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**SKYFIRE ENERGY SOLAR POWERS ALBERTA'S FIRST NET-ZERO ENERGY CAR
2160-Watt Grid-Tied Array of Solar Panels to Charge Tesla Roadster**

Calgary, AB, Oct 17, 2011 – SkyFire Energy Inc. (SkyFire) announced today the installation of a solar system on a private residence south of Calgary to power a Tesla Roadster, the world's first electric supercar. The array of 12 installed solar panels will deliver enough energy to offset 100 per cent of the car's annual charging requirements.

"With SkyFire's extensive experience and qualifications of delivering solar solutions for commercial and residential properties, it was a welcome extension of our team's expertise towards this innovative project that powers Alberta's first net-zero energy car," said David Kelly, partner, SkyFire Energy.

After monitoring the necessary energy usage during the first few months, SkyFire sized a photovoltaic system to produce the requisite amount of energy generated from the sun.

"With the purchase of an electric car, it only made sense to look at powering it from an environmental standpoint as well," said the car owner who wishes to remain anonymous. "So rather than rely on coal-fired generation, I decided that using solar energy instead was the best choice for my driving needs."

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About SkyFire Energy Inc

SkyFire Energy Inc. is one of Canada's largest solar EPC (Engineering, Procurement and Construction) contractors with photovoltaic systems operating throughout Western Canada, the Northwest Territories and Ontario. With an impressive portfolio that includes the largest installation in Western Canada, SkyFire's solar projects encompass all levels of government, commercial and industrial businesses, homebuilders and residential owners. The SkyFire team includes professional engineers, photovoltaic technicians, and experienced installation crews, allowing them to provide turnkey solutions from design to installation and commissioning. Website: www.SkyFireEnergy.com

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