ELECTRICITY:

A Significant Annual Cost for Poultry Growers

Controlling the cost of electricity is critical to managing any grower's profit margin.

Rising energy costs have seriously impaired the grower's ability to maintain profitability over the last 10 years. To remain profitable, growers must cut expenses by getting control of this fast growing cost.

PROJECTED ENERGY COST FOR POULTRY FARM



Today, the electricity for a standard house that produces about 25,000 chickens has an annual cost of approximately \$7,000 a year. Growers know all too well, that this expense is only increasing.

TO GET STARTED WITH CLEAN ENGEN:

- 1. REGISTER WITH CLEAN ENGEN
 Go to www.edendelmarva.org or call 302-542-3400.
- 2. ENERGY AUDIT
- 3. CREDIT REVIEW
- 4. SIGN LEASE FOR YOUR NEW SYSTEM
- 5. BEGIN TO HARNESS SOLAR ENERGY

Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Signed leases will be achieved after each farmer has successfully completed all registration steps.



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There's a Very Simple Solution:

WOULDN'T IT BE GOOD...

to have your solar lease payments and residential utility costs be significantly less than your current utility bill?

WOULDN'T IT BE BETTER...,

to fix your electricity rate for the next ten years?

The EDEN Project has established

the Clean Engen Fund to provide a

simple solution to the economic and

environmental challenges faced by the

rising electricity costs of poultry growers.

AND WOULDN'T IT BE PERFECT

to generate your own electricity over the next thirty years?



FROM DAY ONE
WITH NO
OUT-OF-POCKET

THE EDEN PROJECT IS DEDICATED TO CREATING ECONOMIC SOLUTIONS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGES.

THE CLEAN ENGEN FUND

EDEN is a program of the Delmarva Community Wellnet Foundation, a 501c3 non-profit entity whose mission is to create economic development and jobs through business opportunities in renewable energy & renewable resources, in the Delmarva region.

be part of the solution:

Clean Engen provides a comprehensive and unique financing opportunity for growers to enter into a 10-year lease for a solar system with no out-of-pocket expense. After the lease period, growers simply pay the residual value on the system enabling them to produce electricity for the rest of the solar system's estimated 30 year life.

THE CLEAN ENGEN FUND HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED

AT THE FOUNDATION THROUGH COLLABORATIVE

EFFORTS WITH THE STATE OF MARYLAND DEPARTMENT

OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, THE USDA, DISCOVER BANK,

STANDARD SOLAR AND OTHERS, INCLUDING THE

MID-ATLANTIC FARM CREDIT BANK.