

## Grants available for solar water heaters

Homeowners interested in applying for a grant that will pay for much of the cost of a solar water heater can call the nonprofit American Sunrise at (210) 212-2227. The grants are funded in part by the WellMed Charitable Foundation and administered by American Sunrise. The solar water heater's retail cost is \$4,800, including installation, most of which is covered by the grant.

To qualify, a homeowner must be a CPS Energy customer and must have an electric water heater. Also, the homeowner's roof must be in good condition and have good sun exposure.

WellMed officials say they hope to distribute grants to 200 homeowners.

