## Alliant Energy's

# North Rock Solar Project

### Fall 2023 Update

The 50-megawatt (MW) North Rock Solar Project in Rock County, Wisconsin, is part of Alliant Energy's **Clean Energy Blueprint**, a strategic roadmap to cost-effectively accelerate our transition to renewable energy and reduce carbon emissions. Now complete, the project generated enough energy in the first nine months of 2023 to power nearly 9,000 homes for the entire year.

# A message from our Operations team

At Alliant Energy, we constantly look for ways to modernize the grid to continue delivering the reliable service our customers expect. This includes solar projects like the North Rock Solar Project. It also includes upgrades to existing infrastructure and moving our local distribution lines underground.

In the past year, to help meet the needs of our customers for years to come, our Janesville Operations team placed 24 miles of electric distribution lines underground and extended the life of an additional 27 circuit miles through two major projects.

These projects will improve service reliability in the community and ensure power is there at the flip of a switch. Thank you for the opportunity to serve you!

> - Abby Young, manager Janesville Operations Center



### Wisconsin solar project progress

The North Rock Solar Project was one of the first of 12 projects in our Wisconsin solar program to become operational. Late last year, we also placed our Bear Creek (50 MW) and Wood County (150 MW) projects into service, making Alliant Energy the largest owner and operator of solar energy in Wisconsin.

This year we continued construction activities at our remaining nine sites. We have a few major milestones coming up; we expect to soon complete our Paddock (65 MW), Springfield (100 MW), Onion River (150 MW), Wautoma (99 MW) and Albany (50 MW) projects.

In total, we expect to place 1,089 MW of solar energy into service by summer 2024. Follow along with our progress at alliantenergy.com/wisconsinsolar.



#### Sign up for community solar

Are you interested in reducing your utility bills for the next 20 years? The Alliant Energy® Community Solar program allows customers to buy blocks of a solar garden and receive credits for the energy they generate for the next two decades.

This spring, we announced our Janesville Community Solar garden and will start construction in early 2024. The project will be comprised of 9,000 solar blocks customers can purchase for \$337 each. A typical Wisconsin electric customer would need approximately 18 solar blocks to offset 100% of their average annual usage.

Our Wisconsin electric customers can begin to receive credits once the project is operational, which we expect will be late next year. We anticipate customers will recoup the value of their upfront costs after about nine years of energy production.

For additional information, visit alliantenergy.com/janesvillecommunitysolar.



### Stay informed

We'll share additional updates, photos and details for the North Rock Solar Project online at alliantenergy.com/northrocksolar.

