Renewable Reintegration for People and Planet

The top 3 challenges facing both men and women reentering a community after incarceration are *safe and affordable housing, gainful employment* and transportation. Black & Brown, Indigenous and People of Color (BIPOC) are significantly overrepresented in the US carceral system. This project will create an innovative teaching, learning and mentoring model using solar and/or wind power technologies in a new tiny home village being built to offer sustainable, clean-energy housing for those reintegrating into the community in Nebraska. The final goal is to create a replicable model for other states to follow. After Nebraska, we hope to replicate the model in New Mexico, where both solar and wind power initiatives are growing.



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Communities served will include current and formerly incarcerated individuals, those residing in community corrections and people engaged in work release programs.



