



2009 ASES National Solar Tour

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Dear Solar Powered Home Owner,

Thank you for considering being a part of this year's National Solar Tour! Every year, the American Solar Energy Society (ASES) organizes the world's largest grassroots solar event. As a local chapter of ASES, Solar Washington is proud to present the 2009 National Solar Tour for Washington State!

We are expecting the largest turnout *ever* for this year's Solar Tour. Our goal is to increase public awareness by showing off the hundreds of solar electric and solar hot water systems producing clean, renewable energy every day here in Washington. It is up to you, the solar system owner and advocate, to help make this goal a reality by showing people that solar really does work in our state.

This year's Tour will take place on **Saturday October 3rd** from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm. To apply, simply fill out the enclosed form or point your browser to: <http://www.solarwashington.org/tour/2009PDS.pdf>. Applications must be received before August 17th, 2009. Each local Tour will have its own webpage on the Solar Washington website, including project descriptions, tour maps, and system photos.

As one of the newest members of Solar Washington and a proud proponent of solar energy, I encourage you to sign up for this year's Solar Tour. Your participation in raising public awareness about the effectiveness of solar energy in Washington State is paramount in leading us to a cleaner, greener society. If you cannot be a Tour Participant, I hope that you will spread the word about this year's event by talking to your friends and neighbors about it. Continue to visit www.solarwashington.org for updates and info.

Thank you again for considering being a Tour participant and, more importantly, for being the change that our state and our planet need. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or concerns. I can easily be reached by e-mail at davekozin@solarwashington.org.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "DKozin", is written over a light green background.

David Kozin
State Solar Tour Coordinator
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