



The Solar Center Named SunPower's "Rising Star of the Year" for 2009

The Solar Center is Acknowledged for its Tremendous Growth in its First Year as a SunPower Dealer

Rockaway, NJ ([PRWEB](#)) December 16, 2009 -- The Solar Center (TSC), one of the East Coast's leading providers of photovoltaic (PV) solar energy systems, today announced that it was named the 'Rising Star of the Year' for its remarkable growth in its first year as a SunPower dealer. TSC received this award during the recent Solar Power International conference in Anaheim, Calif., and was selected from an impressive list of SunPower dealers in this category.

"I am honored to accept this prestigious award on behalf of the entire staff at TSC," said Ed Steins, CEO of The Solar Center. "This recognition not only acknowledges the rapid growth of our business in 2009, but the overwhelming demand for solar in New Jersey as an energy resource, and reinforces the value of being a SunPower dealer."

The "Rising Star of the Year" award is given to a SunPower dealer that placed its first order with the company in 2009. In addition, the award honors the dealer for its excellent customer service, a solid marketing program and performance to a business plan.

"Our ability deliver on a large number of residential projects as well as to scale to large commercial projects while maintaining installation quality and customer value was one of the reasons we became a SunPower Commercial Dealer," added Gerry Heimbuch, vice president, commercial operations. "We appreciate this recognition and look forward to continued growth in 2010."

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The Solar Center (TSC) is one of the East Coast's leading providers of solar energy systems. Specializing in turnkey energy solutions, the company engineers, procures and constructs solar energy systems to help its customers lower electric purchases from conventional generation, ensuring a long term supply of fixed priced electricity, and take advantage of significant Federal and State incentives to ensure a superior investment return. Since The Solar Center's founding in 2005, The Solar Center has installed over 600 commercial and residential systems amounting to over 4 MW of solar energy. TSC's energy solutions include solar electric and solar thermal energy systems. The Solar Center's primary business focus is in the New Jersey, New York, Connecticut Tri-State region.

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