

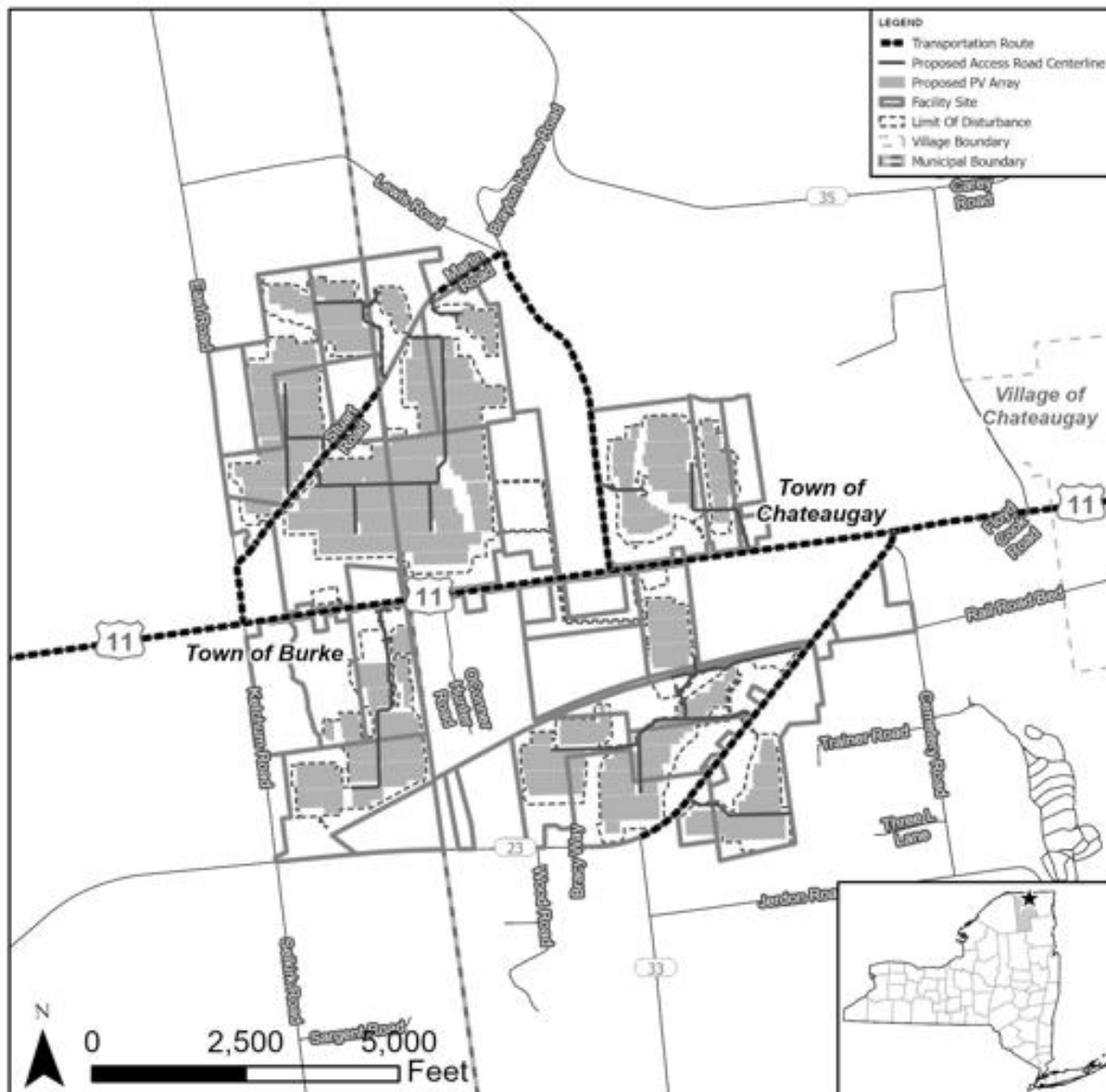
Brookside Solar LLC's
PRE-CONSTRUCTION NOTICE
February 2026



This notice announces that, on or about **February 23, 2026**, Brookside Solar LLC (Brookside Solar or Permit Holder) will commence construction of the Brookside solar project a 100-megawatt (MW) Solar Electric Generating Facility located in the Towns of Burke and Chateaugay, Franklin County, NY (the Facility).

Pursuant to Article VIII of the New York State Public Service Law (the Article VIII process), this notice is being provided in accordance with *Section 5, Subsection 5.2(a)* of the Facility's Siting Permit for a Major Renewable Energy Facility, which was issued by the Office of Renewable Energy Siting and Electric Transmission (ORES) on December 8, 2023. A copy of the Siting Permit (and all public documents filed in this proceeding) may be accessed electronically at ORES's website, <https://dps.ny.gov/ores-permit-applications> Matter No. 21-000917 or directly at <https://documents.dps.ny.gov/public/MatterManagement/CaseMaster.aspx?MatterCaseNo=21-00917&CaseSearch=Search>.

MAP OF THE PROJECT AND CONSTRUCTION ROUTES



BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PROJECT

Brookside Solar will construct the Facility in the Towns of Burke and Chateaugay, Franklin County. When completed, the Facility will consist of the following major components: PV arrays and their rack/support systems; direct current (DC) collection lines and communications cables connecting the arrays to inverters; the inverters with their support platforms, control electronics, and step-up transformers; buried AC medium voltage collection lines; security fencing and gates around each PV array; gravel access roads; temporary laydown areas; medium voltage to transmission voltage collection substation with associated equipment, and fenced areas; point of interconnection (POI) switchyard with associated equipment and fenced areas; and two (2) overhead 115- kilovolt (kV) transmission lines to connect the interconnection switchyard to the existing New York State Electric and Gas (NYSEG) Line 911 Willis Road to Chateaugay transmission line POI.

CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE

Phase I of construction consisting of tree felling is scheduled to begin on or about February 23, 2026. Thereafter, construction will proceed according to the below phases and approximate schedule:

- Site Preparation and Civil Construction in or around June 2026

All construction activities shall be limited to 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 8 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday and on national holidays.

FACILITY CONTACTS FOR CONSTRUCTION

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THE PROCEDURE AND CONTACT INFORMATION FOR REGISTERING A COMPLAINT

Comments or complaints by neighboring residents or others may be made through the following channels. For safety reasons, members of the public will not be allowed onsite to register complaints with Brookside Solar-affiliated workers during construction.

- Call the Toll-Free Number: 1-866-757-7697
- Write to Brookside Solar LLC at its email address: brooksidesolar@aes.com
- Mail comments or complaints to: Brookside Solar LLC, 292 Madison Avenue 15th Floor New York, NY 10017

ORES AND NYSDPS CONTACT INFORMATION

ORES – Public Information Officer – general@ores.ny.gov, 518-473-4536

DPS – Secretary – Secretary@dps.ny.gov

PUBLIC LOCATIONS WHERE FACILITY INFORMATION IS POSTED

Facility information may be viewed at the following public repositories:

Wead Library
64 Elm Street
Malone, NY 12953

Chateaugay Memorial Library
4 John Street
Chateaugay, NY 12920