

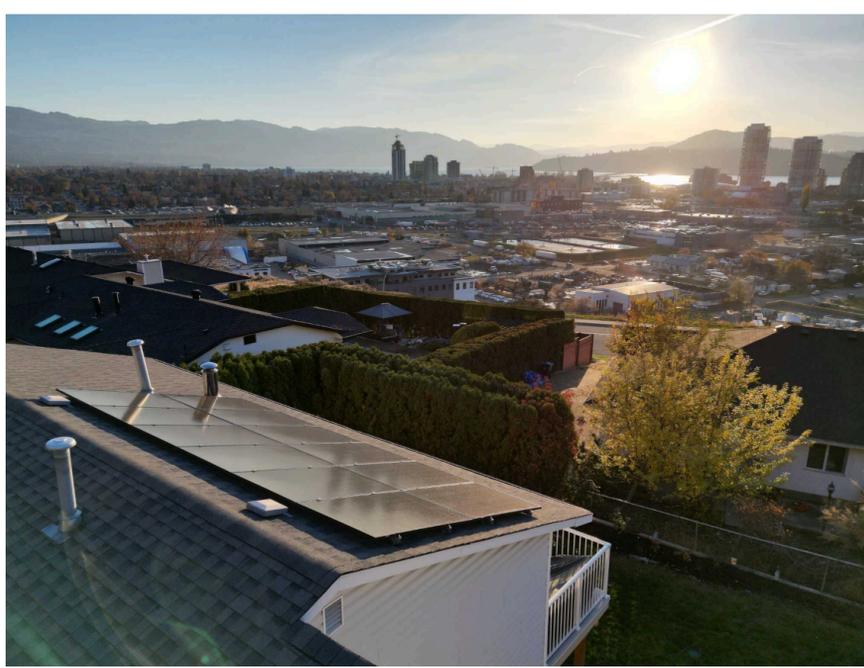
Watt's New

Solar updates, industry news, and more



Welcome back to Watt's New!

With spring officially here and solar season ramping up, March is all about being prepared. In this edition, we're helping Calgary homeowners get ready for the upcoming **CEIP application opening**, and taking a look at what life actually looks like after going solar — from your first bill to long-term savings.



Calgary Residents: Are You CEIP Ready? Applications Open March 31 at 9:00 AM

The **Clean Energy Improvement Program (CEIP)** is a popular way for Calgary homeowners to finance solar. And the next intake opens **March 31 at 9:00 AM sharp**.

CEIP allows homeowners to finance energy upgrades (like solar) and repay them over time through their property tax bill, making it possible to move forward without large upfront costs.

Spots are limited and tend to fill quickly, so being prepared ahead of time is key.

What You Need to Be Ready

To give yourself the best chance of securing a spot, here's what we recommend having ready:

- ✓ Property details (tax information, ownership details)
- ✓ Mortgage and insurance information (if applicable)
- ✓ Up-to-date property taxes (no outstanding balance)
- ✓ Solos Energy solar proposal and system design
- ✓ A clear understanding of your project scope

Important to Know

- Applications open March 31 at 9:00 AM
- Financing is tied to the property, not the homeowner
- Projects must be approved before installation begins (timelines can vary 2-3 months)

Our Advice

If CEIP is on your radar, don't wait until application day. Getting your system designed and your documents ready now puts you in the best position to apply successfully.

☎ **Calgary: (587) 299-3536**

As a CEIP-qualified contractor, We're happy to help you get CEIP-ready.

What Happens After You Go Solar?

One of the most common questions we hear is:

"What actually happens once my system is installed?"

Here's what you can expect.



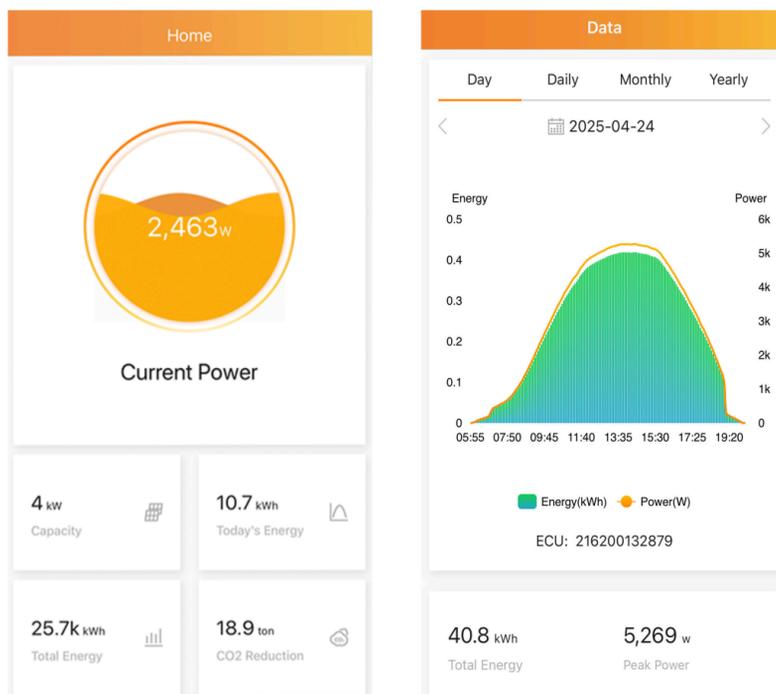
You Can Monitor Your System Anytime

At the time of installation, our technicians will get you set up with your solar monitoring app, so you can easily track your system's performance.

From your app you'll be able to:

- See how much energy your system is producing in real time
 - Track daily, monthly, and long-term performance
- Better understand your energy usage and savings.

It's a simple way to stay connected to your system and see your solar investment working day after day. And for added peace of mind, you're not watching it alone. Our team at Solos Energy also monitors system performance, so we can help ensure everything continues running smoothly.



Your First Bill Looks Different

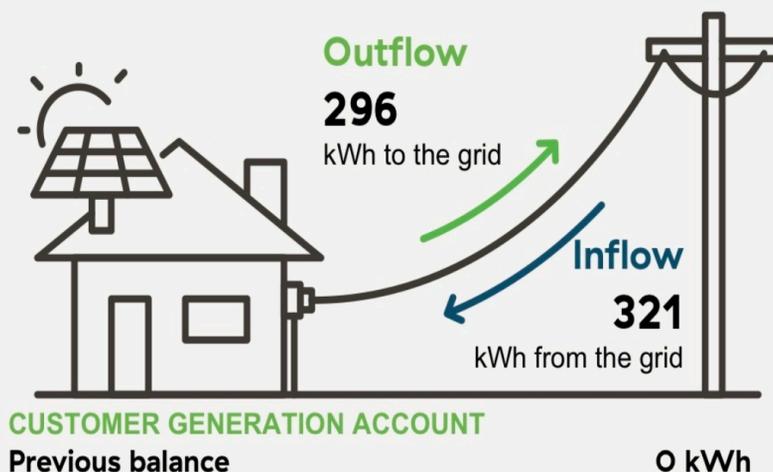
Once your system is up and running, your electricity bill begins to change. You'll still be connected to the grid, but now your home is both consuming and producing energy. When your system is generating power, your home uses that energy first, reducing how much electricity you need to purchase from your utility provider.

During sunny periods, especially in spring and summer, your system may produce more energy than you're using in real time. When that happens, the excess energy flows back to the grid, where it can be credited or compensated depending on your local utility program. In fact, many systems begin reaching excess generation as early as March or April, as solar production ramps up with longer days and stronger sun.

The result? Lower bills, smarter energy use, and the ability to turn excess production into real value.

Your self-generation this period

As a self-generation customer, your smart meter runs in two directions: inflow (electricity from the grid) and outflow (electricity to the grid.) Here is how your net electricity usage is determined:



It's Set-It-and-Forget-It Simple

Once your system is installed, solar is incredibly low-maintenance. There are no moving parts, no seasonal servicing required, and no regular upkeep needed. Your panels are built to withstand the elements year-round, and rain and snow naturally help keep them clean — so there's no need for routine washing. Your system quietly produces clean energy whenever there is daylight, helping reduce your energy costs without any extra effort on your part. Combined with system monitoring — and our team keeping an eye on performance — solar becomes a true set-it-and-forget-it solution, delivering reliable energy and long-term savings with minimal involvement.

Solos Energy works hard, so you don't have to.



Ready to Take the Next Step?

Whether you're preparing for CEIP or just exploring solar, our team is here to help every step of the way.

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- THEY SIGN UP FOR A SOLAR SYSTEM WITH US AND GET INSTALLED
- ONCE THEIR SYSTEM IS SUCCESSFULLY INSTALLED, YOU EARN A \$300 REFERRAL FEE!

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That's a wrap!

Stay tuned for the next edition of Watt's New.

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We're here to help you make the switch to solar!



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