



**Community DSO**

**Consortium Brokerage Conference**

Networking Directory - York

27<sup>th</sup> June 2023



# Welcome and introduction

April 2023 marked the start of our Community DSO Network Innovation Project, in partnership with TNEI and LCP Delta, to deliver a UK industry-first approach demonstrating a future framework for network management of the rollout of smart local energy systems.

The project duration is five years and is financed by £12.45 million Network Innovation Competition (NIC) funding from Ofgem. The aim of the project is to facilitate a framework to allow network companies to manage our customers' adoption of Smart Local Energy Systems to enable Net Zero in the most efficient way for all customers and stakeholders. The project will involve a series of trials, run across the Northern Powergrid operational regions, in what is expected to benefit up to 1000 homes.

## A note about this networking directory

All statements in this networking directory about competency or capability are self-identified by the listed organisation and have NOT been verified by Northern Powergrid. As such, inclusion in this networking directory is NOT an endorsement by Northern Powergrid of the services or capabilities of any organisation in the list. Any organisation seeking to partner with any other is responsible to complete their own due diligence on any individual or group/organisation they choose to partner.

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Meet the key partners



# Meet the key partners



Northern Powergrid manages the electricity network that powers everyday life for 3.9 million homes and businesses in the North East, Yorkshire and northern Lincolnshire



**Paul Glendinning, Policy and Markets Director**



**Maurice Lynch, Head of System Flexibility**



**Laura Brown, Commercial Manager, Flexibility Services**



**Nicole Butterworth, Flexibility Service Analyst**



**Tracy Precious, Senior Buyer**



**Ian Hulbert, Northern Powergrid**



**Helen, Priestley, Stakeholder Engagement Manager**



**Jane Watson, Lead Stakeholder Engagement Advisor**



LCP Delta specialise in broad market, regulatory and business changes in the electricity system, with a specific expertise of smart local energy system commercial and business models



**Jeremy Harrison, Principal Analyst & Senior Consultant**



**Sarah Freshwater, Senior Consultant and Community DSO Project Manager**



TNEI is a specialist in modelling and analysis of transmission and distribution networks across GB and internationally



**Gordon McFadzean,**  
Specialist Consultant, and  
Head of Data Science



**Sarah Sheehy, Senior  
Consultant**

## Our facilitators



Explain is a full-service research agency with specialism across quantitative, qualitative and digital methodologies



**Rebecca Crinson,**  
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**Rachel Gordon, Associate  
Director**

# Agenda



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Time	Item	Presenting
<b>Morning</b>		
10:00	Reception	Arrival of delegates
10:30	Welcome and introductions	Rebecca Crinson, Explain
10:35	Opening remarks	Paul Glendinning, Northern Powergrid
10:45	Purpose of today	Maurice Lynch, Northern Powergrid
10:55	The Community DSO Project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Project scope and aims</li> <li>- Energy Community Concept</li> <li>- Trial Timelines and Budget</li> </ul>	Laura Brown Northern Powergrid Jeremy Harrison, LCP Delta Sarah Sheehy, TNEI
11:20	Q&A	All
11:40	Comfort break	All
11:50	Facilitated Networking (Part 1)	All
12:40	Lunch	All
<b>Afternoon</b>		
13:25	Northern Powergrid Procurement Process with Q&A	Ian Hulbert, Northern Powergrid
13:50	Facilitated Networking (Part 2) & Advice Surgeries	All
14:20	Round up, thanks, and next steps	Maurice Lynch, Northern Powergrid
14:30	Refreshments Reception	
15:30	Close	



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Advanced Infrastructure is on a mission to accelerate an informed, fair and affordable transition to a net zero energy system. We believe that decarbonisation shouldn't be blocked by something as simple as data access and visibility. Through our innovative GIS tools, datasets and APIs we make it easier for private companies, local authorities, distribution network operators and consultants to plan local energy transitions and operate using low carbon power. Advanced Infrastructure is addressing a gap in the market for affordable energy planning solutions that combine data science, power flow modelling and geospatial intelligence to forecast energy demand, support the siting of low carbon technologies, and the creation of decarbonisation strategies across transport, heat and power. Advanced Infrastructure has developed an innovative Local Area Energy Planning Tool (LAEP+) which has been deployed across 12 local authorities and 3 Distribution Network Operators. LAEP+ is a spatial analytics platform for net-zero planning. LAEP+ digitalised Local Area Energy Plans puts hundreds of datasets and analysis tools in the hands of councils and distribution network operators. Local Authority and Energy Network users can identify sites for low carbon energy interventions, build project pipelines and attract investment. LAEP+ uses digital twins to support decision making by local stakeholders and forecasts network capacity, building retrofits, heat networks, and EV rollouts all in one platform. This accelerates the rate of low carbon technology deployment such as heat pumps, EV charging and building retrofits. Hundreds of API integrations ensure that all decisions are made on the latest, building stock, sociodemographic and energy network data.

✓ Other:  
Collaborative web-based GIS net zero planning platform

### Seeking to connect

✓ Energy communities

✓ Commercial management

✓ Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

✓ Other  
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Other

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About us:

Energy communities

Baringa, in consortium with Electron and Smarter Grid Solutions, have responded to the Request for Information issued by Northern Powergrid for the Community DSO project and will be attending the event to learn in greater detail about the project aims and the processes for selecting partners for delivering the Trial-coordination capability. We are also keen to engage with potential project participants and partnerships interested in building strong and successful consortium for delivery of the Community DSO project.



Commercial management

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Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software



Other:  
CBA, regulatory impact  
analysis and proposition  
design

### Seeking to connect

Energy communities



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Other  
Regulatory impact  
analysis, CBA, proposition  
design

# BMA

Commercial Infrastructure  
Management

AI-Assisted decision-making  
Technology Provider

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Trading software

About us:

Other

The world's expectations of cleaner energy, cleaner water, and more sustainable materials & products is driving the next industrial revolution, necessitating new value chains, tools & technologies. Given the criticality of accurate, timely and connected decisions in this dynamic environment, a step-change in decision-making capability is required one that leverages AI while ensuring suitable controls and governance. Decisio™ provides the decision intelligence platform and application suite to serve the connected value chains and stakeholders that will determine the long-term sustainability of the broader economy. We take a whole-systems approach using our Digital Business Twins to map optimal cost pathways for the entire energy system covering electrification, Hydrogen, CCUS and other value chains that help our customers deliver on the UK's climate commitments.

## Seeking to connect

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Energy communities

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### About us:

We are interested in whether there are opportunities for us to collaborate with others in the development and delivery of the Community DSO Network Innovation Project.



Other  
stakeholder engagement,  
energy policy analysis,  
monitoring and  
evaluation, and social-  
technical research

### Seeking to connect



Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)



Trading software

Other



# CAG Consultants

## Innovation Consultant

Expertise in analysis and evaluation of energy initiatives.  
Expertise in stakeholder and community engagement.

### Competencies offered

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About us:

We are interested in whether there are opportunities for us to collaborate with others in the development and delivery of the Community DSO Network Innovation Project.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)  
Trading software



Other  
Monitoring and evaluation  
expertise

### Seeking to connect



Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Community First Yorkshire

VCSE Infrastructure Support  
Organisation

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Development Officer

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)  
Trading software



## Seeking to connect

About us:

I am one of 2 leads of our Community Buildings Network which engages a variety of people from across North, West and South Yorkshire. We advise on a variety of areas including governance structures, decarbonisation and funding. The opportunity to attend will give me further information in order to support our groups and network members.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Decerna

Innovation Consultant  
Technology Provider

Contractors  
Experts in smart local energy systems

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

None, purely here to learn  
about the project

## About us:

Decerna is interested in being a part of this project, as it fits with our mission to support the creation of a Net Zero world.



# Durham University

Experts in smart local energy systems

University

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software



Other  
R&D

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Understand this project about DSO Energy Community and develop networks with other stakeholders, and do some networking with other attendees to find collaborative ideas. Likely find some partners for bidding SIF call projects round 3.

Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Durham University

University

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software



Other  
EDI

## Seeking to connect

About us:

We are hoping to network, learn more about the project and what other networks are doing. We are still taking applications for people from industry and third sector organisations.



Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# E.ON Energy Solutions

Innovation Consultant  
Contractors

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)  
Trading software



Other  
Consumer Engagement

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Today, E.ON is one of Europe's largest operators of energy networks and energy infrastructure and a provider of innovative customer solutions. As such, we are advancing the energy transition in Europe significantly and are committed to sustainability, climate protection, and the future of our planet. The roots of today's E.ON trace back to about 100 years, and the journey to get here has been a long one.



Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# EA Technology

Innovation Consultant  
Technology Provider

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Role Net Zero Consultant

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Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

I personally am interested in this event as a project manager for various innovation projects with NPg but the Community DSO project is of particular interest. Engaging with local communities to empower them to self generate and manage demand is a serious consideration in reaching a Net Zero network in the future. I would like to discuss how other organisations are approaching this and what are the gaps in knowledge or deployment that exist.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other



# Electric Miles

## Technology Provider

### Competencies offered

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Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

### Seeking to connect

About us:

The Community DSO project is an exciting endeavor for us at EM. We are determined to make the most of this opportunity by actively participating in the trials, coordinating delivery, engaging with local communities, conducting network impact assessments, and contributing to toolkit development. Through our involvement, we aimed to further refine our solutions, expand our knowledge, and establish ourselves as key contributors in the journey towards a more sustainable and efficient energy landscape.



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Electron

Software Developer

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Technology Provider

## Competencies offered

Name Chris Broadhurst

Energy communities

Role CCO

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

URL [www.electron.net](http://www.electron.net)

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

We are interested to network with other potential partners who can complement a consortium we have brought together, covering Trading Software, ERMS and Trial Co-Ordination. We are particularly interested in meeting with interested parties who represent: local energy communities, enabling hardware, and/or commercial management.



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Energise Barnsley

Local authority

Local Community in Local Community in  
Yorkshire

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)  
Trading software



Other  
experienced practitioners in  
innovation projects and Ofgem  
projects

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Interested to work with tech & innovation providers to test smart local energy systems in tenanted and non tenanted homes. Interested in stacking revenues at domestic home level for a fair transition to a low carbon economy. We are interested to progress domestic DSR at scale beyond these [published results](#).

Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Energy Local CIC

Innovation Consultant  
Software Developer

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Local energy market developers and  
facilitators

## Competencies offered

Name Mary Gillie



Energy communities

Role Director



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:



Energy communities

We have the key building blocks for a successful  
community DSO and want to participate in the project  
to demonstrate the benefit of local markets to DNOs.

Commercial management

Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other



# Enoda Ltd

Technology Provider

Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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URL	<a href="http://www.enodatech.com">www.enodatech.com</a>		Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)
		✓	Trading software
			Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

We are looking for communities and industrial partners to participate in Trial 1. By mid-2024, our leading edge, proprietary technology the Enoda PRIME exchanger will have completed months of pilot studies and will be ready for commercial deployment. In 2024 our platform for energy system co-ordination Enoda ENSEMBLE will be ready for deployment. Our distribution network-focused business represents a material shift in industry (location, control, integration, quality, cost, price, carbon intensity) norms, and we believe community support will play an important role in influencing government policy and shaping the regulatory framework, while also encouraging the development of new flexibility products and services.

✓	Energy communities
	Commercial management
✓	Trial coordination
	Enabling hardware
✓	Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)
	Trading software
	Other

# Enoda Ltd

Technology Provider

Hardware  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Our distribution network-focused business represents a material shift in industry (location, control, integration, quality, cost, price, carbon intensity) norms, and we believe community support will play an important role in influencing government policy and shaping the regulatory framework, while also encouraging the development of new flexibility products and services.



Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Entrust Microgrid Ltd

Technology Provider  
Software Developer

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Hardware

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Managing Director



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

- 1) To network with the Community DSO project team members, and introduce our competence in SLES hardware and software and EMS development along with commercial project management and trial coordination.
- 2) To network with local authorities and community leaders to identify trial energy communities and understand the barriers for the trials.
- 3) To network with contractors, such as solar PV, battery storage, EV charger, heat pump, space heating and hot water system installers, and suppliers.
- 4) To network with electricity retailers to understand the potential of Time of Use Tariff and Economy 7 tariff schemes.



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Equiwatt Limited

Commercial Infrastructure Management  
Technology Provider

Innovation Consultant  
Experts in smart local energy systems  
Software Developer  
DFS and Energy Management Systems  
Virtual Power Plant Platforms

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Chief Revenue Officer



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:



Energy communities

We are keen to collaborate with other stakeholders and likeminded businesses to provide a platform for the local communities to stand together and make a difference in energy consumption reduction.

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other



# ESR Electrical

Contractors

Smart energy

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Many of the projects we are getting involved with are on the edge of the present DNO capabilities, so this is both an exciting way forward and is also inevitable. It's good that a way forward is being prepared. As my clients are involving me in such projects I am pleased to attend both to learn, support, and network with others.



Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Fuuse Limited

Commercial Infrastructure Management  
Software Developer

Technology Provider

Experts in smart local energy systems

## Competencies offered

Name Will Maden



Energy communities

Role COO & Co-Founder



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## About us:

Through modules within Fuuse, Fuuse Energy and Fuuse Fleet, we are actively engaging with energy providers and suppliers to capitalise on the beneficial use of electric vehicle batteries to support and reinforce the national supply. Currently we are working on V2X projects and Smart Energy projects to alleviate pressure.

## Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# GE Digital

Software Developer

Smart energy

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Innovation Strategy

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

GE is a leading participant in Innovation related projects in the UK and seeks to build enduring technology relationships with all participants creating innovative solutions to meet the challenges of the energy grid.

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# GTC

Commercial Infrastructure Management  
Technology Provider

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Hardware  
Software Developer  
iDNO

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Head of Innovation



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

Want to align ourselves closer to you. We are a progressive iDNO and we want to build a stronger working relationship with you as we move into the era of Future Systems Operators and DSO's.



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other



# Hitachi Energy

## Technology Provider

### Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

URL



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

About us:



Trading software

For more than 100 years, Hitachi has focused on developing the social infrastructure that provides the foundation for nearly every aspect of modern life. We have grown significantly but our founding spirit remains at the heart of Hitachi. This spirit is built on three words that guide the way we work. Harmony: we respect the opinions of others and discuss matters frankly, but also fairly and impartially. Sincerity: we approach issues openly, honestly and respectfully, in the spirit of true teamwork. Pioneering Spirit: we strive to lead in our areas of expertise, promoting the limitless potential of individuals while pursuing new challenges and higher goals. These values form the foundation for our decisions and link our group companies around the world together. We foster a diverse, rewarding culture that drives innovation and inspires others to do the same. Hitachi believes the Community DSO Project is a significant opportunity to use our resources to support the energy transition in the UK. A key part of this transition will be to move from controlling a small number of large electricity generators to meet unconstrained demand to matching demand, through flexibility, to intermittent renewable energy generation, but deliver this in a fair and equitable manner. We believe the ambition and scale of this project provides a real opportunity to bring the resources of Hitachi to help deliver for the community of energy customers that would participate and bring a benefit to Hitachi by enabling us to use our resources, experience and knowledge to deliver for the good of the local community.

Other

### Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

We are interested to find out more about how we can help with the energy transition and achieving UK net zero targets. The transition from DNOs to DSOs is a key smart of achieving a smart and flexible energy system.



Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Linklaser

Technology Provider  
Experts in smart local energy systems

Hardware  
Provider of Microscada & Energy  
Management Systems

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software



Other  
microscada

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Seeking to assist the transition from DNO to DSO by local monitoring and control of local generation and storage assets to produce physical balance and exporting key data for commercial settlement.



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Linklaser

Innovation Consultant  
Experts in smart local energy systems  
Contractors  
Technology Provider  
Hardware  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Director

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:



Energy communities

Active participation in the Community DSO trials, with a view to enabling the DNO to DSO transition, by means of monitoring and control of local generation and storage assets providing physical balance and commercial settlement.

Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# National Grid

## Distribution Network Operator

### Competencies offered

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URL



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

### Seeking to connect

About us:

I'm employed as a community energy engineer to support the development and growth of community energy projects in our four licence areas as part of our ED2 commitments.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other



# Newcastle City Council

Local authority

## Competencies offered

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About us:

Within our approach to Net Zero Neighbourhoods we are planning for the full decarbonisation (likely electrification) of existing estates. These estates are made up of mixed tenure, low-rise housing where the required mix of low carbon technology is being designed to reflect specific archetypes, their relationship with each other and the local power distribution systems; we have started in areas dominated (but not exclusively) by social housing, Council owned, and managed through our ALMO Your Homes Newcastle (YHN). However, to fully develop this approach we need to address the policy challenges of integrating the technologies and the legal agreements with tenants, registered housing providers, private landlords and owner-occupied homes to help secure a long-term revenue stream that can attract investment and allow Net Zero living approaches. This is so we can move away from a grant dependent culture; but also the policy and business case to promote one technology, over another (within a specific estate) requires a hyper-local evaluation that can be replicated across neighbourhoods and adapted to reflect different demographics. We anticipate this will require Energy as a Service business models to all tenures, that can both secure investment, but also optimise for flexibility within energy communities and develop a value stack. By offering the Low Carbon Neighbourhood into the Community DSO Trials we are able to specify the energy systems (to a large proportion of the homes across the LVs and secondary substation area) and potentially avoid the challenges of interoperability and therefore we believe it has significant potential to become one of the Community DSO Trials.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# NODES

Technology Provider

Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Senior Consultant



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

Interested to understand if NODES can offer some capability to assist this project to succeed. Interesting in timings and plan to move forward. To meet with key personnel and provide information based on other similar projects.



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Orange Power Ltd

Innovation Consultant  
Technology Provider  
Experts in smart local energy systems  
Software Developer  
DSR Provider

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Director

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

URL



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:



Energy communities

We are very interested in the need of NPG regarding trading software, Hardware enabling, and energy communities services and the opportunities to get involved in the innovation projects.



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# ORE Catapult

Innovation Consultant  
Technology Provider

Smart energy  
Experts in smart local energy systems  
Research and Innovation Organisation

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Head of Electrical Research

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

URL



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

We have recently completed a local energy community demonstration project in Scotland (CLUE). We are looking to further this work and the Community DSO brokerage event is an excellent opportunity to build a consortium and consensus for developing a follow-on demonstration project that builds upon the learnings from CLUE.



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# OSI

Technology Provider  
Experts in smart local energy systems  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Sales Executive

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

the design and deployment of software solution to Manage Energy Resources is a key part of OSI business across the world. We are keen to support this project with our proven range of solutions specifically designed for these types of applications. We can deliver one element of the overall project requirements (the ERMS) so we are very keen to network with providers of other services so we can jointly propose the best technical, commercial and logistical solution for this project. Monitoring and control of the LV network, the loads and generation assets is achievable but needs to be refined in the UK to best contribute to a coordinated and effective management of our infrastructure. This is achievable, and OSI would very much like to be a part of this development.



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other



# Otaski Energy Solutions Ltd

Technology Provider

Hardware  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Role CEO

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Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## About us:

We are keen to engage and find opportunities to deploy and test EV charging solutions for smart charging and bidirectional charging to validate the vehicle to grid/everything (V2G/X) at hardware and software layers. As well as, trialling new customer engagement and integration opportunities for V2G/X.

## Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

Name Professor Rajat Gupta



Energy communities

Role Professor of Sustainable Architecture and Climate Change.

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software



Other  
Trial evaluation

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

I am interested in networking with relevant organizations to participate in Community DSO trials. We can provide capabilities in user engagement and academically rigorous evaluation to learn from the trials.

Commercial management

Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Passiv UK Limited

Innovation Consultant  
Software Developer  
Technology Provider  
Hardware

Energy management system (EMS) provider  
and heat pump monitoring and smart  
controls specialists

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

URL <https://www.passivuk.com/>

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

## About us:

Managing energy loads using flexible domestic resources has the potential to provide significant savings to grid operators, as they transition to net zero. Community DSO has the potential to play an important role in developing the protocols for the smart local energy systems that will be needed by consumers and businesses to unlock this value. Passiv has established a strong track record of working in this sector and has leveraged over £25m of R&D investments in its proprietary energy management system (EMS). Following an agile development philosophy, Passiv is now commercialising innovative domestic demand side response services across a range of retrofit new-build housing archetypes and consumer segments. Our market-leading proposition is based on optimising the operation of heat pumps, solar, battery solutions and EV charging schedules based on consumer preferences, flexibility opportunities and learned building performance dynamics. Following its acquisition by the BUUK Infrastructure group in 2021, Passiv gained significant access to the new build sector and flexibility markets through our sister companies Levelise and GTC. Levelise is the largest and best-performing virtual power plant operator of residential energy assets in the UK, with over 5,500 connected assets and has been providing aggregation services to National Grid since 2019. GTC is one of the UK's largest registered IDNOs and is responsible for over 100,000 new build utility connections annually. Volume housebuilders, OEMs and energy supplier partners are already actively engaging with Passiv and the BUUK Infrastructure group to develop and deliver innovative smart home solutions. The Community DSO project has the potential to help de-risk and accelerate the ongoing commercialisation of our technology and externally validate the value of coordinating



Trading software

Other  
Energy Management System,  
heat pump monitoring and smart  
control. Advanced domestic  
energy use and heat load  
simulation

## Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

distributed energy assets in groups of households at the LV network level.

# Perse Technology Ltd

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## About us:

Perse would be keen to explore partnering with Northern Power Grid, as both a Technology Partner and Energy/Carbon Data partner. With real-time access to energy usage across all meter types, including 00/08 profiles, SMETS 1 & 2, plus Analogue meters. With experience of and being an Aggregator (and settlement partner of other DFS Aggregators) in the National Grid ESO Demand Flexibility Scheme in the the residential and business segments, we feel ideally placed to assist Northern Power Grid on this Project.

Technology Provider

Software Developer

### Competencies offered

- ✓ Energy communities
- Commercial management
- Trial coordination
- ✓ Enabling hardware
- Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)
- Trading software
- Other

### Seeking to connect

- ✓ Energy communities
- Commercial management
- Trial coordination
- ✓ Enabling hardware
- Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)
- ✓ Trading software
- Other

# Piclo

Technology Provider

Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software



Other  
Flexibility Marketplace

## Seeking to connect

About us:

I believe this is a really interesting concept. I'm keen to get insights into this project and figure out if and how Piclo can contribute.



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other



# Power Circle Projects Ltd

Innovation Consultant

Experts in smart local energy systems

Project developer and social esco  
(energy services company)

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software



Other  
Scalable SLES model

## Seeking to connect

About us:

To build relationships with local energy users, community organisations, social landlords, delivery partners etc. We aim also to share our experience in developing smart local energy systems in a way which benefits local energy users and electricity system operators.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software



Other

Local Energy Users/user groups

Commercial Infrastructure Management

Innovation Consultant  
Experts in smart local energy systems  
Engineering Consultants, Energy & Communities

#### Competencies offered

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About us:

For Community DSO we are interested in the trial co-ordination role and feel we are uniquely placed to successfully deliver this due to our unique capabilities encapsulating communities, programme management and Ofgem funded innovation projects and are looking forward to meeting other interested Parties to discuss how we can form a structured inclusive consortium to deliver NPG's exciting Community DSO project. We are therefore interested in this event because it will provide us with the platform upon which we shall be able to better understand the Community DSO project, its objectives, timeframes, procurement route and level of interest from other companies and authorities. During this event, we shall be able to network with other interested Parties and have the opportunity to commence preliminary discussions regarding building the very best consortium which will be able to deliver the project scope of works in a compliant, cost effective and efficient manner.



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

#### Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Ricardo Energy & Environment

Innovation Consultant

Trial Coordination

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## About us:

For Community DSO we are interested in the trial co-ordination role and feel we are uniquely placed to successfully deliver this due to our unique capabilities encapsulating communities, programme management and Ofgem funded innovation projects and are looking forward to meeting other interested Parties to discuss how we can form a structured inclusive consortium to deliver NPg's exciting Community DSO project. We are therefore interested in this event because it will provide us with the platform upon which we shall be able to better understand the Community DSO project, its objectives, timeframes, procurement route and level of interest from other companies and authorities. During this event, we shall be able to network with other interested Parties and have the opportunity to commence preliminary discussions regarding building the very best consortium which will be able to deliver the project scope of works in a compliant, cost effective and efficient manner.

# Schneider Electric

Technology Provider

Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

Schneider Electric believes in helping communities thrive and we have the solutions to enable this, we want to build a smart more environmentally future for the UK and believe being involved in these project enables this at a local level.



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Schneider Electric

Technology Provider

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

About us:

Integration of Distributed Energy Resource Management System or Green Energy Sources with Smart & Micro Grid. Discussing benefits of smart meter data collection in LV analytics and overall NPG efficient network management

## Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Sembcorp Energy

Energy Provider

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Electrical Manager

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:



Energy communities

To understand how the future looks from an NPG perspective with the network with automation and connections for Generators.

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)



Trading software

Other



# Smarter Grid Solutions

Software Developer

Smart energy

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)



Trading software

Other

Smarter Grid Solutions has a long history of being involved in Innovation projects and we see that there is a potential option for our existing DERMS capability to support and enhance this trial. However, we are not a trading platform vendor, nor do we have links to a community that would like to participate in the trials. I am interested in attending the event to find other organisations that we can collaborate and cooperate with in order to provide a robust and effective trial partner.

# Smarter Grid Solutions

Innovation Consultant

Technology Provider  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

About us:

Looking forward to opportunity to collaborate with prospective partners, explore collaborations. Looking forward to developing trial use cases and desired functions for demonstration in the project.

## Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources  
Management System (ERMS)



Trading software



Other  
Existing Community DSO  
Partners (NPG, TNEI, LCP  
Delta)

# SMPnet

## Technology Provider

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

SMPnet is interested in a project such as the community DSO as it is an enabler for the digitalisation of networks and lowers the cost of electricity for consumers.



Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources  
Management System  
(ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# SMPnet

## Technology Provider

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

Our team at SMPnet is enthusiastic about exploring how we can assist and bring value to this landmark project. It is therefore important to meet and discuss the various aspects of the project with stakeholders and other interested technology providers.



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# SNRG

Commercial Infrastructure Management  
Technology Provider

Experts in smart local energy systems  
Hardware  
Software Developer

## Competencies offered

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Role Senior Proposition Manager

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Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

There have been quite a few conversations held between SNRG and LCP Delta, and both parties came to the conclusion that our SmartGrid solution is a really nice fit for the CDSO Project. What SNRG would like to achieve in the project, is a better way for our solutions to interact with a DSO to ensure that the full value of the inbuilt flexibility of our solution is realised. Commercially we hope that the value this can provide the DSO (via reduction in reinforcement etc) can be passed through to SNRG and therefore reducing the overall cost of supply to the end users. This would improve our proposition, help the DNO manage its network and accelerate the UK's transition to a net zero energy system. We also have an innovation pipeline of new technologies that we are bringing to commercialisation through partnerships that reduce local consumption and embedded carbon even further.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# SSE Energy Solutions

Technology Provider  
Experts in smart local energy systems  
Utility

## Competencies offered

Name Phil Jeffrey

Energy communities

Role Head of Enhance



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Localised flexibility is key to the future stability and access of the Grid. We are developing solutions that support this. We take part in both ESO DFA and DSO flexibility programmes and want to see how this could develop further at LV level.



Energy communities



Commercial management

Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other



# SSE Energy Solutions

Commercial Infrastructure Management  
Experts in smart local energy systems

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Role Strategy Specialist



Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Energy communities

SSE have a keen interest in discovering innovative new solutions to integrate smart appliances, renewable energy resources, and energy-efficiency services into local flexible markets. At this event we are seeking participation with stakeholders in the transition to decentralised energy solutions at a local level.

Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Together Housing

## Housing Association

### Competencies offered

Name Gemma Voaden



Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

URL

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software



Other  
Project management, energy surveying

### Seeking to connect

About us:



Energy communities

Renewable power and heat and the grid capacity.  
Networking opportunities to scale retrofit and renewable heat investment as well as an increase to our renewable power programmes.



Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

# Whitley Bay Big Local

Local Community in the North East of England

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

Whitley Bay Big Local is looking for ways to enable local people to make their lives and community more sustainable. This includes reducing energy costs and carbon footprint.



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Competencies offered

Name Samantha Harvey

Energy communities

Role District Councillor

Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

URL [www.wakefield.gov.uk](http://www.wakefield.gov.uk)Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other  
Facts finding

## About us:

An elected member of WMDC who is interested in gaining insight into the Commercial management of the energy market. As a district councillor in the Wakefield District Council Area, I have immediate interest in the distribution and management of the energy network in my area as it provides more information to myself which I can use to work for improvements to our local area. With greater knowledge and understanding of the subject, I will be able to make more detailed arguments when arguing for and against local issues such as the introduction of a solar farm within my ward.

## Seeking to connect



Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Yorkshire North & East Methodist District

Local Community in Local Community in  
Yorkshire

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## About us:

We are keen to take part in the Community DSO project; we have found progress has been made more rapidly and more effectively through collaborations. Our churches are very much part of their local community, and achieving Net Zero is a necessity in each and every community if we are to succeed in reaching climate safety. Therefore, we are ready, willing and able to play our part in this project, and others. The benefits are shared learning, network and knowledge. We will gain insights and understanding, whilst building networks and knowledge bases.

## Seeking to connect

Energy communities

Commercial management



Trial coordination

Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

# Zero Carbon Yorkshire

Local Community in Local Community in  
Yorkshire

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

## Seeking to connect

About us:

We are interested in networking and connecting communities to projects and funding sources to drive carbon savings across the Yorkshire region and beyond. The technical expertise and unique position of the DNO makes it a great potential conduit for activity,



Energy communities

Commercial management

Trial coordination

Enabling hardware

Energy Resources Management  
System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other



# ZIV Automation UK

Hardware

Technology Provider

Utility Network Automation Solutions

## Competencies offered

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Energy communities

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Commercial management

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Trial coordination

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Enabling hardware

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Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)



Trading software

Other

## About us:

We would like to learn how ZIV Automation can support and deliver automation solutions for the DSO "Cells" to further enable Smart Networks for the DSO. ZIV's Active Network Management (ANM) could be a key enabling technology.

## Seeking to connect

Energy communities



Commercial management



Trial coordination



Enabling hardware



Energy Resources Management System (ERMS)

Trading software

Other

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