People-Centered, Tech-Agnostic Energy Resilience

Our Team

- East Oakland Neighborhoods Initiative (EONI) Collaborative is a coalition
 of resident leaders, community-based organizations, small businesses,
 and agencies that facilitate community-led planning to build the health,
 wealth and stability of Deep East Oakland.
- In this project, People Power Solar Cooperative will extend the multi-year long collaborative work within EONI to develop a new vision for East Oakland neighborhoods historically impacted by redlining, injustice, and divestment. MMCISolar will provide technical expertise and perspective as we engage with East Oakland neighborhoods to design people-sourced community resilience infrastructure.

Our Community

 East Oakland Residents are disproportionately affected by power outages and grid disruptions. What's more, residents grapple with limited access to affordable and reliable energy, resulting in high energy burdens and utility costs. The inability to pay bills can lead to power shutoffs that result in families losing their access to low-income housing, exacerbating the already dire housing crisis. Many households lack access to efficient heating and cooling systems, leading to discomfort and health risks, particularly for vulnerable populations – like elders and children.



