

Purchasing Renewable Energy for a Sustainable Future

All customers have the option to purchase renewable energy. Many companies and institutions incorporate renewable purchases within their sustainability goals, while others find renewable energy makes good business sense. Burton Energy Group supports their clients to find the right product structure to meet each need.

Renewable Energy Credits

Renewable Energy Credits (RECs) can be purchased in regulated and deregulated electric markets. These credits represent the environmental benefit that a renewable project brings to the grid. RECs are traded and sold on the open market to incentivize companies to generate green power. RECs can be purchased as part of a deregulated electric contract with a third-party supplier or they can be purchased through a REC-only contract, to off-set a certain percentage of a customer's annual usage.



solar panels directly to their facility. The contract offerings vary across the different markets and projects. Community solar projects can typically meet the needs for small volume or large volume customers and offer both short and long term contract terms.

Community Solar

Community solar projects provide an opportunity for all members of a community to purchase solar power, without adding

Power Purchase Agreements

Power Purchase Agreements are contracts between a developer and the customer, which guarantees the customer will purchase the energy from the project at a fixed price and receive the RECs. Also available are Virtual Power Purchase Agreements, which is a financial hedge, where the energy is sold into the market and the difference is settled between the purchaser and developer.