

Get Involved with your Local Energy Plan

We need your feedback to ensure that this plan meets the priorities of the community. There are a number of ways you can get involved in shaping your energy future so come and join in on this exciting opportunity:



Interact with our Information Display located in Oban library where you can access printed copies of the plan and leave feedback



Download a copy of the draft plan from www.alienergy.org.uk and follow the link to our online feedback questionnaire



Visit us at Oban Charities Day on Saturday the 2nd of June where you can find out more about the plan and share your feedback



Request an electronic copy of the plan directly by emailing katie@alienergy.org.uk

Please submit all feedback on the draft plan before Tuesday 5th June
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www.localenergy.scot/coben

LOCAL ENERGY OBAN

CREATING A LOCAL ENERGY PLAN FOR OBAN



Oban's Draft Local Energy Plan
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We would like to hear your feedback to ensure that this Local Energy Plan accurately reflects the priorities and aspirations of the Oban community



Oban's Draft Local Energy Plan (LEP)

What's it all about?

This Local Energy Plan enables the local community to look at its existing and future energy needs in terms of power, heat and transport and sets out where it sees priorities for action. It then identifies opportunities that could help to address these priorities and when implemented could see benefits for both individuals and the community of Oban well into the future. In developing this LEP, a number of engagement activities have been carried out in order to offer all members of the community a chance to share their opinion, which helped to shape the plan moving forward.

These activities identified three main priorities that individuals want to see tackled by Oban's Local Energy Plan:

- Cheaper energy bills
- Warmer homes that are better insulated
- Increased local energy generation

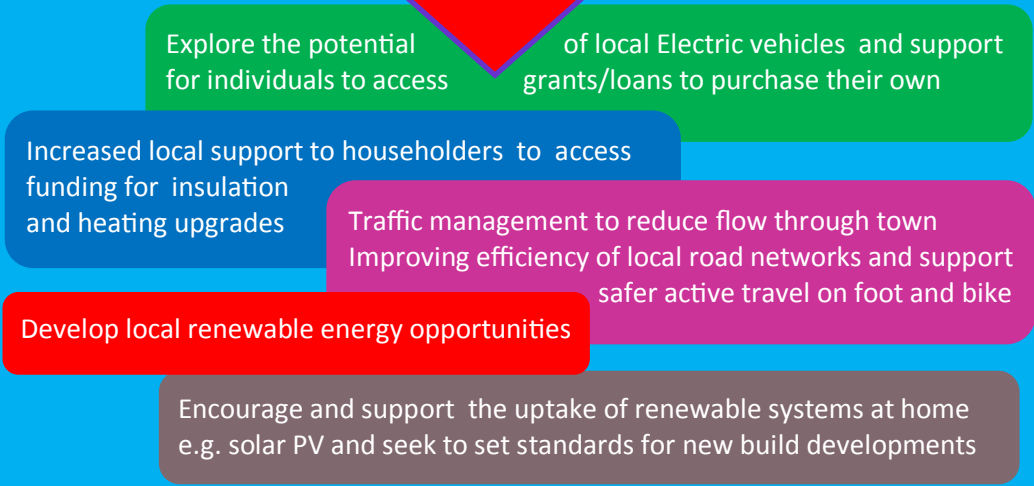
In terms of any proposed energy projects, individuals wanted those projects to be prioritised in order to deliver benefits relating to:

- Lower fuel poverty
- Reduction in electricity prices
- Increased local energy generation



Action to address Local Priorities

The Draft Local Energy Plan reviews local options and opportunities that seek to find a balance between the priorities outlined by the community and the technical challenges of each option. The plan outlines a number of proposed action points some of which are detailed below.



Why is Oban's Local Energy Plan important?

- ✓ The plan enables you to define priorities in your community
- ✓ The more you know about energy in your community the more you can make changes and benefit
- ✓ The way energy is generated and distributed in Scotland is changing and this plan gives Oban a head start in benefiting from these changes
- ✓ There are a number of potential benefits of developing and implementing a Local Energy Plan e.g. Reducing fuel poverty, lowering fuel costs and community ownership of energy.