On Saturday, September 10<sup>th</sup>, the Town of Holland will hold an open house to showcase their newly installed 16.96 kW photovoltaic (PV) system. This system was designed to provide enough electricity to power the Town Hall and will save tax dollars for years to come.

This open house will run from 10:00 a.m. to noon and is an opportunity for the public to see how solar power works. The Town Hall is located at W7937 County Road MH. The PV system will be using "net metering" which means the Town will use the power and receive a bill credit for any unused excess power that is sent to the grid.

This solar installation promotes localized energy, which can be adopted by the rest of the community. As such, the Town of Holland is partnering with H&H Solar Energy Services of Madison to not only install the solar panels, but also provide a "bulk buying" program to anyone within the Holmen Fire District. By grouping project assessments and installations, H&H Solar is able to offer a significant discount to each homeowner who participates.

H&H Solar provides design/build services for solar energy project installations and assists with incentive applications and utility interconnection paperwork. Their goal is to offer a single source for design, installation and service for solar electric projects, ultimately resulting in reliable and resilient renewable electricity.

The Town of Holland will be offering two informational meetings: Monday, September 12<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. and again at 6:00 p.m. At each meeting, H&H Solar will give a 20-minute presentation on their services followed by a "question and answer" period. **These meetings are open to both residential and commercial interests.** 

For more information, check the Town of Holland web page at <a href="http://www.townofhollandwi.org">www.townofhollandwi.org</a> or the H&H Solar Energy Services web page at <a href="http://hhgroupholdings.com/solar/">http://hhgroupholdings.com/solar/</a>.