

Going Green: Have You Got the Power?

What is NC GreenPower?

NC GreenPower is a program established in 2003 to increase participation in the development of renewable energy, or electricity generated from renewable resources such as the sun, wind and organic matter. Approved by the N.C. Utilities Commission, NC GreenPower was the nation's first statewide, multi-utility green energy program.

How does NC GreenPower work?

NC GreenPower uses funds from individuals and corporate sponsors to subsidize the costs of generating cleaner, renewable energy for the state's power supply. All contributions are tax-deductible and go directly toward the purchase of renewable energy from independent generators located in North Carolina. For as little as \$4 per month, you can add green energy to North Carolina's power supply or mitigate harmful carbon dioxide emissions.

Why support renewable energy?

North Carolina possesses no indigenous fossil fuel resources, and our state's energy consumption is among the highest in the nation. However, sources for renewable energy exist everywhere and are easily accessible. Supporting renewable energy will help support North Carolina jobs and keep energy dollars in the state.

How do I participate?

- Call your local utility or sign up on their Web site ([participating utilities](#)).
- Call 866-533-NCGP or visit www.ncgreenpower.org for more information.