Fryeburg Airport Solar

Project Factsheet

4.99 MW – 20 Acres

Location:

- o Eastern Slope Regional Airport, Between Porter Road and Route 113.
- O The site is **adjacent** to CMP's **existing distribution system.**
- O Vegetative **buffer** prevents any visual impact to residential areas.
- Benefits to taxpayers and ratepayers:
 - O Generates power for approximately 725 homes.
 - O Significant increase in property tax revenue to Fryeburg.
 - O Will save Maine ratepayers money as confirmed by the Public Utility Commission.
 - The project uses **no taxpayer or ratepayer dollars**; it is fully funded by Dirigo Solar.
- Good for Fryeburg's Economy–More Jobs:
 - o 70 construction jobs.
 - o **5 long-term jobs** associated with the maintenance of the facility.
 - Local businesses to benefit.
 - Opportunity to **co-locate agricultural activities** at the solar farm, inclusing **sheep grazing** and/or **beekeeping**.
- Dirigo Solar's Track Record Working with Maine Towns:
 - O Projects in Oxford, Fairfield, Milo, and Augusta currently under construction.
 - o Projects in Winslow, Auburn, Poland scheduled for construction in 2021.
 - Maine Department of Environmental Protection <u>verified</u> that Dirigo Solar has the <u>technological</u> and <u>financial capacity</u> to develop solar projects in Maine.
 - O Dirigo's projects **meet or exceed** all state environmental requirements.