

GALLUP SOLAR

Gallup Solar was formed in March 2007 by a group of women traveling to see Jane Goodall. Their ideas had been coalescing for sometime around stewardship of the planet.



As the crisis of global warming became clear they suddenly and without planning felt a desire for change. Their vision was of solar energy. They decided to act on the basis of their shared vision.



A group was formed and began to meet weekly. Within a month over 75 people had joined.

Our Vision

Gallup Solar envisions a flourishing and healthy environment that enables all communities to live in harmony with Creation.

Our Mission

Gallup Solar is collaborating with communities, elected representatives, utilities and industry to bring solar power to all peoples in our area.



Gallup Solar began to educate itself with public forums. There have been 7 so far. Committees have formed. Grants have been written.

Visit the website:

gallupsolar.org

Resolutions **on behalf of** solar energy have been made and endorsed by the City of Gallup and the County of McKinley.



In Feb of 2008 a capital outlay grant was requested from the New Mexico State Legislature for planning a solar facility in McKinley County. A \$45,000 grant was awarded in June. An RFP was created and in December 2008 a respondent was selected to guide *Gallup Solar* toward actual physical implementation of its goal.

Gallup Solar is again requesting capital outlay funds from the 2009 New Mexico Legislature through the seven McKinley County legislators.

We believe our project will benefit everyone in McKinley County and show the way to a better future with clean renewable energy and sustainable living.