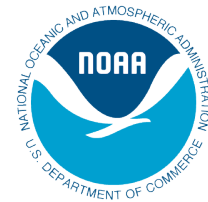


Georgia Coastal Management Program

Brownbag Presentation



Please join us for the following presentation at the Susan Shipman Environmental Learning Center located in the Northeast corner of the parking lot at DNR's Coastal Regional Headquarters in Brunswick Georgia. Please feel free to bring your lunch. For questions contact Kelly Hill at (912) 264-7218.

Presentations Begin at Noon

July 30, 2019

Learn How the USDA REAP Program Can Help
Suzanne Walker, Coastal Solar Power



This presentation will review the benefits of the Rural Energy for America (REAP) program offered by the USDA. Property Business Owners in Brunswick and parts of Glynn County are eligible to apply. There are grants and loan guarantees available to rural small businesses. These can be used to help fund renewable energy systems and energy efficiency upgrades. We will discuss how the REAP can help you, what funding is available, the requirements necessary to apply, any limitations and how to get started.

The goal of the USDA is to help support energy efficiencies and increase the use of renewable energy in rural businesses and agricultural communities. Coastal Solar has been successful in helping commercial businesses and agricultural producers recoup and save almost \$400,000.00 in project costs associated with solar power installations.

Speaker BIO

Suzanne Walker studied Electrical and Electronics Engineering and obtained her Photovoltaic Systems Installer credentials from Savannah Tech in 2011. Since that time she has obtained extensive experience in solar power installation and design practices through her work at Coastal Solar, as the project coordinator, administrator and now as the educational and business development director. Suzanne is very passionate about building sustainability programs for our communities, as well as our schools. Her goal is to help bring an environmental awareness to the community and implement sustainable practices across the globe.