

NRG AND RELIANT BRING SOLAR SOLUTIONS TO NORTH TEXAS

HOUSTON, May 1, 2014 – North Texas area homeowners can now harness the power of the sun as [NRG](#) and [Reliant](#) help make residential solar an affordable option for Texas homeowners. The solar installation will power the home directly with renewable energy, help to reduce carbon emissions, and deliver electricity back to the grid. The customer can pay for the solar installation with a fixed NRG Residential Solar Solutions lease price during the 20-plus years of the solar panels' life and also receive a \$10 per month credit to their NRG Residential Solar lease as long as they remain a Reliant customer. Since solar installations can generate more power than a home needs, Reliant also offers a Solar Sell Back plan which pays customers for electricity they produce above and beyond what their home uses.

To get started North Texas area homeowners can contact an NRG agent. The agent will ask a series of questions to determine eligibility and assess the roof to see if solar will be a good fit. After that, an on-site assessment will take place and the installation will be scheduled from there.

"NRG and Reliant are excited to provide a practical, cost-effective solution for consumers in North Texas," said Elizabeth Killinger, president of NRG Texas Retail and Reliant. "This is the first solution we are offering to Texans that gives them the freedom to generate their own clean energy and take advantage of incentives currently available that can provide cost savings of more than 30%.*"

NRG is one of the largest providers of commercial and residential solar power in the United States and has extensive experience in delivering effective solar solutions for homeowners, businesses and institutions. Highlights of NRG's solar experience include: the world's largest solar thermal plant, sustainable energy solutions at six professional football stadiums upon the completion of NRG Park, customizable solar canopies and solar panel-covered homes and parking covers.

For more information about NRG Residential Solar, visit nrgsolar.com. For more information about Reliant, visit reliant.com and the residential solar offer, visit solar.myreliant.com/sellback/.

** The 30 percent or more savings is based on the average per month lease cost for a 5.5 kW solar system through NRG Residential Solar Solutions with the OncoR solar incentive, compared to without the incentive. Additional eligibility requirements, terms and conditions apply. Subject to roof tilt, roof material, roof azimuth, surrounding objects causing shade, and limited OncoR Rebate funding.*

About Reliant

Reliant provides electricity, smart energy solutions, and energy services to business and residential customers across Texas. Reliant is part of NRG (NYSE: NRG), a Fortune 500 company that is at the forefront of changing how people think about, buy and use energy. Backed by a diverse portfolio of about 100 power generating facilities that can support over 46 million homes nationwide, NRG's retail businesses, including Reliant, collectively comprise Texas' largest retail energy provider and serves almost 3 million customers in 10 states and the District of Columbia. For more information about Reliant products and services, please visit www.reliant.com. Connect with Reliant on Facebook at www.facebook.com/reliantenergy and on Twitter @reliantenergy.

About NRG

NRG is leading a customer-driven change in the U.S. energy industry by delivering cleaner and smarter energy choices, while building on the strength of the nation's largest and most diverse competitive power portfolio. A Fortune 500 company, we create value through reliable and efficient conventional generation while driving innovation in solar and renewable power, electric vehicle ecosystems, carbon capture technology and customer-centric energy solutions. Our retail electricity providers serve almost 3 million residential and commercial customers throughout the country. More information is available at www.nrgenergy.com. Connect with NRG Energy on Facebook and follow us on Twitter [@nrgenergy](https://twitter.com/nrgenergy).

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