

A one day conference exploring how we can cut carbon from buildings, generate energy cleanly and work towards enabling renewable towns. With fascinating case studies from Frome, Germany, France, Poland and the Isle of Eigg. Join us for talks, discussion, food and stalls.

09:30 Reception - coffee and stalls

10:00 Welcome - Councillor Pippa Goldfinger, Frome Town Council

10:15 SWITCH TO LOW CARBON BUILDINGS

How low should we go with lowcarbon retrofit? - Bob Prewett

France - Low energy retrofit: a holistic approach for eco exemplars

Poland - Low carbon buildings - Municipal Housing Management Rabka-Zdrój - Maria Nowacka

11:30 SWITCH TO RENEWABLE ENERGY

Community Energy – Anna Francis, Frome Renewable Energy Co-op Creating energy from food waste – Thomas Minter, Malaby Biogas River Power Around Frome – Anthony Battersby, Mendip River Power Going for zero, how to become a 100% renewable town – Professor Keith Barnham A renewable Island – Camille Dressler, Isle of Eigg

12:30 Vegetarian lunch and stalls

13:30 SWITCH TO RENEWABLE ENERGY

France: Renewable energy from local resources

Poland: Renewable energy in Poland - Dariusz Makowski & Wioletta Miśkowiec, Rabka-Zdrój

European case studies

14:30 SWITCH TO SUSTAINABLE LIFESTYLES

Driving the future - electric vehicles – Kevin Sharpe **Sharing Transport Needs** – Ellie Grebenik, Co-Wheels

France: Energy saving for all

Poland: Spa treatment and sustainable lifestyles - Monika Chlebek, Spa Rabka

European case studies

15:30 Conclusions and next steps

16:00 End





