

Now we're going to talk about how the Solar PA may be updated or amended.

Ann, can you tell how this can be done?

If it's felt that circumstances require the stipulations of the Solar PA be changed, any Signatory can request that the consulting parties consider an amendment to the PA.

If a Signatory proposes an amendment, they must notify the BLM in writing of the proposal to amend. The BLM then notifies all Consulting Parties and consults with them on the proposed amendment. Once agreement has been reached, the amendments are executed in writing, going into effect upon signature of all Signatories.

Every 5 years, the BLM will ensure that the Solar PA is reevaluated by the Consulting Parties to see if it's still working as anticipated, or if it should be amended to address changes that are needed. In addition, the PA may be reevaluated sooner than 5 years, if a Signatory or Consulting Party so requests. To facilitate this evaluation process, the BLM will contact all of the Consulting Parties no later than 6 months prior to the 5-year anniversary to set up a meeting to accomplish review of the Solar PA.