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Community Power Scotland

We recognise that people's ownership of renewable energy is vital to win public support for the transition to renewables and ensure communities can benefit.

Under a joint Community Energy campaign we have teamed up with organisations from across Europe. Our aim is to:

- Speed up the development of renewable projects by supporting a favourable legislative environment
- Inform and educate policymakers, empowering them to put forward enabling

Latest News

Energising Scottish Communities about Renewables

The Community and Renewable Energy Scheme (CARES) Conference today brings together communities and experts to share experiences in a bid to grow the community renewables movement in Scotland. The conference aims to help people keen ...



What is Community Energy?

The term community energy is used in a variety of different contexts including energy efficiency projects, grid management, collective power purchasing and energy generation. In addition, we might be talking about a geographic, local community or a community of interest.

As such we think it's more useful to define community energy through common characteristics. These include:

- Ordinary people or citizens are involved in running the project through community groups such as cooperatives or development trusts
- There is a co-operative, democratic or specifically non-corporate structure
- There are tangible local benefits to people living or working close to projects
- The profits go back to the community or are re-invested in other community energy schemes.



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for people's ownership of renewable energy



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"The best way to predict the future is
to design it" Buckminster Fuller

