

Columbia County Commissioners are requesting \$306,325.00 of Growing Greener II funding through the County Environmental Initiative (CEI) for a 1 MW solar project. Columbia County will partner with DGP Power, LLC to complete the project which will be located on a vacant landfill. The project is expected to create 5-10 permanent full-time jobs and 30-50 construction jobs. The solar array will generate more than 1,000,000 MWhs of energy annually and is expected to reduce CO₂ emissions by more than 790 tons each year. Columbia County will provide \$5,054,000.00 in matching funds for the project.