



Come Celebrate Our Latest Installation!

Monday, October 31, 2005 • Noon-2pm

Join us in dedicating Our Wind Cooperative's latest installation, and recognizing the support of Puget Sound Energy, Bonneville Environmental Foundation & USDA Rural Development

Please RSVP by Oct 28: peter@climatesolutions.org, 360-352-1763 x104

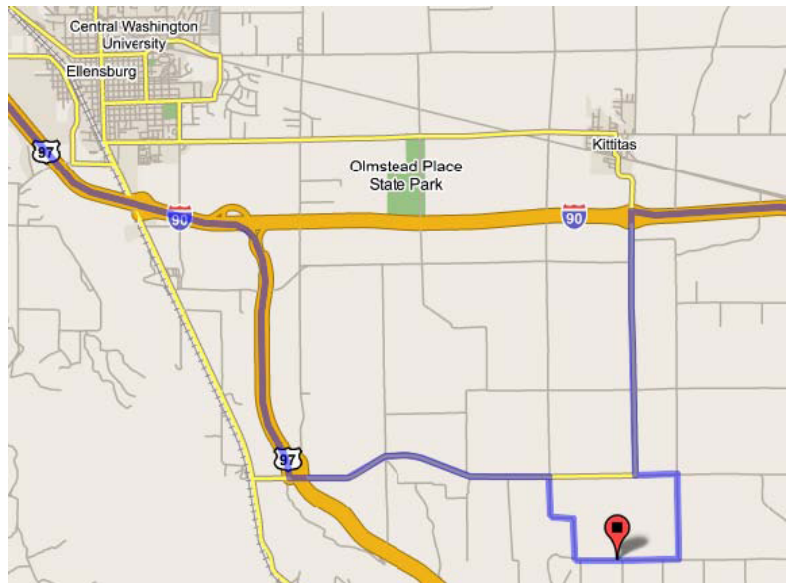
Dr. Marilyn Carr, a family medicine practitioner and Our Wind Co-op member, will showcase a unique, 9-kilowatt wind-solar hybrid system at her Ellensburg-area home on October 31. The system, which will soon be contributing renewable energy to the electrical grid, is being installed with support from Puget Sound Energy's Green Power Program, Bonneville Environmental Foundation, and USDA Rural Development.



A special ceremony begins at Noon with speakers and invitees including elected officials, utility staff, Our Wind Co-op project staff and partners, local media, and prospective turbine owners. Randy Brooks of Brooks Solar, a Bergey Windpower dealer who designed and installed the unique hybrid system, will lead a brief tour.

The system's output will help serve the Carr household's electric load, with excess energy delivered to PSE's electric grid and credited to the Carr's account. Dr. Carr estimates she will save about \$1,200 a year on electricity by using this system. PSE's Green Power Program has agreed to purchase the renewable energy credits ("Green Tags") generated by this and other Our Wind Co-op turbines in Washington and Oregon. Residential and business customers participating in the Green Power Program are helping to foster development of renewable projects like the Carr's wind turbine.

Our Wind Co-op was established in 2003 to foster growth in small-scale, distributed wind power in the Northwest. The Carr's turbine marks the Co-op's fourth project in Washington, and the first within PSE's service territory. For more, visit: www.ourwind.org



Directions

From the West

From eastbound I-90, take exit 110 (I-82/US 97 to Yakima)
Go 3.3 mi, take exit 3 (WA-821 S), turn left on to Thrall Rd
Go 3.2 mi, turn right at Denmark Rd
Go 1.2 mi, turn left at 4th Parallel Rd
Go 0.5 mi to 811 4th Parallel Rd

From the East

From westbound I-90, take exit 115 (Kittitas)
Turn left on to S Main St, becomes Cleman Rd
Go 3.0 mi, turn left at Thrall Rd
Go 0.5 mi, turn right at Badger Pocket Rd
Go 1.0 mi, turn right at 4th Parallel Rd
Go 0.8 mi to 811 4th Parallel Rd

