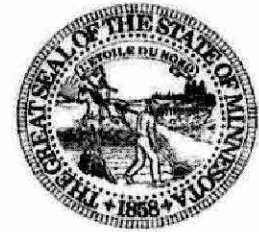


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**Office of the Minnesota Secretary of State**  
**Minnesota Public Benefit Corporation / Annual Benefit Report**  
*Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 304A*



**Read the instructions before completing this form**  
**Must be filed by March 31**  
**Filing Fee: \$55 for expedited service in-person, \$35 if submitted by mail**

**The Annual Benefit Report covers the 12 month period ending on December 31 of the previous year.**  
**Notice: Failure to file this form by March 31 of this year will result in the revocation of the corporation's public benefit status without further notice from the Secretary of State, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, Section 304A.301**

1. Corporate Name: (Required) Real Solar, SBC

2. The public benefit corporation's board of directors has reviewed and approved this report.

3. In the field below, enter the information required by section 304A.301 subd. 2 or 3 for the period covered by this report, (see instructions for further information); Note: Use additional sheets if needed. (Required)

See attached.

4. I, the undersigned, certify that I am the chief executive officer of this public benefit corporation. I further certify that I have signed this document no more than 30 days before the document is delivered to the secretary of state for filing, and that this document is current when signed. I further certify that I have completed all required fields, and that the information in this document is true and correct and in compliance with the applicable chapter of Minnesota Statutes. I understand that by signing this document I am subject to the penalties of perjury as set forth in Section 609.48 as if I had signed this document under oath.

[Signature]  
Signature of Public Benefit Corporation's Chief Executive Officer

01/26/21  
Date (Must be dated within 30 days before the report is delivered to the Secretary of State for Filing)

**Email Address for Official Notices**

Enter an email address to which the Secretary of State can forward official notices required by law and other notices:  
Admin@real-solar.com

Check here to have your email address excluded from requests for bulk data, to the extent allowed by Minnesota law.

**List a name and daytime phone number of a person who can be contacted about this form:**

Nicole Saccoman 218-947-3779  
Contact Name Phone Number

**Entities that own, lease, or have any financial interest in agricultural land or land capable of being farmed must register with the MN Dept. of Agriculture's Corporate Farm Program.**

Does this entity own, lease, or have any financial interest in agricultural land or land capable of being farmed?  
Yes  No



Tuesday, January 12, 2021

Minnesota Secretary of State – Business Services  
Retirement Systems of Minnesota Building  
60 Empire Drive, Suite 100  
St Paul, MN 55103

Re: MN SOS Public Benefit Corporation Annual Report

Real Solar, SBC was incorporated on 6/21/2019 as a Specific Benefit Corporation under Minnesota's Public Benefit Corporation Act. Pursuant to Section 304A.101 of the Act, Real Solar's specific public benefit purpose as stated in its Articles of Incorporation is to make solar energy accessible to people and communities of all income levels.

With regard to the period covered, January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020, Real Solar pursued the specific public benefit purpose stated in its Articles of Incorporation by fully installing and commissioning a total of 298 DC kW's of solar energy for individuals and communities of various income levels.

Specifically, REAL Solar is proud of the completion of multiple Habitat for Humanity homes in 2020 that directly benefitted qualifying low-income families. Additionally, Real Solar completed a second solar installation for the Tri County Community Action (TCC), an anti-poverty cornerstone agency providing critical safety net resources and child development education services to qualifying families in Crow Wing county.

In the fall of 2020, Real Solar began development and preliminary construction on a solar project that will benefit five communities by providing a total of 200 DC kW's of solar energy that will be accessible to the low-income families of those communities. This project is scheduled to be completed in 2021.

Real Solar has also made efforts to educate various individuals and communities on the importance of solar and where they are able to access resources to assist in funding their own solar developments.

The Board of Directors have reviewed and approved the enclosed Annual Benefit Report.

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I, Benjamin Butcher, certify that Real Solar, SBC has met all terms and conditions of the Minnesota Specific Benefit Corporation. I further certify that I have signed this document no more than 30 days before the document is delivered to the secretary of state for filing, and that this document is current when signed.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Butcher", is written over a horizontal line.

Benjamin Butcher  
Co-Director  
Real Solar SBC

01/26/2021  
Date



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