

Local Power Plan: Turning ambition into delivery

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Vision

Become an enduring institution that delivers the benefits of a cleaner, more secure energy system to the British public.

Mission

Public ownership with purpose

Aims



Accelerate clean generation



Power communities



Unlock the UK's industrial base



Deliver returns and long-term value

Local

- **1,000 projects**
- **Lower energy costs for public services**
- **Broaden access to low-cost renewables and smart local energy systems**

Onshore

- Accelerate development and operation of onshore assets
- Unlock public land development opportunities through partnerships

Offshore

- Stronger UK participation in offshore wind through targeted investments

Supply chain

- Grow UK clean energy supply chain capability
- 10,000+ jobs supported by 2030
- Effective deployment of £1bn Energy Engineered in the UK programme

GB Grid

- ~~Support~~ **Support** new investment in the grid – strengthening competition and helping tackle barriers to delivery across the networks sector.



GBE Local — our priority areas



Foundation

**Nurturing a pipeline of
community energy projects**

Grants + finance

**Capacity and capability
support**



Public

**Enabling projects on public
sector estate**

**Enabling the public sector
to realise their own projects**



Community

Shared ownership

**Enabling communities to
own shares of commercially
developed projects**

**Future, smart local energy
systems**

103 projects already funded through GBECF

£21.5M provided to devolved schemes

Up to £1bn total funding



Community Fund

• £20 million 2026/27



Partnerships Grant

• £5million 2026/27



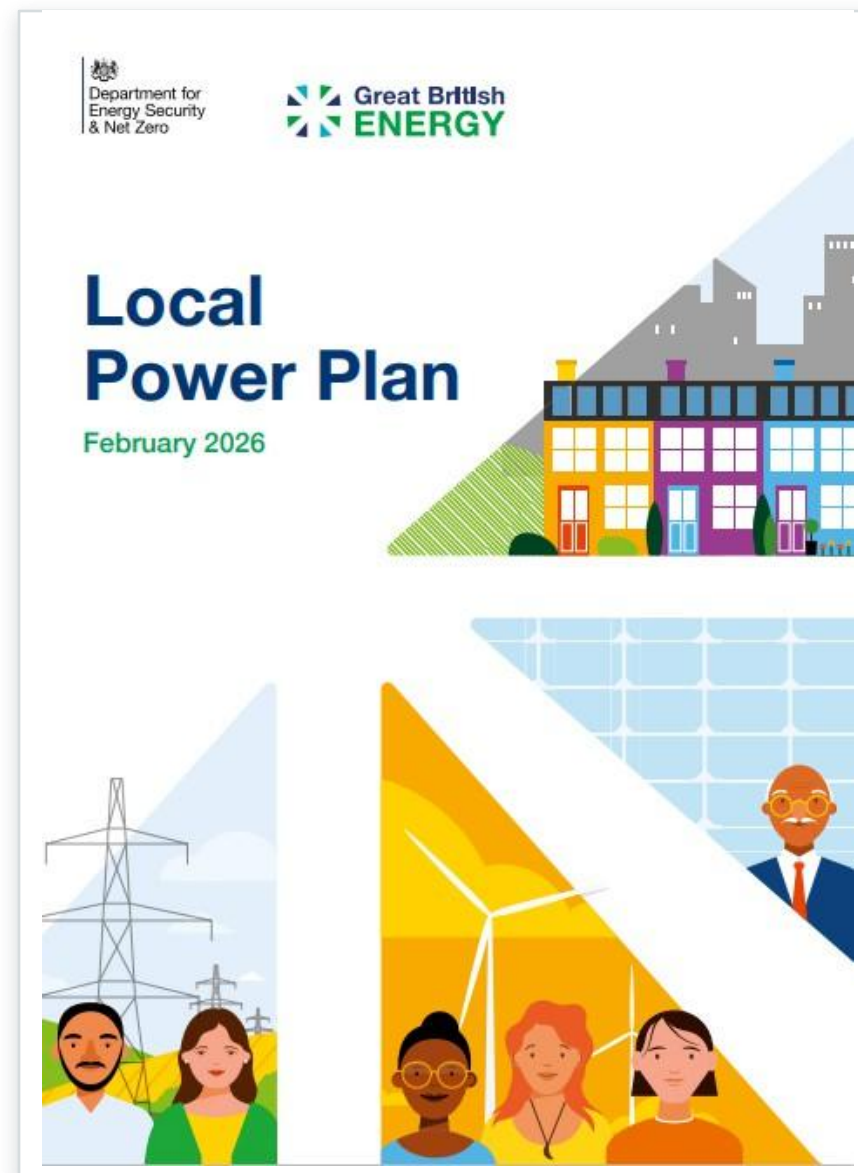
Capacity and Capability

• £2.9million 2026/27



Community Power

• up to £50m





Thank you!

<https://www.gbe.gov.uk/local-power-plan>

