

Solar Flow-Through
2012-I Limited Partnership (2012 LP)



2012 LP Snapshot for Q2 2018

- \$2 per unit distribution to unitholders paid at June 30, 2018
- All FIT 2 projects operational and generating revenue
- All FIT 3.1 rooftop projects operational and generating revenue
- Initial FIT 3.1 ground mount projects operational

Overview

2012 LP is part of a group of limited partnerships that share the same management team which own, operate and develop solar power generation projects in the Province of Ontario. These limited partnerships include 2012 LP, Solar Flow-Through 2013-I Limited Partnership (“2013 LP”), Solar Flow-Through 2014-I Limited Partnership (“2014 LP”), Solar Flow-Through 2015-I Limited Partnership (“2015 LP”), Solar Flow-Through 2016-I Limited Partnership (“2016 LP”), Solar Flow-Through 2017-I Limited Partnership (“2017 LP”) and Solar Flow-Through 2017-A Limited Partnership (“2017-A LP”) (collectively the “SFT Group”).

The investment objective of the 2012 LP is to develop and operate solar power generation projects in the Province of Ontario in a manner that provides for income tax deductions to investors during the start-up, development and construction phases and steady income upon commencement of commercial operations. The 2012 LP raised \$2.857 million in 2012. The 2012 LP primarily shares an economic interest in FIT 2, FIT 3.1 rooftop, and FIT 3.1 ground mount projects developed and financed by entities in the SFT Group.

The 2012 LP’s targeted income distribution is 8% per annum.

Use of Funds

2012 LP raised \$2.857 million in 2012. All of the funds raised were incurred on Canadian Renewable and Conservation Expenses (“CRCE”). The 2012 LP did a renunciation for CRCE for the \$2.857 million (“CRCE Proceeds”)

prior to 2012 year-end. Unitholders received tax receipts for their investment in the 2012 LP in early 2013. The CRCE Proceeds were incurred to secure Independent Electricity System Operator (“IESO”) FIT 2 contracts to develop and operate solar projects to produce electricity for the IESO at a guaranteed rate over twenty years.

Performance of the 2012 LP

Since Q2 2014, management of the 2012 LP (“Management”) has met its targeted income distribution of 8% per annum paid quarterly, with the most recent payment made on June 30, 2018.

Ontario Provincial Election Update

The Ontario general election of 2018 was held on June 7, 2018. The Progressive Conservative Party of Ontario won a majority government, with the Ontario New Democratic Party forming the Official Opposition. The election of a Progressive Conservative majority government will undoubtedly result in changes to many of the province’s policies. How these changes will affect the climate, energy, and electricity policy environment is yet to be determined, however the SFT Group remains focused on the abundance of existing and future opportunities available within the renewable energy space.

All of the SFT Group’s operating solar projects have Feed-in-Tariff (“FIT”) contracts with the IESO that are secured with 20-year Power Purchase Agreements. There is minimal risk that these contracts will be affected by any change in government policy. As has always been the case, the IESO has the option to cancel contracts for solar projects currently under development that have not yet been issued a Notice to Proceed

(“NTP”). In June 2018, the IESO stopped granting NTP to projects and began issuing NTP deferral notices pending completion of the transition of the new Ontario provincial government. The deferral notices allow the IESO to delay issuance of NTP approvals for a period of up to 365 days.

NTP deferrals largely affect the SFT Group’s development of FIT 4 and FIT 5 solar projects. To date, the SFT Group has been granted NTP approval status for FIT 4 projects totalling approximately 3 MW DC and NTP approval status for FIT 5 projects totalling approximately 10 MW DC. These projects are not affected by the issuance of NTP deferral notices and development of these projects is proceeding as planned.

Net Asset Value (NAV)

At the end of Q2 2018, the NAV of 2012 LP units has not been updated and remains at \$118.17. Management has delayed updating the NAV until the transition of the new Ontario provincial government has been completed and greater clarity on the provincial government’s climate, energy, and electricity policies is given.

Liquidity Options

In Q4 2015, unitholders of the 2012 LP were provided an opportunity to sell their units to secondary buyers. Management has delayed the next liquidity event until the transition of the new Ontario provincial government has been completed and greater clarity on the provincial government’s climate, energy, and electricity policies is given.

In the longer term, Management will pursue additional liquidity opportunities, which may include a listing on a Canadian stock exchange together with the SFT Group.

FIT 2 – All Projects Operating

The 2012 LP primarily shares an economic interest in the FIT 2 projects with 2013 LP, 2014 LP and 2015 LP. In the second half of 2015, all FIT 2 projects were completed and connected into Ontario’s electrical grid and generating revenue from the production of electricity. The 2012 LP has a shared economic interest in FIT 2 projects owned and operated by the SFT Group totalling 5.5 MW DC.



600 kW DC FIT 2 Project located in Brampton, Ontario, completed in July 2015.

FIT 3.1 Projects – All Rooftop Projects Operating and First Ground Mount Projects Operational

The 2012 LP shares an economic interest in the FIT 3.1 rooftop projects with 2013 LP, 2014 LP, 2015 LP and 2016 LP. Construction of the FIT 3.1 rooftop projects is complete. All FIT 3.1 rooftop projects are now generating revenue from the production of electricity into Ontario’s electrical grid.

The 2012 LP shares an economic interest in the FIT 3.1 ground mount projects with the 2013 LP, 2014 LP, 2015 LP and 2016 LP. Engineering and development of the FIT 3.1 ground mount projects continued through Q2 2018. Construction of the first FIT 3.1 ground mount project began in summer 2017, and the first FIT 3.1 ground mount projects were completed and became operational in 2018. Most of the FIT 3.1 ground mount projects are expected to achieve commercial operation in 2018, and the remainder by end of 2019.

Upon completion of the ground mount projects, Management expects that the 2012 LP will have a shared economic interest in FIT 3.1 projects owned and operated by the SFT Group totalling between 15 and 18 MW DC.



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