



SolarShare

Non-Executive Director and Board Member vacancies SolarShare (renewables, community energy, Canberra)

SolarShare is a renewable energy company based in Canberra, with sustainability and community engagement at the heart of its objectives. Six months ago the company brought into operation the largest community-owned solar farm in Australia, in the Majura Valley north of Canberra Airport. SolarShare has several hundred local investors, who are actively engaged. The Board has agreed on a strategy to develop additional projects, such as larger-scale rooftop solar and community batteries.

Due to the retirement of Directors with several years of experience, there are opportunities to join this well-established Board. Monthly meetings would normally be held in Canberra, as well as the AGM. Directors are also expected to serve on at least one committee out of: Finance, Audit & Risk Committee; Investment Committee; and Nominations Committee. Nominations are currently open for elected positions that will be decided at the AGM (forms must be received by 8 October). The Board may also appoint additional Directors for casual vacancies separate to the AGM process (for shorter periods than the three-year elected terms).

The Board has identified the following priorities for Director selection, based on the Skills Matrix. There is a strong desire to interview candidates with:

- Commercial law background (including contracts, construction, finance and corporate law),
- Experience in the construction of renewable energy facilities (preferably rooftop solar photovoltaics and battery energy storage), or
- Technical expertise in electricity distribution, grid connectivity and electricity markets.

There is also a preference for candidates who can bring knowledge of community fundraising, project development/implementation, communications/marketing, and Information Technology. This range of skills will likely be filled by three individuals, however people covering multiple areas will be very favourably viewed by the Board.

Prior to applying please take a look at the company's website, Annual Reports, info on the Board and the new CEO, Majura Valley Community Solar Farm, news updates and Social Media to ensure that you can contribute to this opportunity.

<https://www.solarshare.com.au/about/board-and-management>

Please prepare a one-page Cover Letter addressing this specific opportunity with SolarShare, and forward it with a short CV (two-page max) to the Nominations Committee at davidmaywald@hotmail.com by 30 October 2021.