

## **MUNICIPALITY | CASE STUDY**

# City of Brush! Colorado

### **BACKGROUND**

In February of 2020, Pivot Energy completed a two-megawatt community solar garden coined "MTN Solar 3". The garden, located in Logan County, is currently operating in Xcel Energy territory and serves local organizations, municipal buildings, local non-profits, and nearby residents.

## **IMPACT**

The City of Brush recognized the multitude of benefits a community solar garden could offer its local community and economy, including clean energy, tax revenues, and electricity cost savings.

Before construction began, the City of Brush and Pivot secured a land lease agreement to develop the garden, which will provide consistent and long-term revenue for the City during the life of the project.

The City also committed to subscribe to 40% of the garden's total solar energy capacity. Local non-profit entities, including two school districts and the Eben Ezer Care Center, also committed to solar subscriptions that will save them considerable electricity costs for the next 20 years.

#### BY THE NUMBERS

ENVIRONMENTAL EQUIVALENCIES

836 MT CO<sub>2</sub> Avoided

94 THOUSAND

Gallons of gas

924 THOUSAND Pounds of Coal

