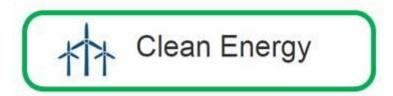




Case Study



Dezhou, Shandong Province, China - Solar City

In response to the government's policy to save energy and reduce consumption of resources, Dezhou's party committee und municipal government decided to implement a solar city strategy. The main goal is to develop a solar economy, and foster a solar culture. The Solar City Strategy Promotion Committee was established with the mayor as its head. Today, the China Solar Valley project in Dezhou is promoted strongly by the solar water heater industry concentrated in Dezhou, with more than 100 enterprises developing solar products. Future plans for Dezhou include the creation of a renewable energy university, and the government has given preferential tax benefits to the companies engaged in solar production.

"In the city of 5 million, almost every roof is covered in solar panels. There are research labs, 100 solar companies and even a solar museum. It's a forerunner for China's energy revolution."

Solar City Dezhou



Source: China Sun Valley in Dezhou.

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