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Support for SMUD's Community Solar Program

As a practicing architect in the SMUD service area, we have been working with the SMUD solar share program from its inception. We get uniformly positive feedback from the customers we refer to this program, and we have found it run very professionally and efficiently by SMUD Solar Share staff, with special kudos to Mr. Ray Nalangan. It is our experience that this program helps make solar benefits more equitable and inclusive as they are available to every customer, including those whose budgets and resources are tightly constrained. The program itself also makes solar generation more efficient due to the scale of the installations, lowering unit cost while also increasing maintenance efficiency. Respectfully submitted by Michael F. Malinowski FAIA, President, Applied Architecture Inc.