



Community Renewable Energy Project Funding Application Form

Guidelines for applications

The Naturesave Trust now provides start up 'seed corn' grants for community renewable energy projects, whatever type of renewable power generation you, as a community, are considering. We are keen to help communities, in particular, that do not have the initial start up capital to undertake all the preliminary work to get to the planning stage **and** most importantly for the community to retain as much control as possible over the operating income once the project has been successful.

The projects considered must be from community groups and companies who seek funding for **specific renewable energy projects** and not the general administrative costs of their respective organisations. We are unable to fund projects that are not wholly based within the UK, or from individuals. Please try to keep your responses to questions brief and concise. Please note that there are no deadlines for applications, which are dealt with on a rolling basis. If you have any queries about your application, please call Emma Birch, Trust Administrator, on 01803 864390.

1. Name of Project	
2. Location of Project	
3. Type of Renewable Energy (tick where applicable)	<input type="radio"/> Wind Turbine (s) <input type="radio"/> Photovoltaics / Solar <input type="radio"/> Hydro scheme <input type="radio"/> Biomass Boiler <input type="radio"/> Other (please specify) _____
4. Proposed system / model and wattage	
5. Projected KWH produced per annum	
6. Projected annual income	
7. Details of work already done	
8. Details of work for which funding is sought	
9. Structure of organisation (eg. limited company, Industrial and Provident Society, etc.)	
10. Which community will benefit from this project and in what way?	



11. What are the funding requirements?

Consultancy / feasibility costs:	£
Survey costs (type _____):	£
Planning permission:	£
Abstraction license (Hydro only)	£
Lidar / Metmast / Anenometer hire/purchase	£
Landowner charges (i.e. _____):	£
Site visit for grid connection:	£
Materials and construction:	£
Infrastructure and connection:	£
Other (please specify): <input type="text"/>	£
Total:	£

(Please attach all estimates & quotations obtained)

12. Have you received funds from elsewhere for this project? YES / NO

a) If so, from whom have funds been acquired?

b) Amount given £

13. Where did you hear about The Naturesave Trust?

Signed:	Print Name:	
On behalf of:	Dated:	
Address:		
Tel:	Website:	Email:

PLEASE ATTACH ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION / LITERATURE RELEVANT TO THIS APPLICATION (eg; project summary information, letters of support, any feasibility studies, quotations, details of company structure.)