



**Illinois
Department of Commerce
& Economic Opportunity**

JB Pritzker, Governor

January 21, 2026

The Honorable Don Harmon
President of the Senate
327 Capitol Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Re: Utility Scale Solar Power Facility - High Impact Business Designation for Allium Renewable Energy, LLC

Dear President Harmon:

This letter serves to inform you that the Department has designated Allium Renewable Energy, LLC as an Illinois High Impact Business/Utility Scale Solar Power Business for its solar power facility (Louis Creek Solar) located in Iroquois County, Illinois. The designation shall be effective upon the date of certification for a period not to exceed 20 years.

I have enclosed a copy of the Certification for Designation. This designation entitles Allium Renewable Energy, LLC to the exemptions described in Section 51 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act.

Should you have any questions regarding this report, please do not hesitate to contact Ben Denney of my staff at ben.denney@illinois.gov.

Sincerely,

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Director

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The Honorable John F. Curran
Minority Leader
309G Capitol Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

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Dear Leader Curran:

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The Honorable Tony M. McCombie
House Minority Leader
316 Capitol Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

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The Honorable Emanuel "Chris" Welch
Speaker of the House
300 Capitol Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

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Dear Speaker Welch:

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The Honorable C.D. Davidsmeyer
Co-Chairman
Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability
202-N Stratton Office Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Re: Utility Scale Solar Power Facility - High Impact Business Designation for Allium Renewable Energy, LLC

Dear Representative Davidsmeyer:

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The Honorable David Koehler
Co-Chairman
Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability
323B Capitol Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

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CERTIFICATION FOR DESIGNATION

Pursuant to Section 5.5 of the Illinois Enterprise Zone Act, 20 ILCS 655/ et seq., as amended, the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity hereby designates the following company as a High Impact Business Utility Scale Solar Power Facility and is therefore eligible for the exemptions described in Section 51 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act.

BUSINESS NAME

Allium Renewable Energy, LLC

FEIN#

46-0521268

PROJECT NAME

Louis Creek Solar

BUSINESS ADDRESS

223 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 9450
Chicago, IL 60606

PROJECT LOCATION

Iroquois County
(see attached map)

Note:

This certification is effective upon execution by the Director of the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity for a period not to exceed 20 years. This business is not designated as being located within a Foreign Trade Zone or Sub-Zone.

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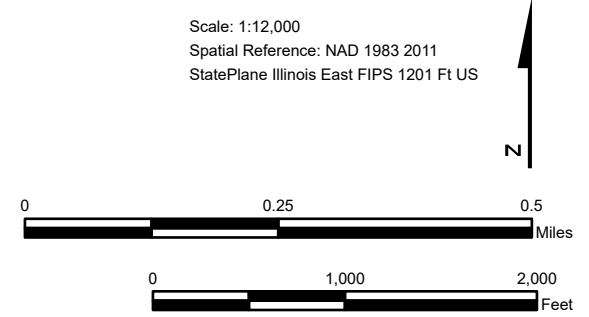
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- ★ Point of Interconnection
 - Gen-Tie
 - - - Existing Transmission Line
 - Battery Energy Storage System
 - Collection Substation
 - Laydown Area
 - Project Parcel Boundary
 - × - × Fence
 - PV Module
 - Inverter
 - Access Road

Scale: 1:12,000
 Spatial Reference: NAD 1983 2011
 StatePlane Illinois East FIPS 1201 Ft US



Infrastructure Map

Project:	Louis Creek
Location:	Iroquois County, IL
Layout File:	Infrastructure Map 11x17I
Date:	10/30/2025