



SolSmart Update

OKI Awarded Silver Designation

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What is SolSmart?

- Collaboration of ICMA and US Dept. of Energy
- Promotes Government Best Practices that support solar development

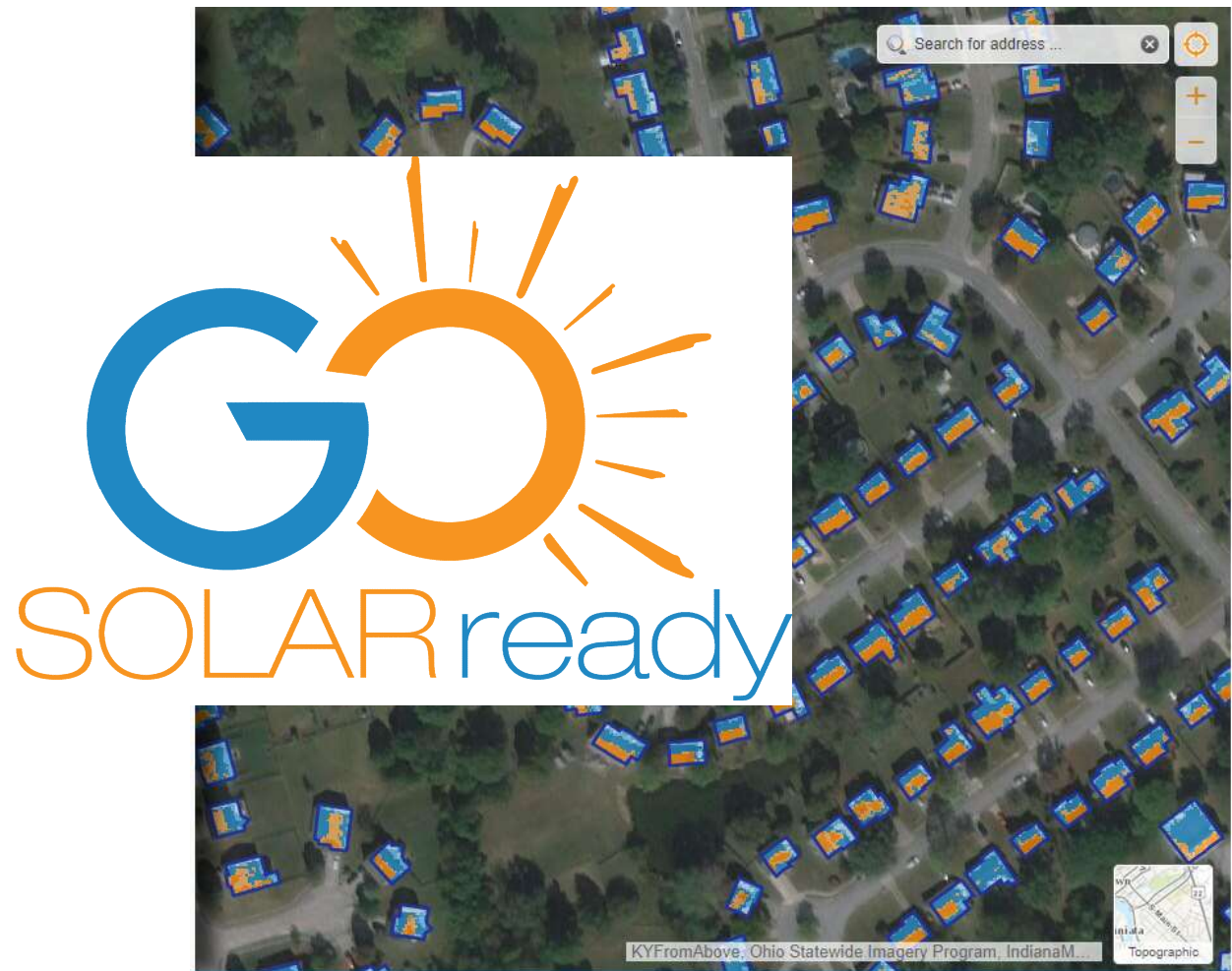


What is SolSmart?



- SolSmart Rating
 - Recognition of Achievements
 - Indicator that a community is “Solar Ready”
 - Access to no-cost technical assistance from national solar experts

Basis for OKI's Recognition



How SolSmart Benefits the Region

- Technical assistance and tools to refine our guidance
- Workshops to help member jurisdictions implement best practices
- Indicator that our region is “Solar Ready”



Next Steps



- March 23rd Workshop
 - More details on SolSmart benefits
 - Further steps in supporting solar development
 - Individual community recognition