

# Barningham Net Zero

Our vision for Barningham:

- Reduce energy costs for villagers
- Achieve a net zero carbon footprint from building emissions by provision of renewable energy throughout the village
- Provide surplus income from energy generation, which can be used to fund on-going energy efficiency improvements

## Stage 1 Feasibility Study Application Ready for Community Approval!

Details will be presented to the parish at a meeting in Barningham Village Hall on:

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January at 7:00-8:30pm**

Copies of the application will be provided at the meeting and are also available on request. Comments and queries from the parish are welcome.

## Special Meeting of Parish to Formally Approve Submission

Barningham Village Hall on:

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> January at 7:30pm**

### **Project team:**

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## Phase 1: Feasibility Study with RCEF Grant

The project is applying to the Rural Communities Energy Fund for £40,000 to undertake the following activities:

- Assess total village building emissions to provide a baseline generation target
- Evaluate the feasibility, cost-effectiveness and funding approach for a community-based renewable energy generation and heating solutions enabling the village to become self-sufficient and to provide a source of income for future improvements

## Other BNZ Project Activities

Alternate funding sources are being investigated for:

- Assessment of energy efficiency improvement opportunities for village buildings
- Development of a community tree-planting programme to offset residual emissions

## How You Can Get Involved

This is a community project for the benefit of all of us, so we hope you will wish to get involved by:

- Attending one or both of the January meetings to consider and approve the grant funding application
- Write an email or letter of support for the project that we can include with our submission