

Downingtown Borough Implements Clean Energy Resolution

The Borough of Downingtown has entered into a contract with Constellation, a subsidiary of Exelon Corporation, to purchase Renewable Energy Certificates (RECs) to match 100% of its electricity use. The Borough's Energy Consultants, Tobelmann energy Brokers, Inc., facilitated the contract that begins in February of 2019 and run through February of 2022.

The RECs supplied by Constellation are Green-e Energy Certified and sourced from wind energy facilities located in the lower 48 states. Throughout the term of the contract, 100% of the electricity (almost 1,000 MWh/year) The Borough uses at the contracted facilities (including Borough owned buildings & streetlights) will be matched with RECs. Each REC represents the positive environmental attributes of one megawatt hour (MWh) of electricity generated by a renewable power plant, and is retired on behalf of customers wishing to promote their environmental commitment.

Through the purchase of RECs, The Borough of Downingtown is supporting the operation and development of facilities that generate clean, renewable energy.