

Dear Friend of Golden Tour of Solar Homes;

Thank you for being a supporter of the Golden Tour of Solar Homes and helping to make this community based program such an effective tool in educating both homeowners and businesses about the important role solar and renewable initiatives can play in creating a better world for ourselves and our children. We accomplish this by enabling people to witness and "kick the tires" of those that have successfully integrated these types of leadership programs into their homes.

While dozens of Solar Home Tours populated the Colorado landscape a decade ago, the Golden Tour is the only one that survives which is a source of great pride for our community and the dozens of volunteers that toil to bring this project to fruition each year.

The Tour, however, is self-funding and very heavily dependent upon individuals such as you to make the Tour a reality. Your contribution will be used to help pay for community mailings, the costs of printing mailers and the Program, postage, signage and associated activities. It is sometimes surprising to see how, even with minimal overhead, these expenses can add up.

With this in mind we would be grateful if you would consider a donation of \$100 or more which will help us leverage and seek matching funds from other sources. In return, you or your company will be recognized as a *Friend of the Solar Tour* on page 1 of the Solar Home Tour Program and on other printed material.

The 2015 Golden Tour of Solar Homes is expected to attract up to 400 attendees. It will be part of the National Solar Tour taking place in all 50 States on October 3, 2015. The Solar Tour is a 501C-3 non-profit organization and as a result your donation is tax deductible. If you have any questions please let us know and thank you for helping to make this community based sustainability educational campaign a reality. Checks can be made payable to: Golden Earth Days, P.O. Box 1154, Golden, CO 80402. Questions? Please call 303-279-1446 or email sheilatownsend@q.com.