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“SOLAR ENERGY: WATTS GOING ON IN WOODBURY”

**First in a series of energy-related presentations sponsored by
Flanders Nature Center & Land Trust and the Woodbury Energy Committee**

(Woodbury, CT)--- Solar energy--- how it works, how it is produced and how it can be cost-effective--- will be the focus of a discussion and slide presentation on November 17, 2009 from 7 - 8:30 PM at the Emergency Services Building, 25 Quassak Road in Woodbury. The session is co-sponsored by Flanders Nature Center & Land Trust, Woodbury and the Town of Woodbury’s Energy Committee.

Area resident Carolyn Humphreys of Sunlight Solar Energy (www.sunlightsolar.com) will explain how solar technology works, what elements make a site appropriate for solar energy production and how the current incentives make this form of energy cost-effective. She will provide details of the incentives, including the CT Solar Lease Program, the Connecticut Clean Energy Funds and the 30% Federal tax credit. Ms. Humphreys explains that, in her presentation, homeowners can learn how to protect their planet, while protecting themselves from rising utility rates and how they can take advantage of many years of free, clean, renewable energy.

The event is free and open to the public. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, call Flanders Nature Center and Land Trust at (203) 263-3711.



Accompanying photograph: Carolyn Humphreys, Sunlight Solar Energy