RESILIENT ENERGY
INITIATIVE

COMMUNITY NEED

The USVI's energy utility relies on large, outdated generators that regularly fail, taking down the entire grid. Furthermore, the cost burden of this expensive, deteriorating infrastructure falls largely on the territory's low and middle income families.

At residential rates of 48¢/kWh, electricity rates in the USVI are three times the US average and among the highest in the Caribbean.

SUSTAINABLE IMPACT

Through the Resilient Energy Initiative we can:

- Increase access to clean and renewable energy for LMI households
- Reduce energy costs for participating households
- Decrease St John's carbon footprint by promoting the use of sustainable energy sources
- Create job opportunities for local residents by using local installation and maintenance companies

YOUR SUPPORT

Your support makes the Resilient Energy Initiative possible, reducing the burden of WAPA, increasing the community's sustainability, and building resilience for future severe weather impacts.

$5,000 - support the labor cost of our local installation teams

$10,000 - purchase solar panels for a residential site

$35,000 - Cover material and labor installation costs for an entire site.