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CHITTENDEN COUNTY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY ADDS SOLAR TO SHELTERS

May 11, 2011 – The Chittenden County Transportation Authority (CCTA) is pleased to announce solar lighting is arriving at CCTA bus shelters in Chittenden County. CCTA is currently operating twelve solar-lit shelters with ten more being upgraded this spring.

Stephen Carlson, CCTA Project Development Manager who is bringing light to Chittenden County says, “ We are very pleased to provide solar-powered lighting in as many of our shelters as possible, including the three already completed on North Avenue. Each year, we hope to add more shelters to the list of those with solar lighting, enhancing the travel experience for CCTA riders.”

The shelters are sprinkled throughout the Burlington area. So far they are located in Burlington, South Burlington, and Essex. When funding becomes available, the next phase of lighting the night at CCTA shelters will take place. In case you wonder how the shelters are chosen to receive the next set of solar panels, there are a variety of factors including rider use during darkness, and current street lighting availability.

SOL, the company bringing solar lighting to CCTA bus shelters is proven and trusted, with over 41,000 installations worldwide.

For more information on getting where you need to go in a convenient, accessible, innovative and sustainable way, call (802) 864- CCTA (2282) or visit cctride.org where you will find routes and schedules.

The mission of CCTA is to operate safe, convenient, accessible, innovative and sustainable public transportation services in the Chittenden County region that reduce congestion and pollution, encourage transit oriented development and enhance the quality of life for all.

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