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Company/Organization: ReVision Energy

Type of organization: Business

Number of Employees: 250+

Category: community

Challenge or Opportunity:

Our challenge was to create a sustainable solution to help fellow Americans who lost power after Hurricane Maria hit Puerto Rico last year.

Approach or Solution:

With the help of volunteers and fundraising efforts, we built three Solar Outreach Systems (SOS) and plan to build more. Remote communities in Puerto Rico have been using the emergency solar power and water purification units to charge cell phones, laptops and tablets and to provide residents with clean drinking water and outdoor lighting.

Impact:

At this time, we don't have detailed information from our nonprofit partner Amurtel regarding the total number of citizens impacted by the SOS units. That said, these units can be moved and redeployed to other Puerto Rican communities or to other disaster sites.