) To receive the higher rebate, the system must be operational within 180 days after receipt of the agreement (systems are reserved for 180 days until the 800 kW ceiling is reached in each year). 15 kW DC cap per residential system.
- Rebates are prorated for off angles and shading of PV arrays.

TEP SunShare

- SunShare program cap is 800 kW calculated on a DC basis. SunShare customers assign their environmental credits to TEP for 20 years. The customer is free to sell their credits on the REC market after that period of time.
- TEP offers true net metering, with annual credit balance zero in January, to all solar and wind systems of capacity up to 10 kW AC.

TEP – Outside SunShare

- Outside the SunShare program, PV systems larger than 100 kW AC capacity are eligible for a negotiated subsidy payment. Those larger systems are not included in the annual 800 kW DC program cap.
- The installations can be residential or commercial.
- TEP also offers a community based GreenWatts subsidized program for community based facilities that can pay the full cost of material and labor for qualifying installations. Schools, museums and other non profit organizations benefit from this program. These installations are also outside the SunShare program and its annual cap.