

# Energy Efficiency and Solar Energy Projects in BC Remote and First Nations Communities

A solar mentorship partnership between: T'Souke First Nation, Xeni Gwet'in First Nation, the BC Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources and the Fraser Basin Council.



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Andrew Pape-Salmon - Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources  
Nitya Harris - SolarBC
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George Colgate - Xenigwetin First Nation
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Andrew Moore - T'Souke Nation
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7. Wrap Up  
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# Solar mentorship initiative

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