CHARLESTON COUNTY

Solar Programs

CHARLESTON COUNTY AT A GLANCE

- Population: 381,015 (Source/Date: US Census Bureau, 2010-2014, 5 Year American Community Survey, December 2015

- Size: 916 square miles

- Large Companies: Joint Base Charleston, Medical University of South Carolina, Boeing

BARRIERS

- Barriers:
  - Hard to understand
  - Access to LMI communities
  - Rural community
  - Growing industry
  - Predatory advertising

SOLUTIONS

- Solutions:
  - Educational material
  - Website update
  - Training for staff
  - Policy changes for building and zoning
  - Being involved with DOE Programs

SOLSMART: GETTING TO GOLD

- The Application:
  - Building Inspection Services
  - Planning
  - IT

- NACO competition
  - Solsmart County Challenge

- Gold Status!

GROWING PROJECTS

- Solar in your Community Challenge
  - Solar powered bus stops

- Google
  - Using Sun Roof
    - Libraries
    - Bus stops

- NREL
  - Policy and Data

CONTACT INFO

Kevin Limehouse
Administrator's Project Officer
Office of the County Administrator
4045 Bridge View Drive
North Charleston, SC 29405
Office: 843-958-4012
Fax: 843-958-4004
klimehouse@charlestoncounty.org

Carter McMillan
Community Relations Specialist
Office of the County Administrator
4045 Bridge View Drive
North Charleston, SC 29405
Office: 843-958-4020
Fax: 843-958-4004
cmcmillan@charlestoncounty.org