## **Renewable Power**

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Renewable electricity is driving economic growth and creating jobs in communities across Washington. Wind, solar, hydro, waste-to-energy and biomass power are already providing affordable, reliable electricity that is saving Washington businesses and homeowers money.

There are more than 110 wind and solar companies and suppliers in the state.

Hydropower generates enough reliable renewable electricity to power over 6.9 million

78% OF
WASHINGTON'S
ELECTRICITY
COMES FROM
RENEWABLE
SOURCES

**78**%

The wind industry has driven over \$5.3 billion in new investments in the state.

- 2,808 MW OF WIND POWER
- 30 MW OF SOLAR POWER
- 20,902.5 MW OF HYDROPOWER
- 403.3 MW OF BIOMASS POWER
- 26 MW OF WASTE-TO-ENERGY



\$ 40%

SOLAR INSTALLATION

COSTS HAVE FALLEN

NEARLY 40% SINCE 2010

homes in the

state per year.

- "Solar energy has really taken off... due to state incentives, a growing interest by our customers in seeing more solar integration, and its affordability in the area."
- Suzanne Durard, Community Solar Program Manager, Seattle City Light

"Having a diverse power supply is essential for a utility like Snohomish Public Utility District.

Solar energy, small hydropower, wind, geothermal, and tidal energy – nothing is off the table."

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- Neil Neroutsos, Spokesperson, Snohomish Public Utility District

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