

# Vegetation Management

The opportunity to develop energy projects comes with the duty to manage sites responsibly.

As one of the first U.S. solar developers with a dedicated vegetation management team, Invenergy is committed to developing and implementing comprehensive vegetation plans based on project-specific assessments and industry-leading best practices for every solar site that we build. Doing so drives substantial cost benefits for our landowners and upholds our responsibility as stewards of the land.

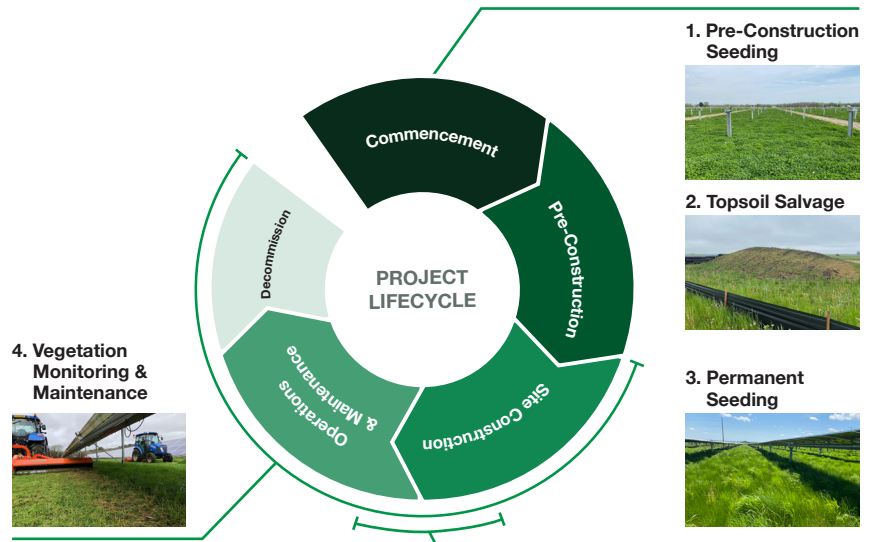
Invenergy’s vegetation management team leverages its in-depth knowledge to properly establish vegetation and implement long-term adaptive management solutions for successful maintenance and cost savings.



## Our Approach

1. Prioritize seeding projects before construction to establish groundcover, which stabilizes soils, minimizes erosion, and avoids the proliferation of invasive and noxious weeds.
2. Develop site-specific vegetation and soil management plans, including a customized topsoil salvaging plan, to ensure the right techniques are used to establish the site’s preferred vegetation.
3. Continue to focus on remedial seeding throughout the construction phase and as needed after, to promote the establishment of desired vegetation into operations.
4. Invest in third-party vegetation monitoring to decrease long-term maintenance needs and significantly reduce costs over the life of the project.

## THE STAGES OF VEGETATION MANAGEMENT



## Invenergy’s Proven Track Record



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Projects across our portfolio have a dedicated vegetation subject matter expert



24,500

Acres pre-seeded on solar projects thus far



19

States have been permanently seeded for operations



58

Vegetation and Soil Management Plans developed

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