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To Whom It May Concern:

We are delighted to support SolarShare Canberra's proposal to build a community owned solar farm. Community solar is an important part of ensuring that everybody can be involved in the transition to a sustainable future and we are pleased to see a local Canberra group developing this exciting initiative.

Having dealt with the SolarShare team a number of times I am confident that they have the skills, experience, dedication and community support to bring this project to life.

The Community Power Agency was founded in 2011, after its co-founders myself and Jarra Hicks returned from self-funded study tours of over 40 community owned renewable energy projects across Europe, North America and Asia.

The Community Power Agency's mission is to help grow a vibrant community renewable energy sector in Australia, through building the capacity of communities on the ground and working collaboratively with other organisations to address systemic barriers facing the sector as a whole. To achieve these goals, the Community Power Agency engages in three main areas of work:

1. Supporting individual community projects
2. Engaging in sector level collaboration and development
3. Developing resources.

For further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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Founding Director