Empower Community Foundation

Empower Community is a social enterprise that balances the interests of all stakeholders by developing projects that benefit all participants while providing a high quality, risk-mitigated investment opportunities.

CHALLENGE

We need to greatly accelerate the deployment of renewable energy and other balancing interventions at scale in order to address the combined factors of climate change, energy security, and social justice.

SOLUTION

Empower Community was created to accelerate the transition to sustainable low carbon local economies by seeking to ensure the financial benefits of renewable energy go back into local communities.

REVENUE

The main revenue model of the solar parks is the sale of electricity.

IMPACT

Empower Community's two 5MW solar parks (Drove Lane near Salisbury in England and New Mains in Arbroath in Scotland) generate enough electricity to power the equivalent of 2,600 homes a year combined.



16 yearsDuration



4.5% (2022) and 6.5% (2023) Cost of Capital



£4.4mTurnover



£4.35m total Amount invested



Crowd-Funded Product type Triodos @ Bank