Like many individuals and businesses, local governments can be challenged with rising energy costs.

Installing solar photovoltaic systems—or PV—is one way for local governments to stabilize their energy costs over a long period.

However, many government offices lack the technical, financial, and/or policy expertise to know where to begin.

The National Renewable Energy Lab (NREL) and its amazing research staff can help.

In 2018, NREL launched a no-cost, online training to help cities and counties install solar PV on their rooftops and surrounding land.

The training included such topics as goal setting, site evaluation, project financing, permitting, and procurement.

Help make your city or county’s solar goals a reality.