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SADDLEBACK VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT AWARDS PFMG SOLAR CONTRACT TO INSTALL SOLAR ON ALL 4 COMPREHENSIVE HIGH SCHOOLS, DISTRICT OFFICE AND SILVERADO HIGH SCHOOL

Huntington Beach, California — (August 24, 2015). PFMG Solar, LLC, the leading solar developer for Southern California K-12 schools, and the Saddleback Valley Unified School District today announced a partnership to develop a 4.4 megawatt (MW) solar system at all four (4) of the district’s comprehensive high schools, Silverado High School and the District Office. The solar system will offset 78% of energy used by the schools, reducing the District’s electricity bills, and consumption from Southern California Edison, **totaling approximately \$35-40 Million in savings over 25 years.**

“This partnership with PFMG Solar is another example of SVUSD’s commitment to providing clean solar energy while saving much needed General Fund dollars. We are proud to be taking a progressive, leadership position amongst other Orange County school districts,” says Noemi Avila-Zamudio, SVUSD - Chief of Facilities & Operations.

Additionally, the solar project will create cleaner air for students and the community by reducing tons of carbon pollution over the next 25 years—which is equivalent to taking approximately 1,049 cars off the road or planting 127,763 trees.

PFMG Solar will design, finance, build and operate the system through a 25-year power purchase agreement (PPA); which enables the school district to ‘go solar’ with no upfront costs. The project is currently in the design and engineering phase. Construction is anticipated to begin winter 2016.

PFMG Solar has set up a dedicated email address to answer community questions regarding the solar project. District representatives and PFMG Solar representatives will be available at Back to School Night on Thursday, October 1st at 5 p.m. to provide information and answer any questions. Please stop by the Solar Booths. Community members can also email their questions to: SVUSDSolar@pfmgsolar.com

“We are always pleased to work with a school district like Saddleback Valley Unified School District, that puts their kids first,” says Paul Mikos, President of PFMG Solar.

About PFMG Solar

Based in Huntington Beach, CA, PFMG Solar provides turnkey solar solutions to its clients by utilizing a combination of engineering expertise, private investor financing, and federal and state subsidies. In 2010, the company completed the largest operational school solar system in Southern California, a 9.6 MW project across 10 schools in the Antelope Valley Union High School District. The company has also completed over 45 MWs of projects for the County of Orange, as well as other multi-campus school districts in Los Angeles County including Redondo Beach Unified School District, Palmdale, William S. Hart, Wilsona, and Hughes-Elizabeth Lake. Additionally, the company is under contract to develop another 14 MWs of projects for Chaffey Joint Union High School District, San Gabriel Unified School District, Alta Loma School District, Sulphur Springs School District and Central School District. For more information contact Paul Mikos at (714) 465-4904 or visit www.PFMGSolar.com.

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