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## ENERGY PROGRAM MANAGER – SOLAR

Join the Maryland Energy Administration (MEA) as we transform energy for the State of Maryland. Through the Strategic Energy Investment Fund and the Maryland Renewable Energy Portfolio Standard (RPS), you will have an opportunity to work on the cutting edge of shaping and implementing Maryland's clean energy policies. We are looking for the best and the brightest people to join the team that has made Maryland one of the nation's leaders in clean reliable energy.

**Responsibilities:** The Solar Program Manager oversees programs designed to increase solar energy generation, both solar electric (PV) and solar thermal, as well as other renewable energy technologies. The Solar Program Manager will help to design and administer solar policy, and manage and track performance of renewable energy grant programs, including the following tasks:

- Oversee the execution of the Clean Energy Program that provides incentives for eligible residential and commercial renewable energy projects.
- Respond to solar-related inquiries from Maryland residents and businesses.
- Identify and understand clean energy market trends (past and future), the SREC and thermal REC markets, and the expectations and challenges associated with increasing the amount of solar-produced energy in Maryland.
- Interface with clean energy senior executives to expand economic development opportunities, design funding programs, and support new solar energy projects.
- Interface with solar industry associations and trade groups to understand the needs of Maryland's vibrant solar industry.
- Work with senior representatives of other Maryland State agencies on activities that will result in execution of solar projects, economic development, and quantifiable green job creation.
- Interact with municipal and county local governments on issues of importance to solar development in Maryland, including permitting and siting.
- Support energy policy development for the State, including policies for responsible project siting.
- Track and report on market penetration of clean energy in Maryland and the PJM region, as well as the effectiveness of renewable energy programs.
- Manage discrete projects as assigned, in concert with other program managers, for the more general clean energy industry sector (e.g. solar, geothermal, biomass, transportation).

### Qualifications:

- Successful candidates will have at least a bachelor's degree, and preferably a master's degree, in a relevant field such as engineering or environmental policy.
- At a minimum, candidates should have at least two years of experience working on solar energy initiatives, with an understanding of both the technical and financial components of these projects, including SRECs and net metering.
- Strong writing, presentation, and analytical skills required, as well as the ability to lead and participate in teams.
- Experience in and command of Microsoft Office (data base experience such as Salesforce a plus)

**To Apply:** Send cover letter, resume, writing sample and salary requirements by email with "Energy Program Manager - Solar" in the subject line to [Jobs.MEA@maryland.gov](mailto:Jobs.MEA@maryland.gov). Candidates receive notification of receipt; however, only the top candidates will be invited to interview for the position.

**Salary:** Commensurate with experience