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# LOW-CARBON CITIES CONFERENCE

22 FEBRUARY 2017 EDINBURGH

# Plenary 1

**Jenny Hogan, Scottish Renewables**

## Keynote Address

**Keith Brown MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Jobs and Fair Work**

## Speakers

**Jan Johansson, Växjö municipality, Sweden**

**James Alexander, C40 Cities**



**Jan Johansson**

Energy Manager, Växjö municipality, Sweden





# Växjö – green transition in practice

Jan Johansson, Energy Manager



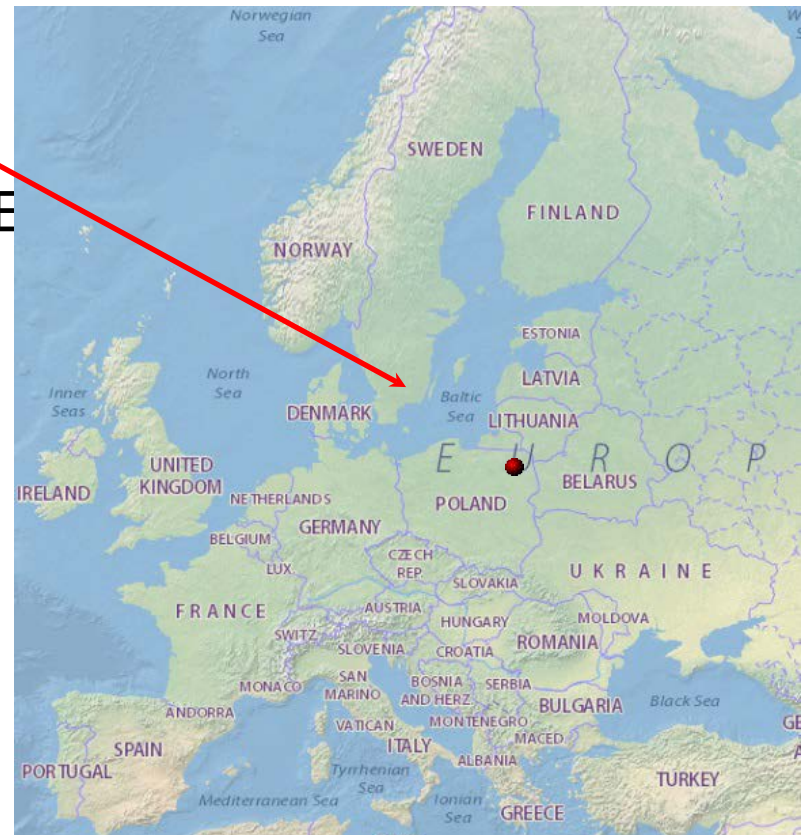
# Film about City of Växjö

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kVCDJAAzWc>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cbtA5CL4qpM>

# This is Växjö, Sweden

- Population 89 000
- Forests and 200 lakes
- Centre of glass, furniture, SME bio energy and education
- 8 000 SME-companies
- Political majority, right wing:  
M, C, FP, KD, MP
- 6500 employees in administration
- 500 employees in municipal companies





# From fossil community to bio-community

- Energy security
- Local economy
- Renewable energy (64%)
- Wooden buildings
- Sustainable transport





# District heating is smart





# District heating from wood is smarter



# District heating from wood is smarter





# The Modern Wooden City

## Passive house

Portvakten Söder (40 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>)



## Energy efficient houses

Limnologen (80 kWh/m<sup>2</sup>)



## The first passive tennis court arena

(11 kWh/m<sup>2</sup> excl hot water)





# From biological waste to city buses



Collection of biological household waste started February 2012



Biological household waste will be collected and made to biogas for city buses and private vehicles





## Environmental Programme

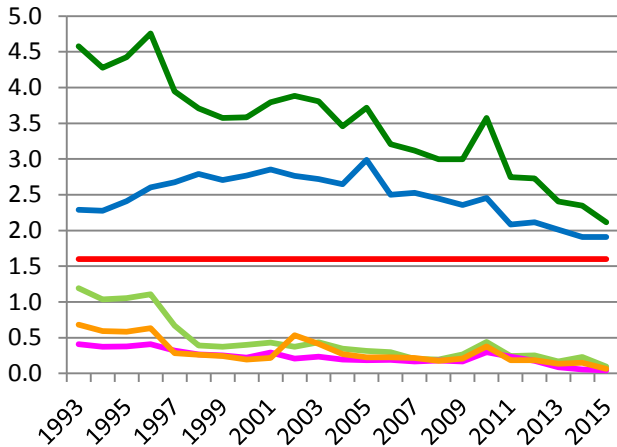


# Strategic environmental work

**Environmental programme**  
local goals adopted by City Council.

**Activities in Budget**

**Annual evaluation.**







**The fossil CO<sub>2</sub> emissions per capita shall be reduced  
by 65 % between 1993 and 2020,  
and by 100 % until 2030**



Smart Cities  
and Communities



- EU-funded project
- Budget Växjö 12 601 000 EUR
- 6 855 000 EUR contribution
- Reduce energy need by >50% in 400 apartments
- Innovative technology





# Success factors

- Municipal autonomy – decisions are taken at local level
- Political consensus and long term targets
- Broad co-operation  
Triple Helix



# For more information

The City of Växjö

<http://www.vaxjo.se/english>

Environmental program

Energy plan

The Swedish version (the English will come any day)

Transport plan

[www.vaxjo.se/miljobroschyr](http://www.vaxjo.se/miljobroschyr)



**Thanks for listening!**

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# Plenary 2

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# Stagecoach UK Bus

- Operate 8500 buses and coaches
- Cover 350 million miles a year
- 118 locations 21000 staff
- 660 million passenger trips
- 40 million gallons fuel



# Sustainability



*”To meet the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs.”*

- *Environmental, social and economical demands must be fulfilled – at the same time.*
- *Too expensive systems will not be introduced in a scale that has an impact...*
- *...so, don't let the best be the enemy of the good.*

The  
Economist

The Obama-Cameron relationship  
starts

Spain's last chance  
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London's medical boom  
starts

**A SILENCE OF CORPORATE LEADERSHIP**  
starts

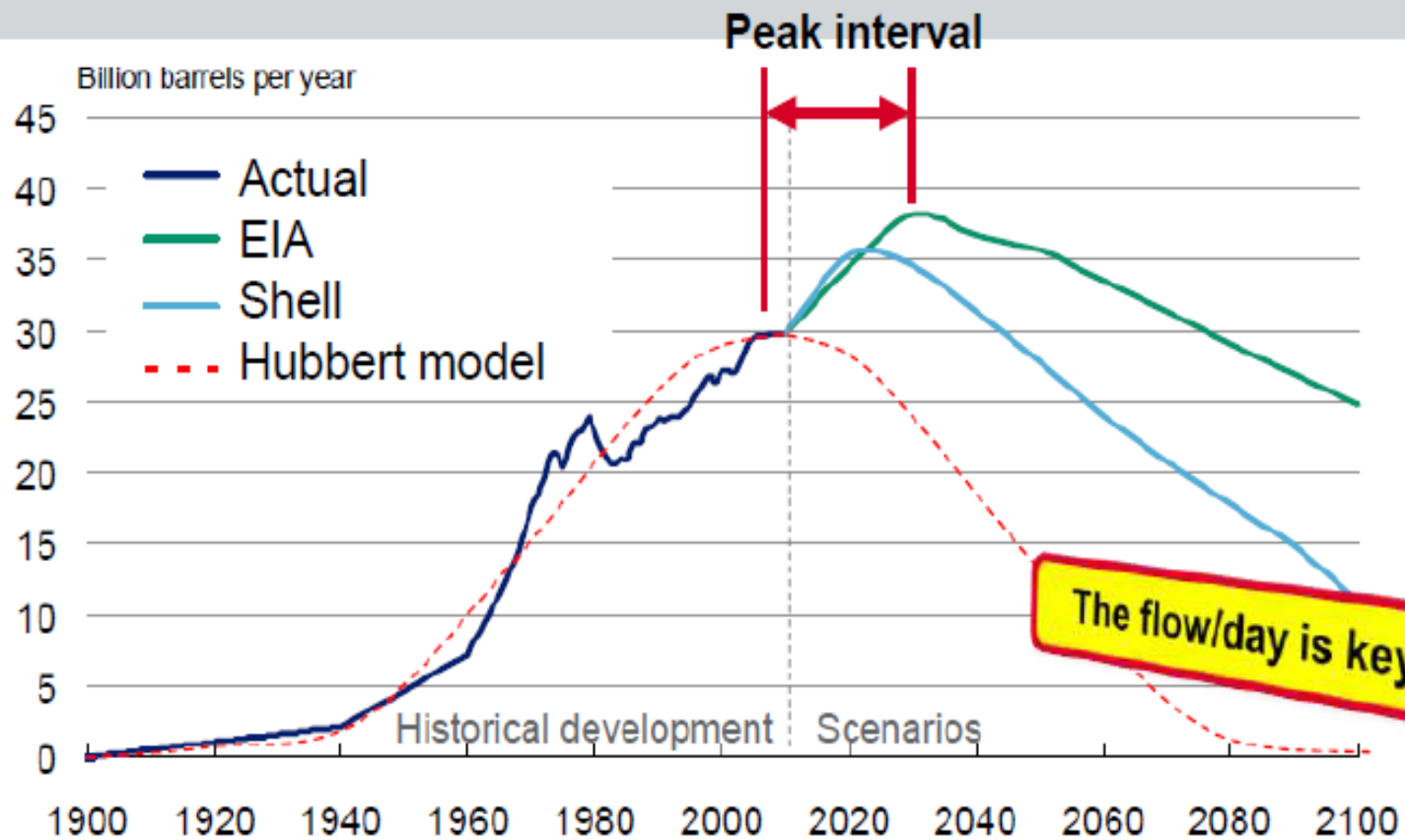
# The end of the Oil Age



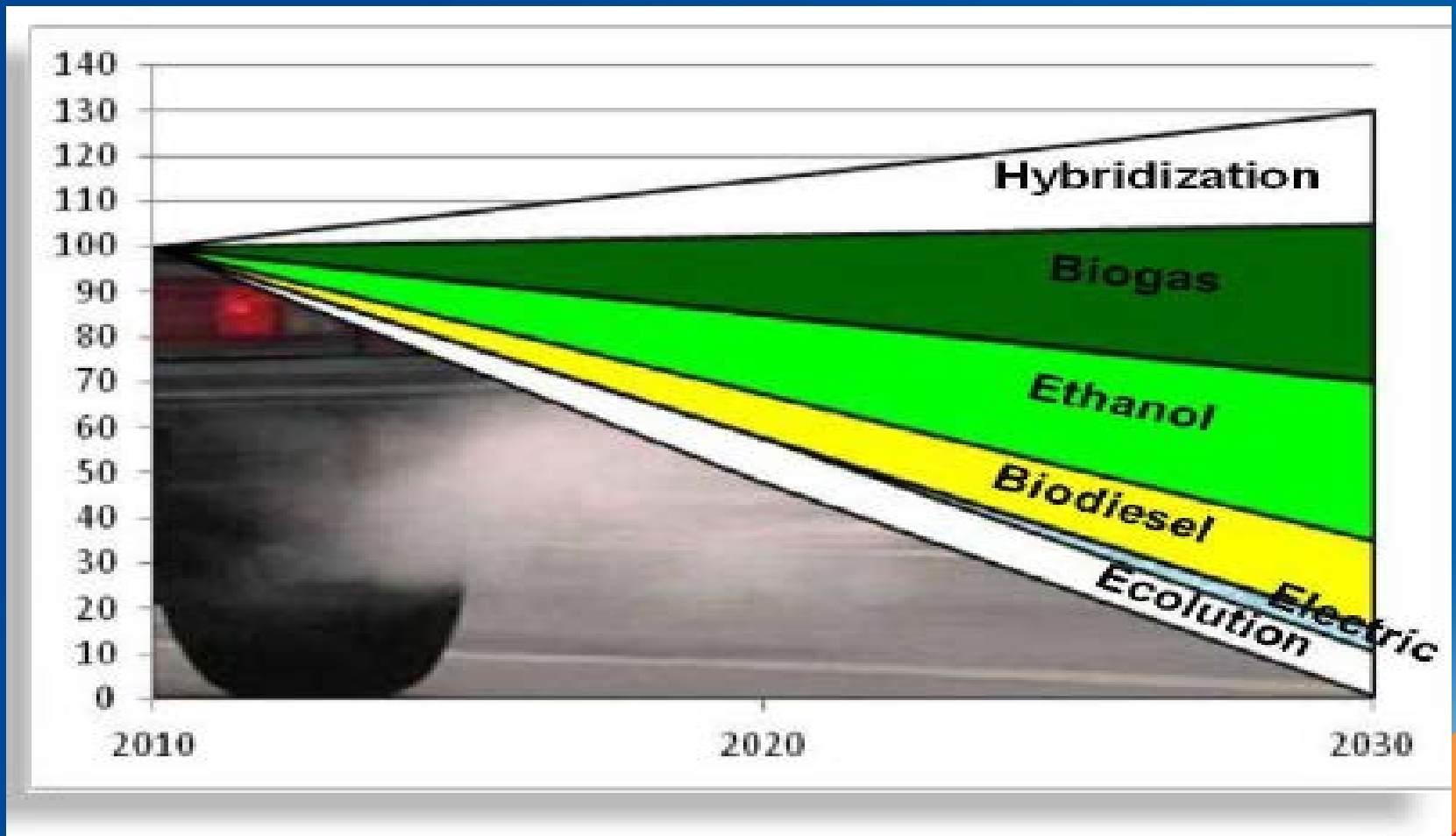


# Drivers for sustainable transport

Local energy security and the end of cheap oil..?



# Technology Blind



# HEV

## Hybrid Electric Vehicles

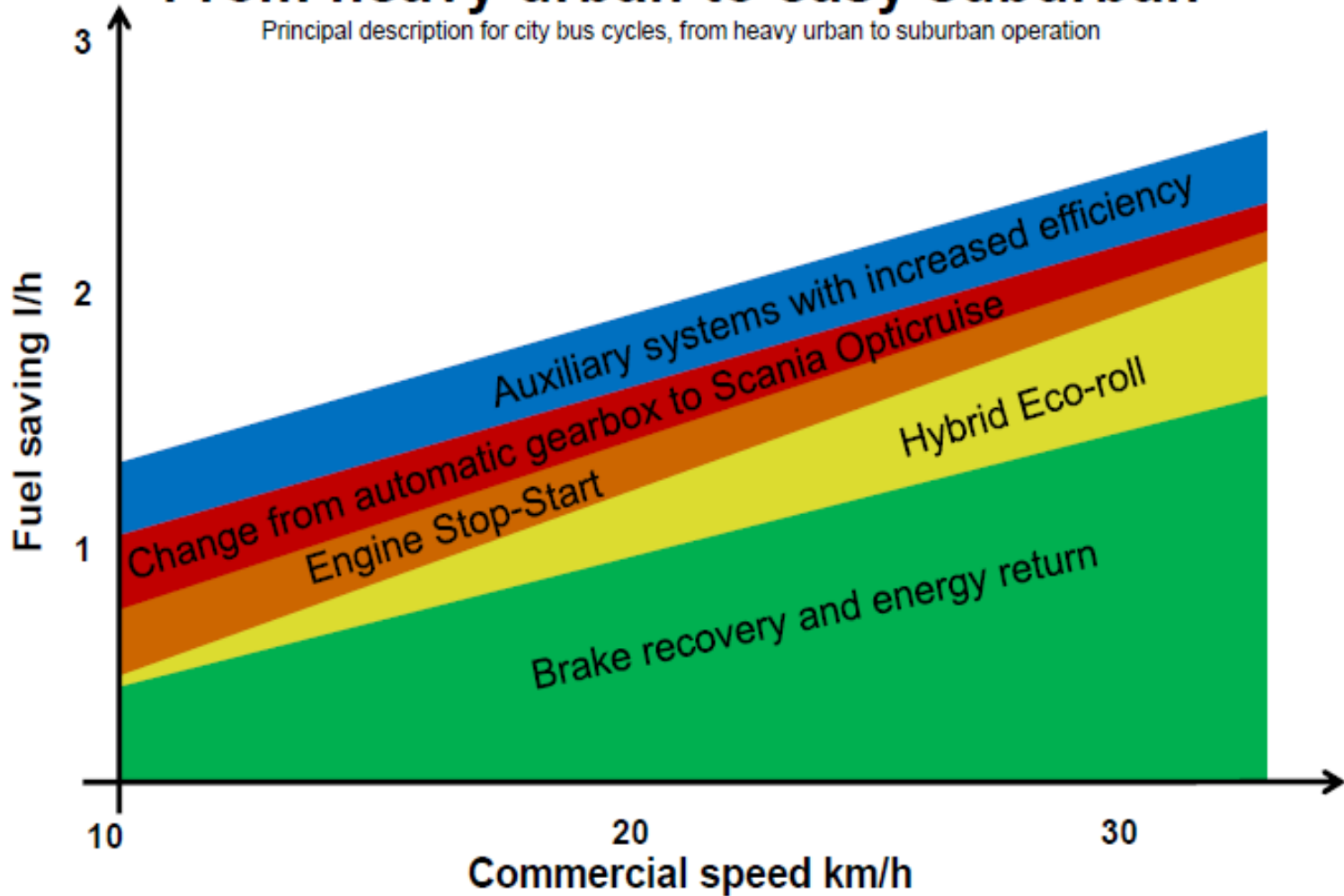
- Largest HEV fleet in UK 572
- Series and Parallel .  
ADL & Volvo
- Geo-fence capability
- Reliability
- Cost of ownership
- Commercially viable





# Fuel saving, HEV, for different bus drive cycles From heavy urban to easy suburban

Principal description for city bus cycles, from heavy urban to suburban operation



# BEV Bus

## Battery Electric Vehicle

- Operate 6 Buses in Inverness
- Range of 80 miles between charge
- Fast and slow charge
- Very reliable
- Cost of ownership
- Commercially viable

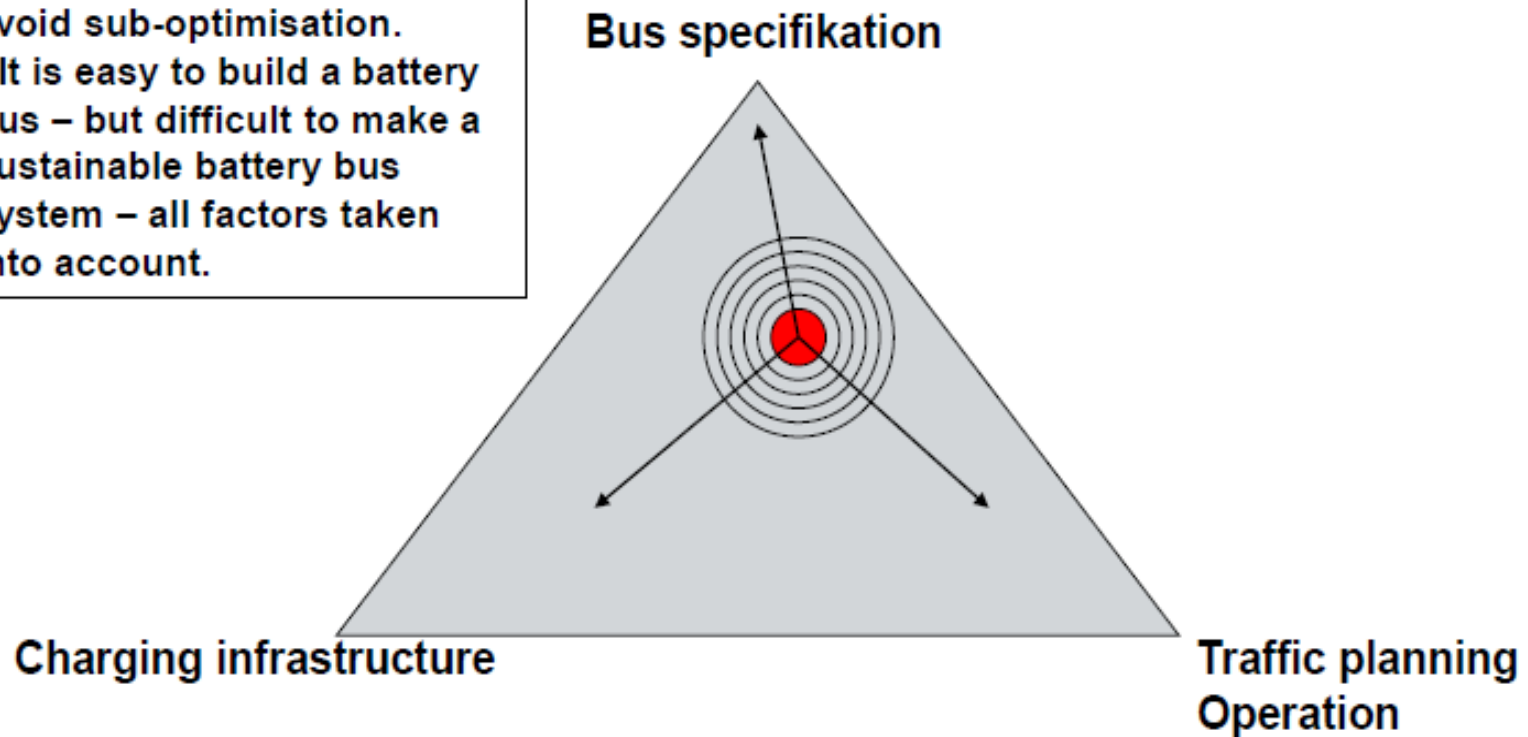






# Electrified bus systems must be optimised regarding cost, operation performance, infrastructure, service life, weight/pax-capacity...

- System view necessary to avoid sub-optimisation.
- It is easy to build a battery bus – but difficult to make a sustainable battery bus system – all factors taken into account.



# SOME OF THE TOP CHALLENGES FOR E-BUSES

## **Technical and Operational**

- Energy density vs Battery lifetime
- Operative range vs Flexibility of service
- Interoperability / Standardisation
- Connection to grid
- Depot changes (infrastructure, operation, safety, logistic...)
- New skills in operation and maintenance

## **Financial and Contractual**

- Cost of system elements (and who pay)
- Risk sharing between stakeholders
- Infrastructure ownership
- (System) Tender process and concession/contract duration
- Local Depreciation rules
- Energy provision conditions and costs

# Hydrogen Bus

- 6 buses operate in Aberdeen
- Partnership / EU Funded project
- Zero emissions
- Polymer Electrolyte Membrane Cell
- 1.1 million Euros each
- Cost of ownership











# Bio Methane Gasbus

- 40 buses operating UK
- Mains fast fill supply
- Bio Methane Grid injection
- Fuel delivery & supply
- Infrastructure costs

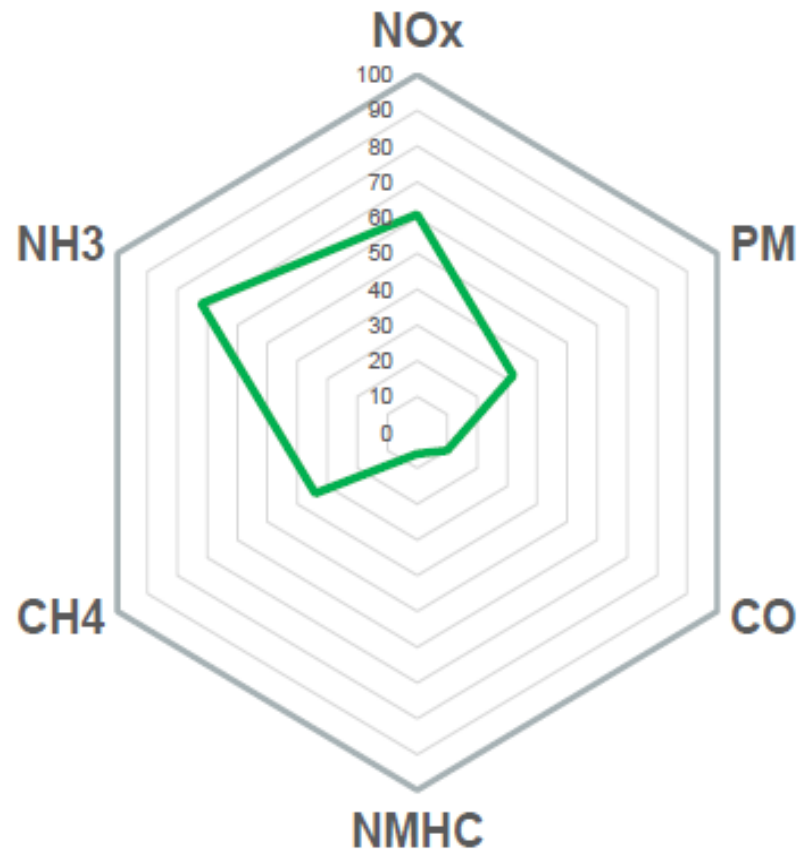






# Ultra-clean emissions - lower than Euro 6

— Euro 6 demand — Scania Euro 6 Gas

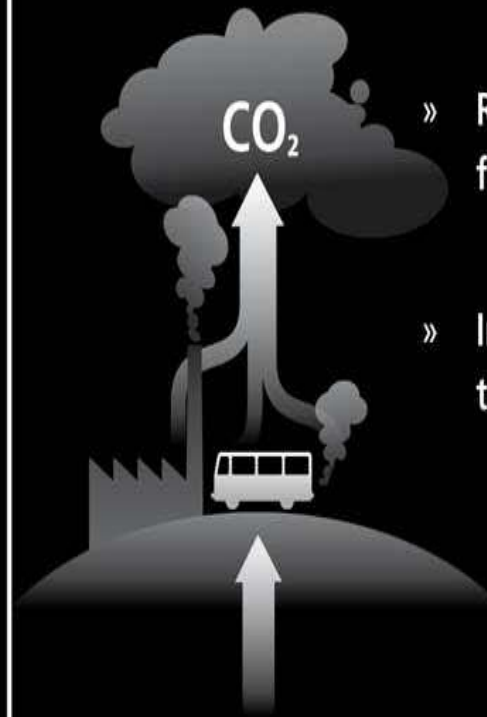


## RENEWABLE FUELS



- » Part of the natural carbon cycle
- » Do not contribute to a net increase of CO<sub>2</sub> in the atmosphere

## FOSSIL FUELS

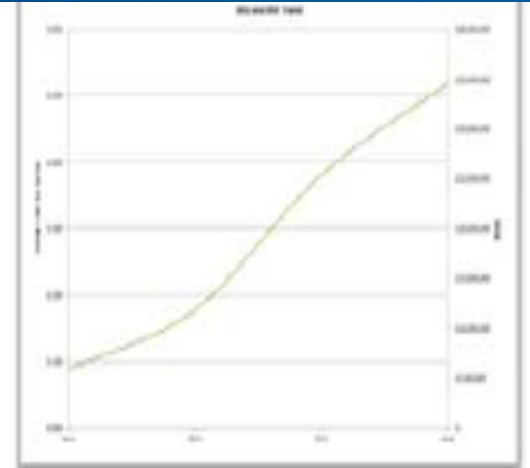


- » Release carbon from fossil deposits
- » Increase CO<sub>2</sub> levels in the atmosphere





- **Biogas production is increasing**
- **66% of all waste water plants produce biogas + 100 other biogas plants**
  - 0,6 TWh today and increasing
  - Similar to Swedish situation 10 years ago
  - Target: 10-20 TWh 2020
- **Incentives**
  - Biogas injection to the grid receives 7.1 p/kWh.
  - One of few fuels that fulfils the Renewable Transport Fuel Obligation (RTFO)



# Bio Diesel

- 7500 vehicles across UK
- Waste derived sustainable biodiesel
- Blend of UCOME and TME
- 80-85% carbon reduction RED
- High value blends (B20)





## Most biofuels are sustainable today

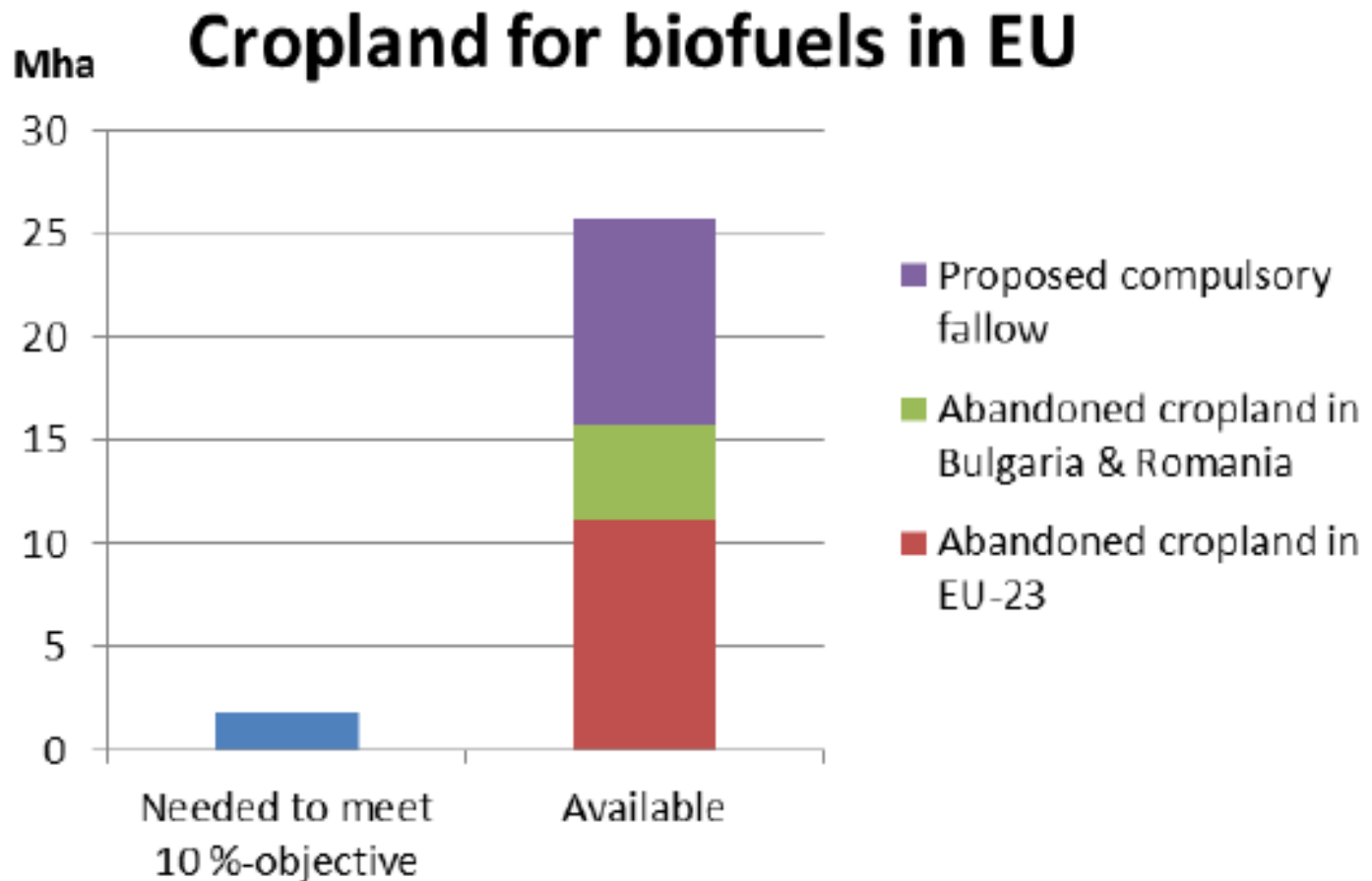
- There are both good and bad biofuels
- But today the market is strongly regulated by sustainability standards
  - EU regulation toughest
- Most biofuels are therefore sustainable today
- But oil is also becoming more and more unsustainable
  - Tar sand, deep sea, fracking...

Biofuel production pathway	Average GHG emission saving
Sugar beet ethanol	52%
Wheat ethanol, NG as process fuel	47%
Wheat ethanol, straw as fuel	69%
Sugar cane ethanol	71%
RME (Biodiesel)	38%
Waste oil FAME (Biodiesel)	83%
Biogas from organic waste	73%

**Sustainability verifications**

[From Annex V of the EU RED directive]

# .....is it sustainable



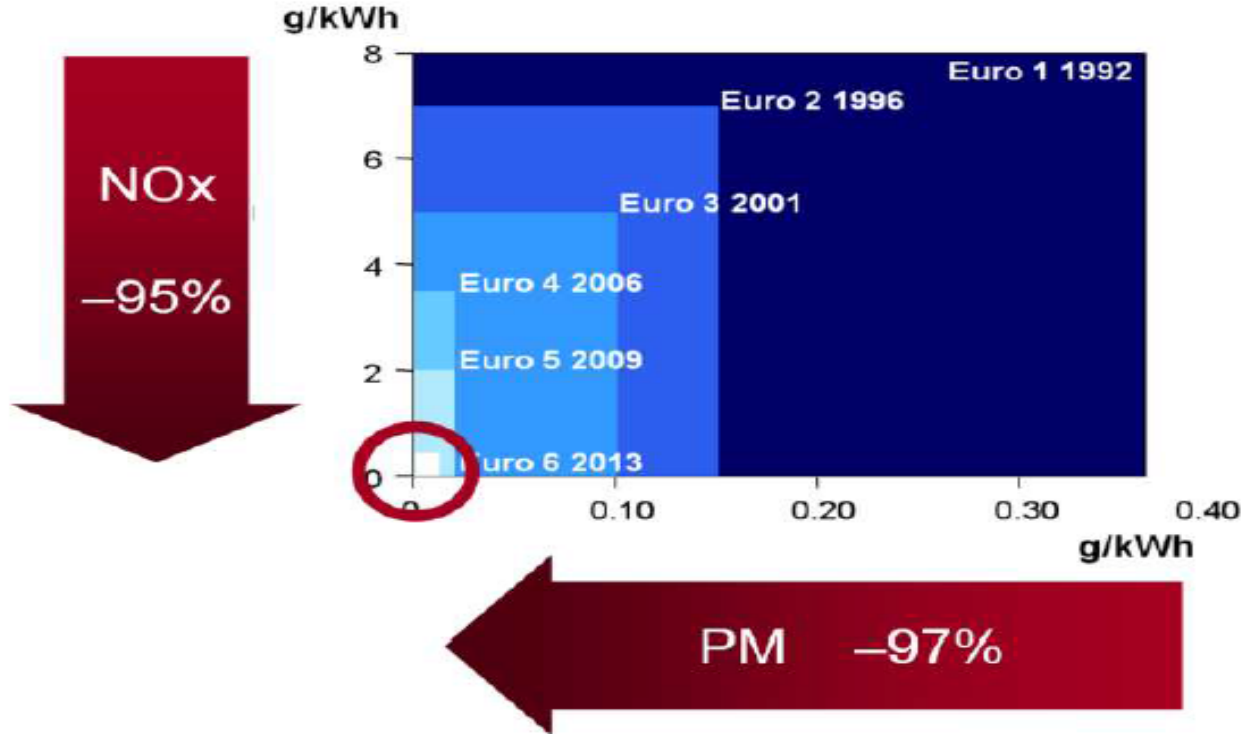




# Step Change Euro 6

## Local emissions

By implementing stricter emission regulations



## Climate Change and CO<sub>2</sub>

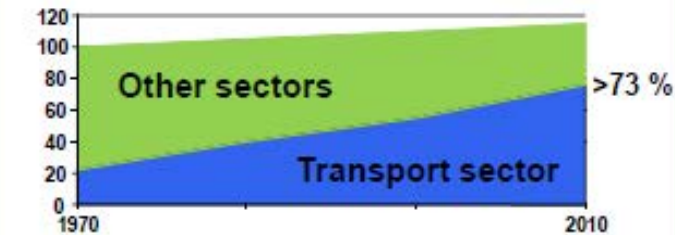


## Air Quality & Congestion



Are you part of the **problem?**  
Or part of the **solution?**

### Oil use in OECD



1970: Index 100



Source of data: EM-DAT - The OFDA/CRED International Disaster Database.  
Http://www.em-dat.net, UCL - Brussels, Belgium

# Challenges for cities

More people die from air pollution  
than from traffic accidents

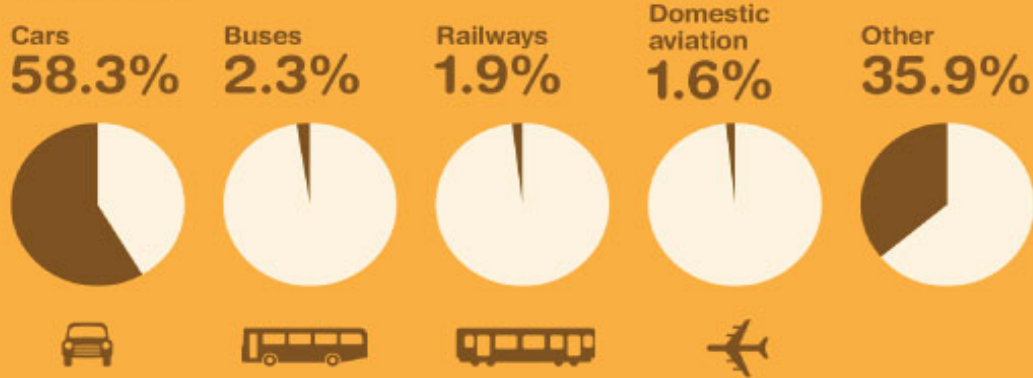




# GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS BY TRANSPORT MODE

## UK DOMESTIC TRANSPORT GHG EMISSIONS

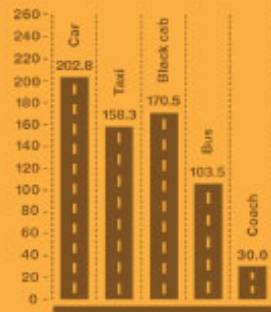
Percentage of total



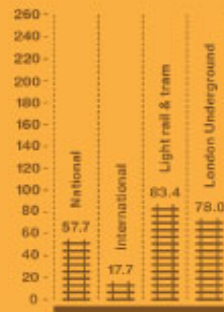
Source: National Atmospheric Emissions Inventory (IPCC categories) 2007. Other includes HGVs, vans, domestic shipping, mopeds and motor cycles.

## HOW GREEN IS YOUR JOURNEY?

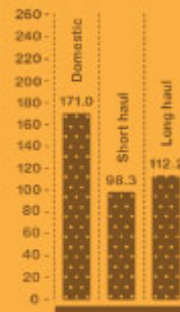
### Road (gCO<sub>2</sub> per passenger km)



### Rail (gCO<sub>2</sub> per passenger km)



### Aviation (gCO<sub>2</sub> per passenger km)



Source: 2009 Guidelines to Defra / DECC's GHG Conversion Factors for Company Reporting: Methodology Paper for Emission Factors (October 2009).

# BEFORE CLEAN VEHICLES





# AFTER CLEAN VEHICLES





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Aberdeen Heat and Power Ltd





# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P)



## SR Low Carbon Cities Conference Edinburgh

23<sup>rd</sup> February 2017



Aberdeen  
Heat & Power

Delivering Affordable Warmth .





# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P) Background

- In 2001 Council commissioned options appraisal of all 59 multi storey blocks (4,500 flats)
- Had electric storage or warm air heating
- 70% in fuel poverty
- Recommended install CHP in clusters of multistoreys
- Appointed a CHP Engineer through tendering process to work up a costed Feasibility Study for a cluster of multistoreys





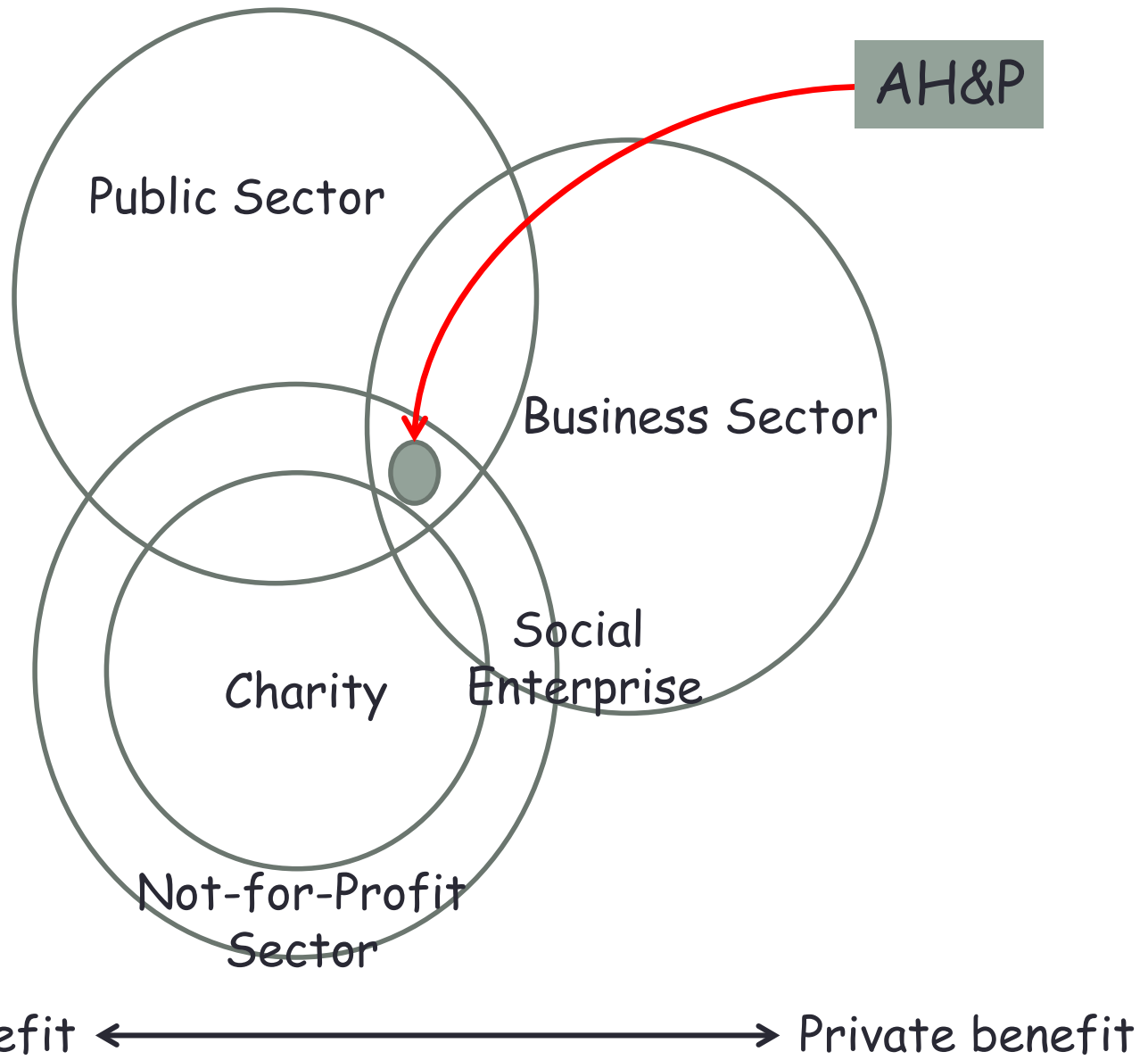
# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P) a not-for-profit model

- In 2002 the Council established Aberdeen Heat and Power
  - Independent - not-for-profit company,
  - limited by guarantee,
  - to develop and manage DH / CHP schemes "for the benefit of the people of Aberdeen"
- With the aims of:
  - Delivering affordable heat to hard to heat properties
  - Helping to alleviate fuel poverty
  - Reducing Aberdeen City Council's carbon footprint
  - Developing and managing combined heat and power district heating systems (CHP) in a strategic way in high heat density areas of Aberdeen





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# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P) Legal Agreements

- Framework Agreement between the Council and AH&P
- Then for each project:
  - Installation Agreement inclusive of project costs (although Council carry capital risk, AH&P must manage project costs within budget)
  - Licence to occupy land for energy centre and wayleave for underground services
  - Heat Supply Agreement
  - Maintenance Agreement





# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P)

## The Framework Agreement

- Council specifies buildings to which heat is to be delivered
- AH&P agree to procure, install, operate and maintain systems to facilitate provision of heat
- Supply period is to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2052
- AH&P warrants performance and delivery of heat, with plant operated to Good Industrial Practice
- Teckal Exemption - Council appoints AH&P to develop DH/CHP projects without tendering; AH&P must abide by public procurement procedures





# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P) Capex

- For housing full capital costs need to be covered
- If capital had to be borrowed the heat charge would increase  
and occupants would be back in fuel poverty
- To date full capital for the housing from combination of:
  - Housing Capital Programme - at approx same unit cost as low rise housing having electric changed to gas heating
  - Charge to owners for connections
  - Government grants - Community Energy Programme Grant (CEP) - from Scottish Government
  - Fuel utility grants - EEC, CERT, CESP, ECO

For public buildings used CEEF or Spend to Save.

Means AH&P has had no borrowing to repay on domestic connections  
Delivering Affordable Warmth .







# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P)

## Opex

- In 2015/16 turnover of £3.62 million; operating surplus of £538k; no overdraft but took out £1 million loan from Scot Gov in 2015 to purchase additional generator.
- Sources of income:
  - Sale of electricity 37%
  - Sale of heat to domestic customers 38%
  - Sale of heat to non-domestic customers 25%
- Costs:
  - Fuel - 75% of costs
  - Maintenance - 11% of costs
  - Overheads, inc staff, depreciation & rates - 14% of costs





# Progress thus far...?



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# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P)

## What we have achieved so far

- Of the 59 multis, 33 now provided with heating and hot water from CHP district heating schemes, plus 8 have communal gas heating designed to link into a wider heat network without needing any further internal works. None of the occupants of these 41 multis are now in fuel poverty
- 15 public buildings connected to the heat networks
- Development of an overall strategic plan for district heating across the high heat density areas of Aberdeen
- A reputation for delivering projects on time and on budget







Stockethill

2003-4





Stockethill

Hazlehead

2005-6





Seaton  
2006-8

Stockethill

Hazlehead





Stockethill

Seaton

Hazlehead





Stockethill

Hazlehead

City Centre

Seaton





2011-12

Seaton

2008-9

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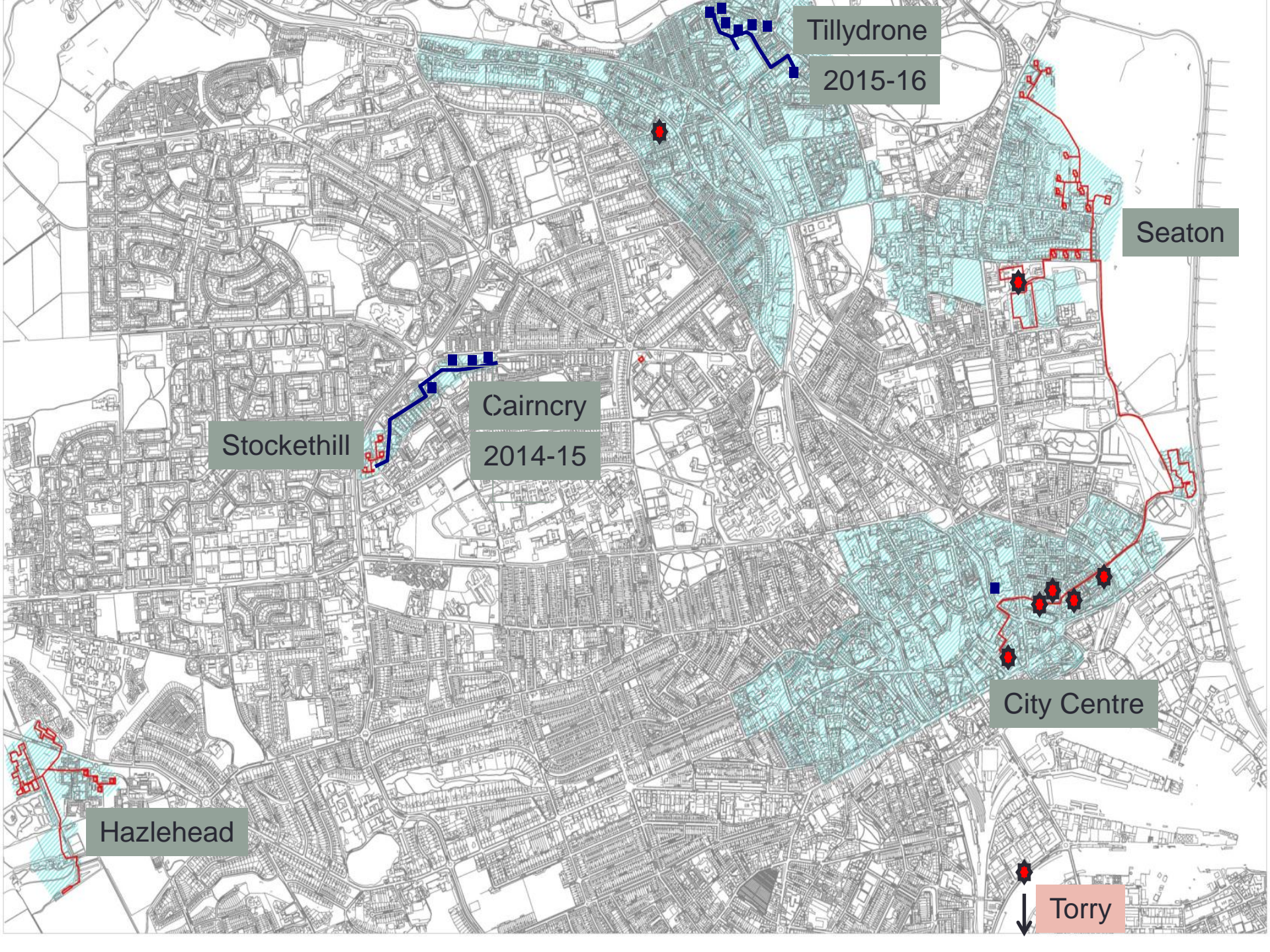
2012-13

City Centre

Hazlehead

Torry 2012-13





Tillydrone

2015-16

Seaton

Stockethill

Cairncry

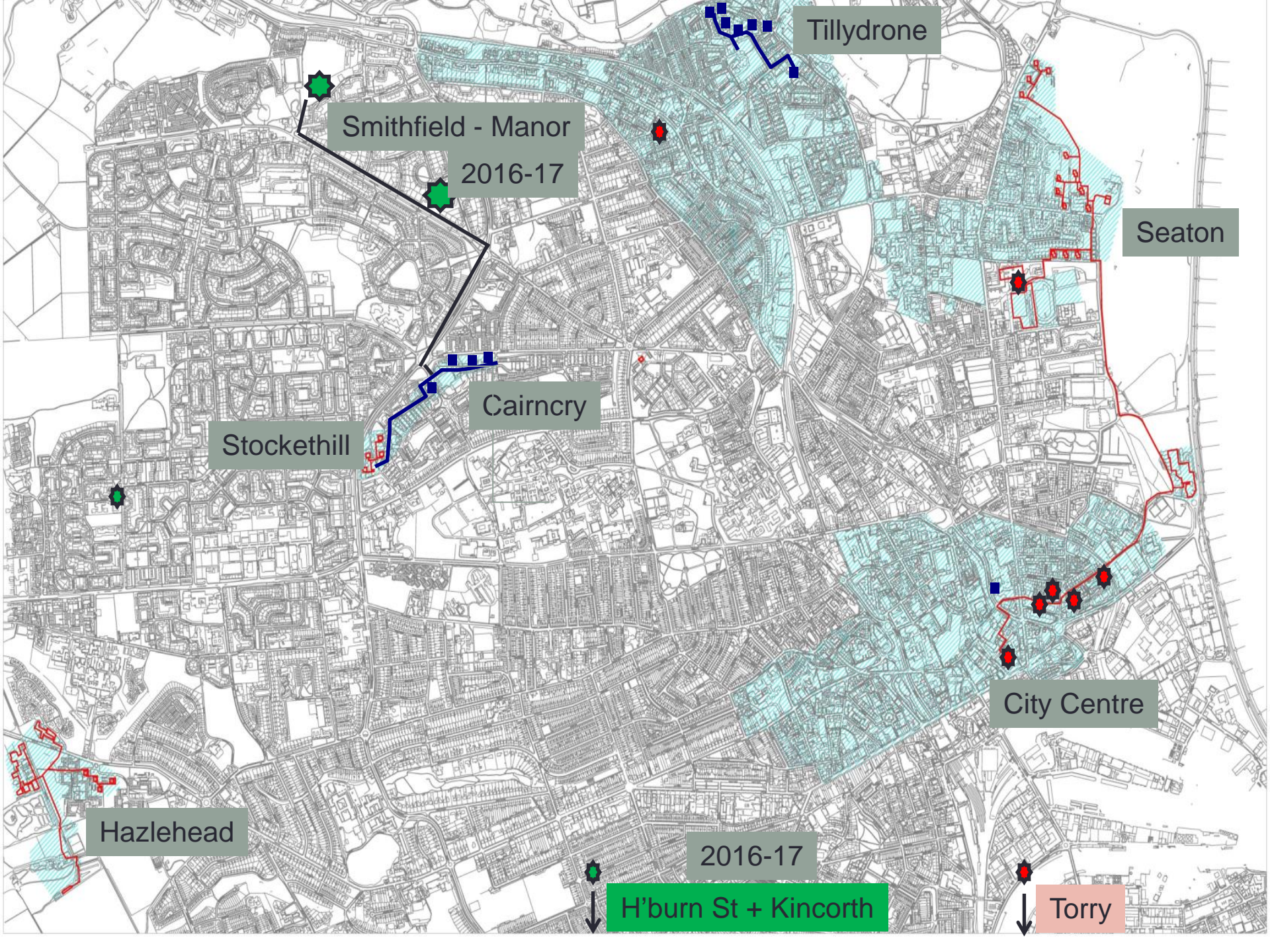
2014-15

City Centre

Hazlehead

Torry





Tillydrone

Smithfield - Manor

2016-17

Seaton

Cairncry

Stockethill

City Centre

Hazlehead

2016-17

H'burn St + Kincorth

Torry





# District Energy Aberdeen Ltd (DEAL)

- DEAL established in 2013 as a wholly owned subsidiary of AH&P
- Profits from DEAL returned to AH&P as parent company to:
  1. keep heat prices at affordable levels
  2. contribute to heat network extension



- AH&P is the Network Operator:
  - Retail heat supply to Council domestic, (including domestic owner / occupiers) and non-domestic premises
  - Private wire electricity supply to Council where applicable
  - Wholesale heat supply to DEAL



- DEAL is a retailer of:
  - Heat supply to non-Council, non domestic customers







# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P) So has the Business Model worked?



## Objective:

Tackle fuel poverty and provide affordable heat

## Actual:

Our 2015/16 weekly heat charge for a 2 bedroomed flat is £10.54

No-one connected to the CHP schemes is now in fuel poverty

Costs per household reduced by 20-50%



# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P) So has the Business Model worked?

## Objective:

Reduce carbon emissions

## Actual:

With existing gas fired CHP - carbon saving of 40% compared to electric heating;

Reviewing renewable technologies to "bolt on" the front end (e.g. EfW, Geothermal, large scale water source heat pumps, biofuels, hydrogen)





# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P) So has the Business Model worked?

## Objective

Strategic approach to development of district heating across high heat density areas of Aberdeen

## Actual

Desktop study to identify potential heat demand

Enabled future proofing of the network as we go

Future plan - multiple CHP stations around the City linked into one city-wide heat network







# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P)

## So has the Business Model worked?



### Improved standards of housing

- Multis are much warmer
- Reduced turnover
- Reduced damp
- Improvements in health
- Improvements in social conditions
- Much reduced level of complaints

### National and International Awards

- Environmental sustainability COSLA award 2008
- Global District Energy Climate excellence award 2013
- VIBES Product and Service award 2015



# Aberdeen Heat & Power (AH&P)

## So has the Business Model worked?

YES !

We are still meeting our original aims

and

we are a financially viable company





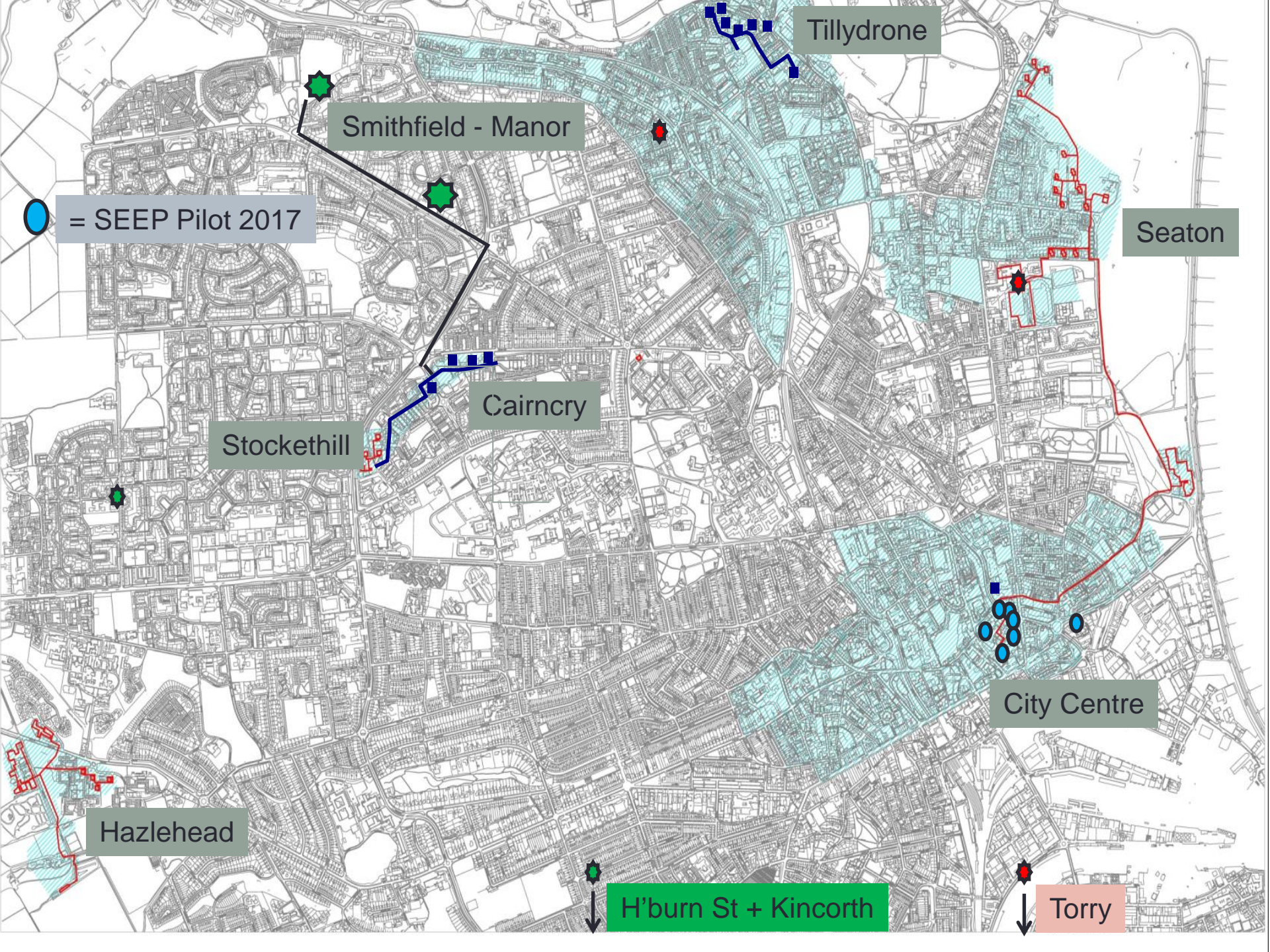
# Where next ...?



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 = SEEP Pilot 2017

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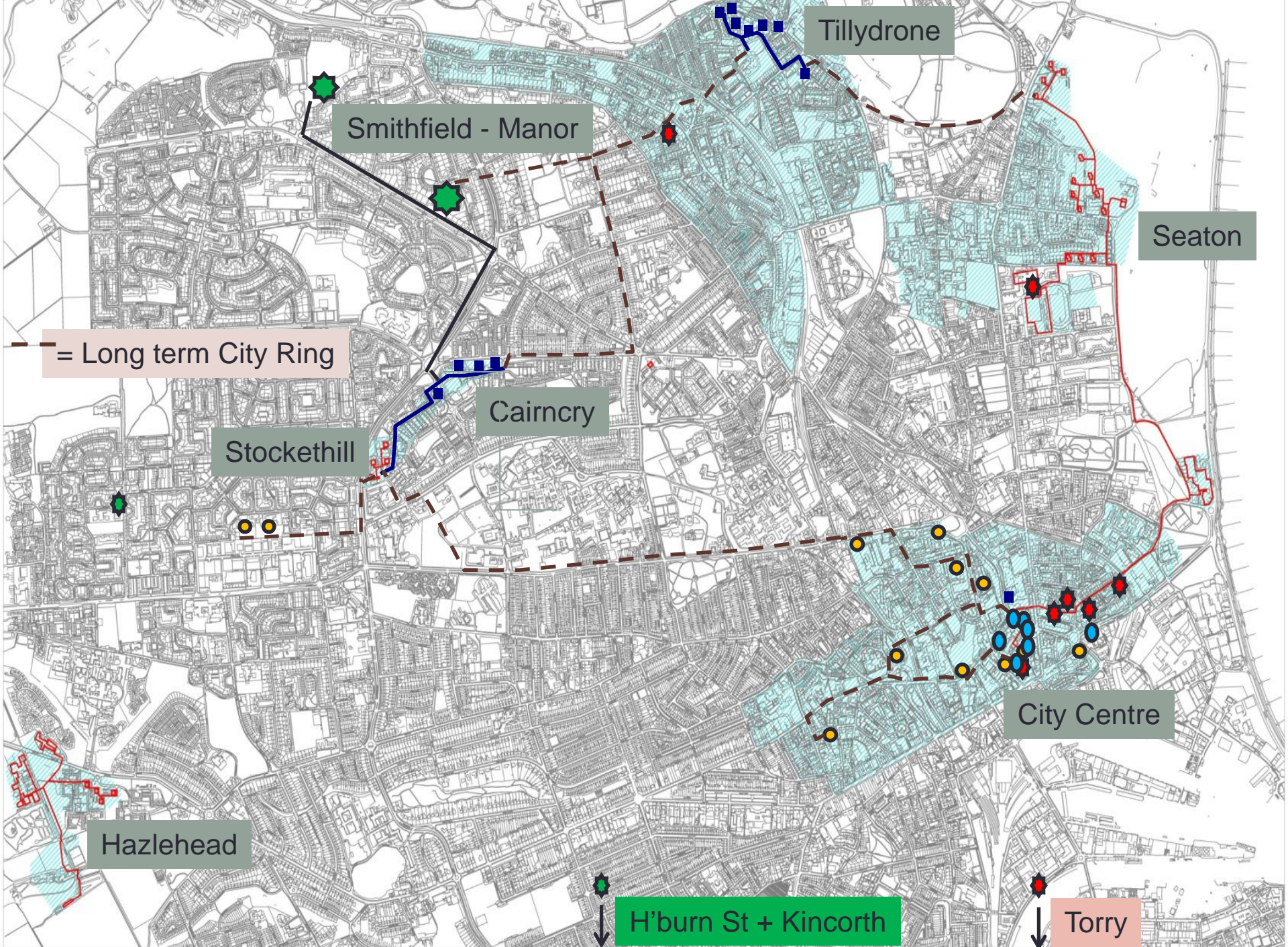
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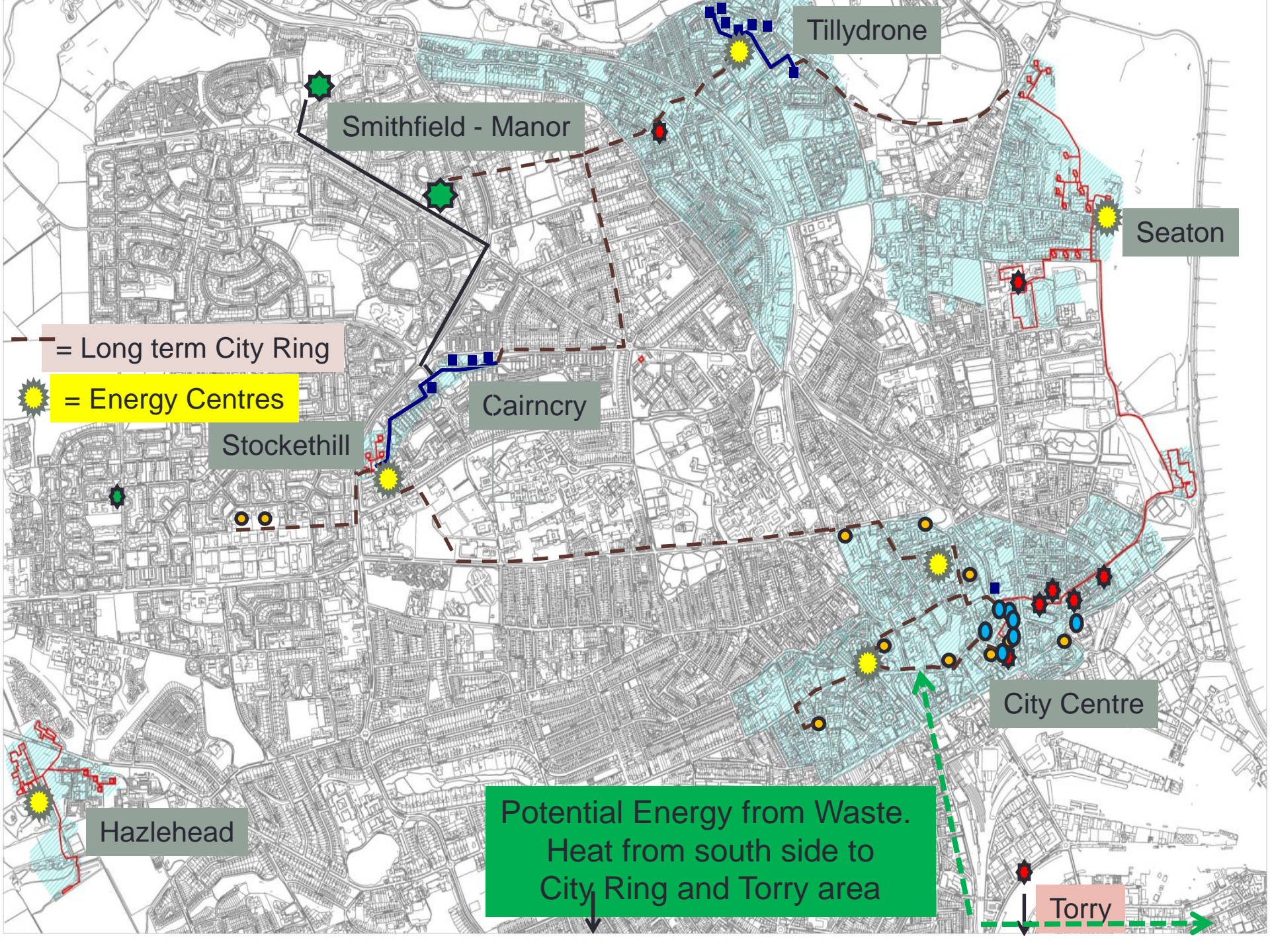












Tillydrone

Smithfield - Manor

Seaton

= Long term City Ring

= Energy Centres

Cairncry

Stockethill

Hazlehead

City Centre

Potential Energy from Waste.  
Heat from south side to  
City Ring and Torry area

Torry





# The Future.....

- New subsidiary company District Energy Aberdeen Ltd (DEAL) now set up as a heat retail arm to develop links to non-Council and non- Public Sector connections and identify infrastructure developments.
- Extend the DH network at a pace which is financially and practically viable. Make use of heat mapping and previous development work
- Consider funding for more new projects through the District Heating Loan Fund and other funding opportunities but mindful of the risks
- Build and sustain partnerships and agreements for future connections
- Multiple CHP stations around the City linked into one city-wide heat network
- Consider and review alternative heat source technologies that can be "bolted on the front end" (geothermal, water source heat pumps, absorption heat pumps, hydrogen derived technologies, solar, EfW, etc.)







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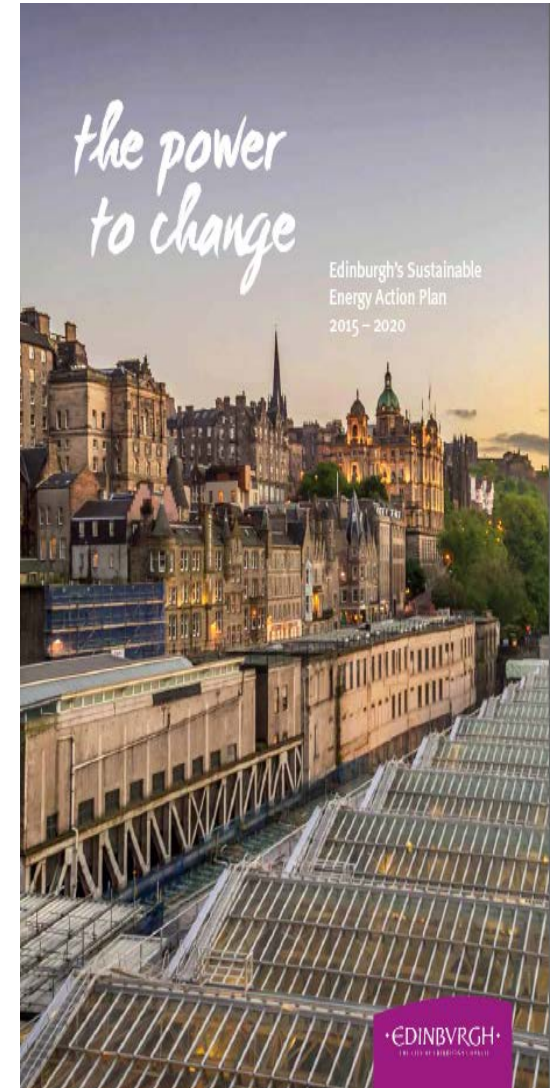
# Energy for Edinburgh / SEAP

**Cllr Adam McVey**  
**Vice Convenor Transport and Environment**  
**Committee**

**The City of Edinburgh Council**

# Edinburgh's SEAP

- The Sustainable Energy Action Plan is the key programme for energy and low carbon.
- Aim to reduce carbon emissions by 42% by 2020.
- Reduced carbon emissions by 26% since 2005.
- Over 120 projects in the programme.
- Identified over 80% of potential carbon reduction.





# SEAP: Five Programmes of Activity for a Low Carbon Transition



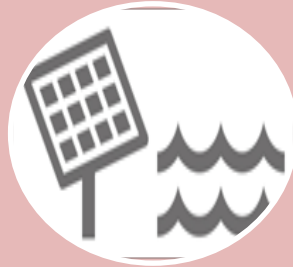
## Energy Efficiency

aiming to increase the energy efficiency of buildings and infrastructure such as street lighting



## District Heating

aiming to increase the use of heat networks across the city and create new networks



## Renewables

increasing the percentage of renewables used for both power and heat across the city



## Resource Efficiency

encouraging the more sustainable use of resources and waste by businesses and consumers



## Sustainable Transport

supporting more sustainable transport and cleaner, greener fuels

# Edinburgh's Energy Challenges – Future Development

- Population growth – 492,680 (2014) to 618,278 (2037)
- New housing a priority – 36,000 homes needed over the next 10-years
- Associated infrastructure upgrades (roads, street lighting etc.)
- All will lead to potential increases in consumption and travel





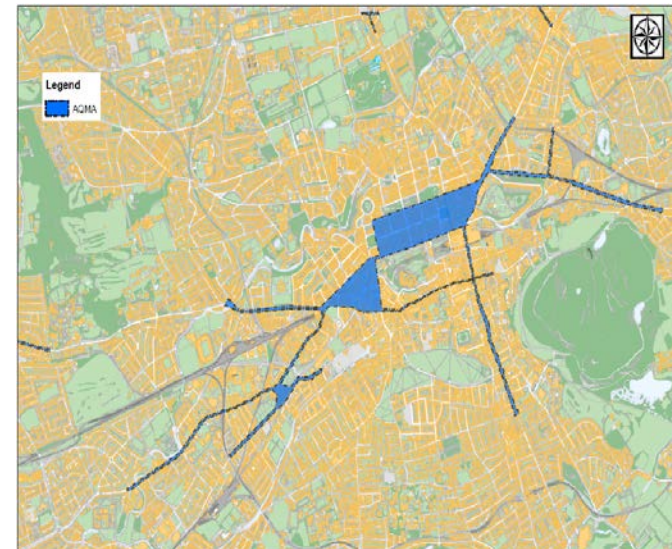
# Edinburgh's Energy Challenges – Existing Buildings

- Built environment – 235,000 homes, high percentage of tenements
- 65% of homes are flats (a quarter of which are pre 1919 stone tenements and 'hard to treat' properties)
- High percentage of rented flats (22% of homes) significant issues with fuel poverty and multiple ownership



# Edinburgh's Energy Challenges – Transport

- Transport CO2 emissions have risen from 2013-2014
- Four of the UK's worst traffic bottlenecks occur on the Edinburgh bypass
- Air Quality issues – 6 AQMAs now declared





# Edinburgh's Energy Opportunities

- Sustainable transport - Edinburgh has the highest share of travel to work in Scotland by foot, cycle and bus, and the highest share in the UK for bus – the challenge is to build on this trend
- Low carbon infrastructure and technology – the move to a low carbon city creates opportunities for low carbon solutions and for trialling new technologies (for retrofitting and new build properties)



# Edinburgh's Energy Opportunities

- Behaviour change – encouraging consumers and employees to reduce and change their patterns of energy use and travel could make a significant contribution reducing carbon emissions
- Decentralised energy systems could make a significant contribution to supplying Edinburgh's energy needs and reducing carbon emissions from its buildings





# Delivery Mechanisms: Energy for Edinburgh (ESCO)

- New Energy Services Company set up in November 2016
- To deliver large scale, strategic energy projects that will help to support the delivery of the SEAP
- Eight Directors
- Four Objectives:
  - reduce carbon emissions;
  - deliver affordable energy (in particular address fuel poverty;)
  - encourage wider community benefits;
  - generate income.
- Strategic energy remit – EE, renewables, DH, EV

# Energy for Edinburgh – Key activity to date

- Identifying key energy projects that align with the ESCo's aims and objectives.
- A shortlist of 10 energy projects were selected to be looked at in more detail.
- District Heating Position Statement in development
- 3 evidence gathering sessions with housing developers and district heating operators and contractors – to explore what role the ESCo should take in supporting district heating



# District Heating – Key ESCo Opportunity

- Mix of small and medium scale schemes across the City.
- 550 Council tenants currently connected to DH and/or communal schemes.
- Largest Schemes from the University of Edinburgh - four schemes (fifth in development)
- Projects being developed at Bioquarter, Fountainbridge and Leith
- Ongoing discussions with private sector developers, including West Edinburgh, Leith.

West Edinburgh:  
Consultants Ramboll  
2-5MW scheme  
Carbon savings:  
**5-12,000**  
tonnes carbon per annum



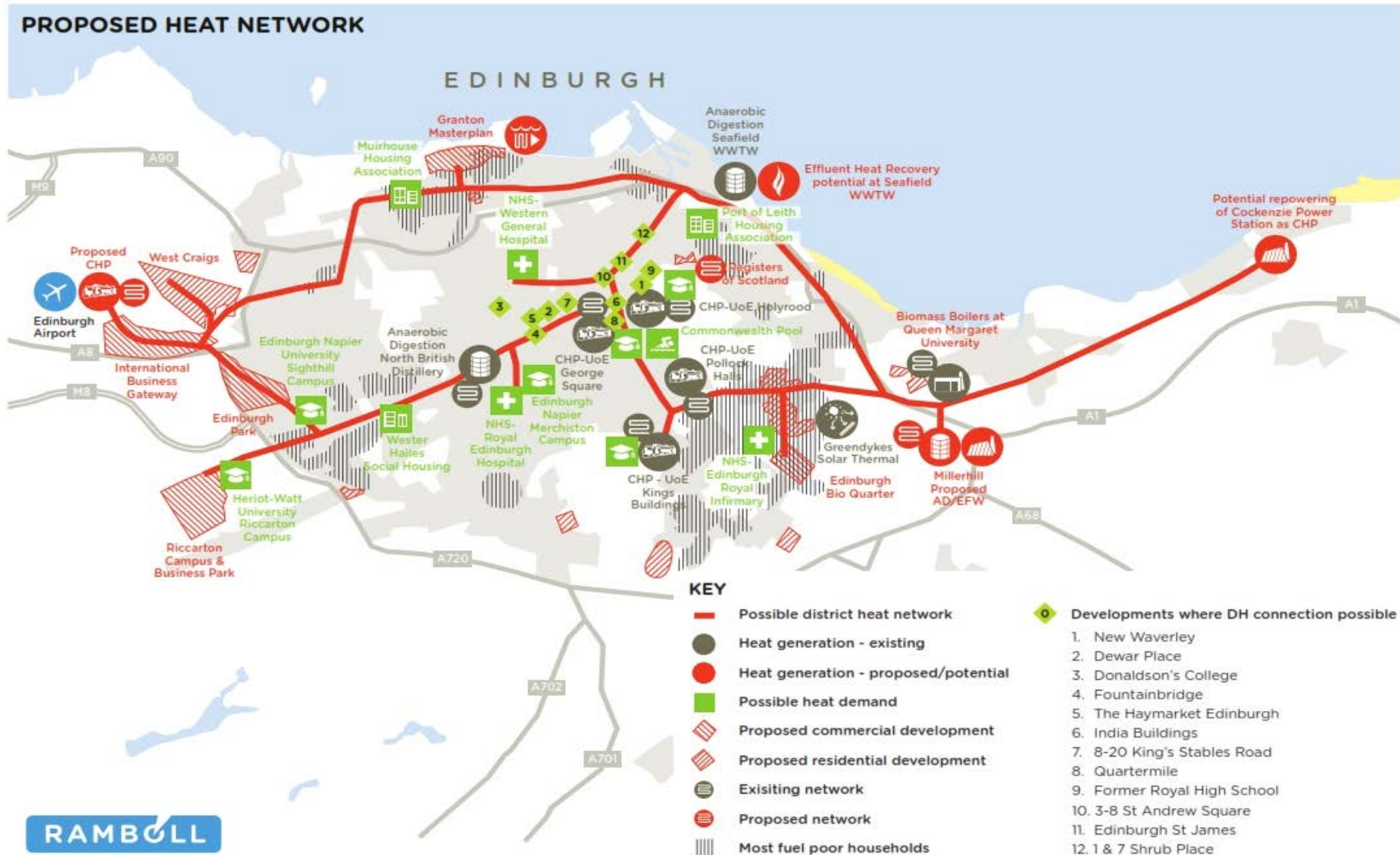
Fountainbridge:  
Consultants Aecom  
10MW scheme  
Carbon savings:  
**4,700**  
tonnes carbon per annum



BioQuarter:  
Consultants Ramboll  
4MW scheme  
Carbon savings:  
**5,780**  
tonnes carbon per annum



# District Heating Strategy For Edinburgh



# District Heating role for the ESCo

- Following the sessions with developers and the DH contractors / operators the key potential roles identified for the ESCo, included:
  1. To contribute to an overarching strategy or city wide plan.
  2. A managing agent or facilitator role to provide support to developers.
  3. Acting as the pipe network infrastructure owner



# Energy for Edinburgh – Development of solar PV

- Feasibility study for solar PV canopies and battery storage at two Park & Ride sites is currently being progressed.



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## Plenary 3

**Sara Thiam**, ICE Scotland and Low Carbon Infrastructure Task Force

### Speakers

**Sue Kearns**, Scottish Government

**Rory Shanahan**, The Carbon Trust

**Amy Braddick**, Scottish Cities Alliance

**Alastair Brown**, Stirling Council

**Rob Pedersen**, Dundee City Council



**Sue Kearns**  
Head of Energy Deployment  
Scottish Government



# Scottish Energy Strategy:

## The future of energy in Scotland

Sue Kearns,  
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## Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009 2009 asp 12

### CONTENTS

#### PART 1 EMISSIONS REDUCTION TARGETS *The 2050 target*

DRAFT CLIMATE CHANGE PLAN  
The draft third report on policies  
and proposals 2017-2032  
January 2017

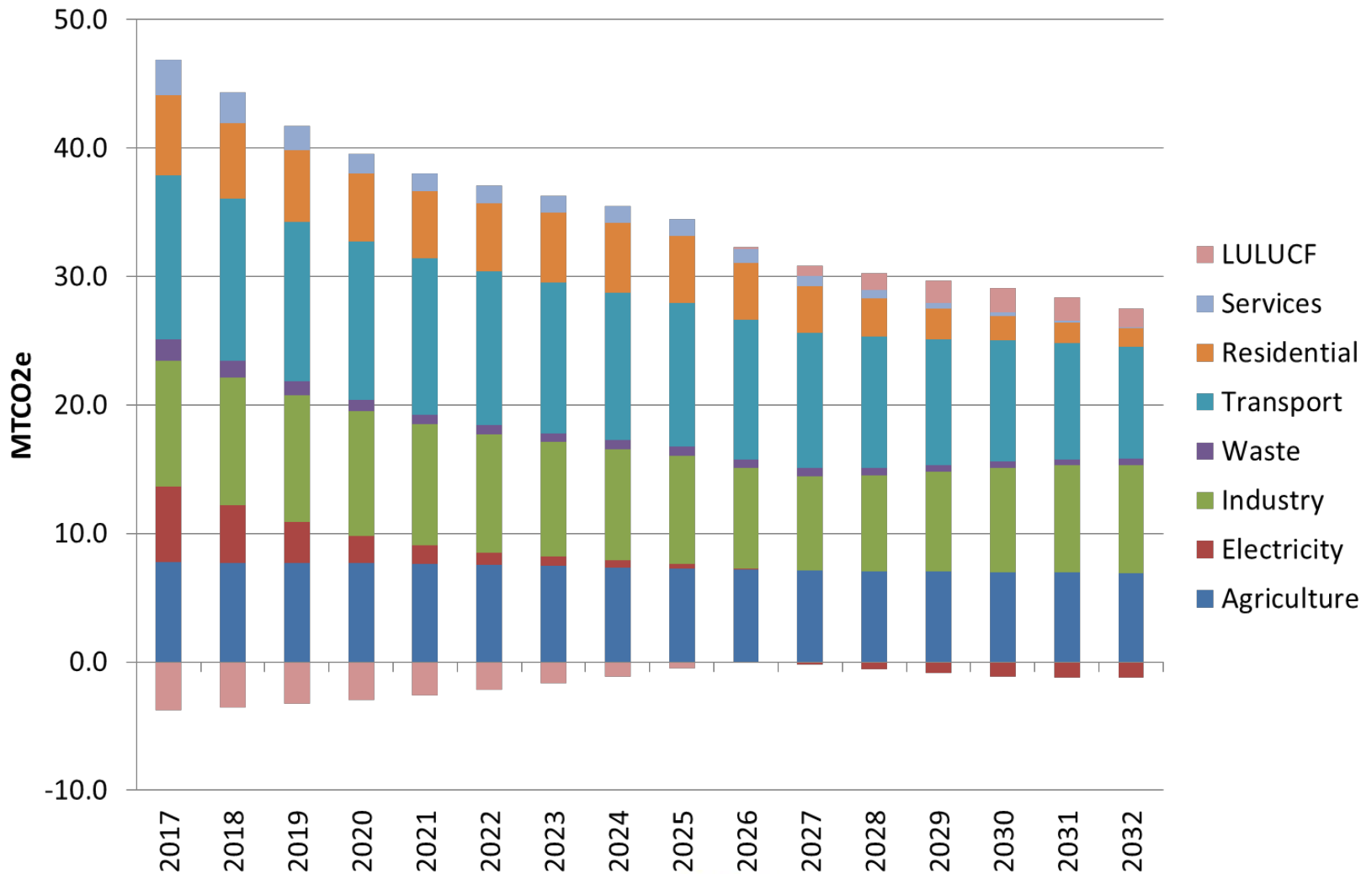


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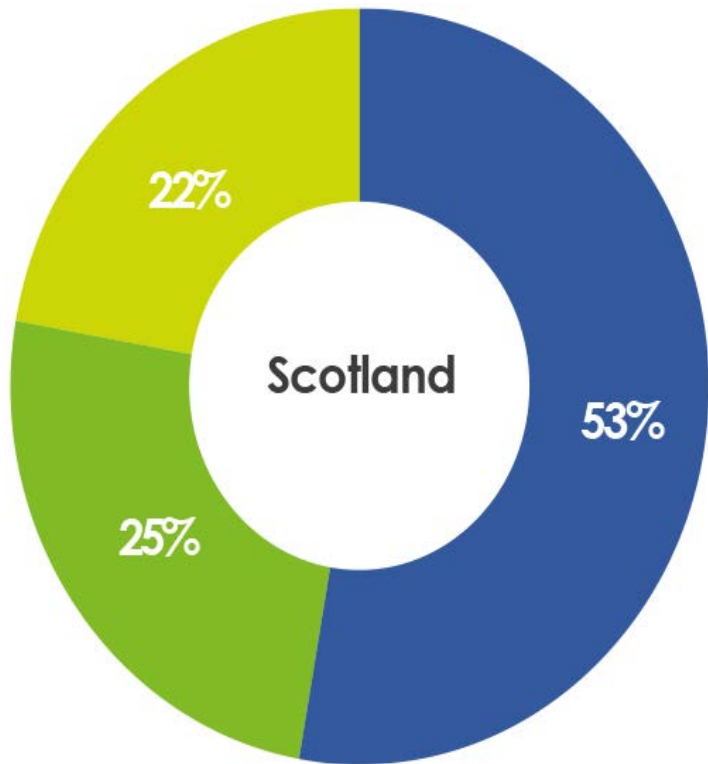




## Draft Climate Change Plan

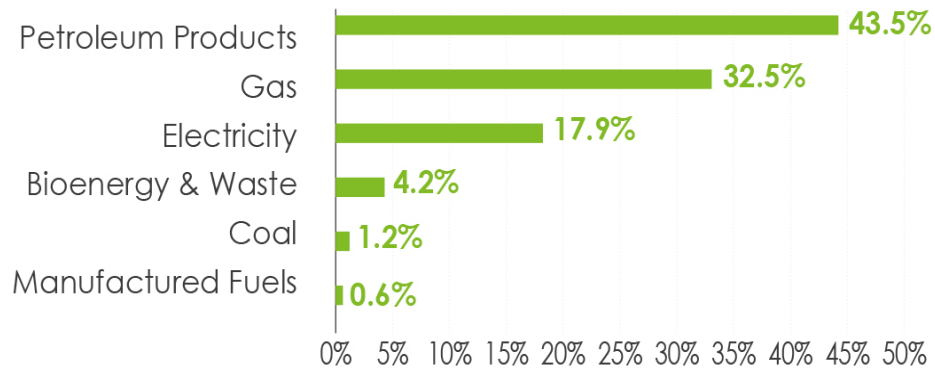


## Final energy consumption



Heat | Electricity | Transport

## Energy consumption by fuel type





## **'Whole-system' view**

- Economic modelling, informing view of Scotland's future energy supply and demand
- Integrated approach to heat, power and transport
- New 50% 'all energy' 2030 renewables target
- Renewed focus on energy efficiency and demand reduction

## **Stable energy transition**



- Long-term plan, consistent with Climate Change (Scotland) Act
- Flexible to future changes in technology and patterns of energy use
- Managed transition of energy supply, considering our strategic energy sites after the safe closure of nuclear facilities

## **A smarter model of local energy provision**



- Encouraging new localised models of energy supply and use
- Enhanced role for local planning and local ownership
- New economic opportunities of energy storage and 'smart' energy solutions





# National Infrastructure Priority for Energy Efficiency:

## Scotland's Energy Efficiency Programme



## 2050 Vision

***Scotland's buildings are near zero carbon by 2050 and this is achieved in a way that is socially and economically sustainable.***

### Aim

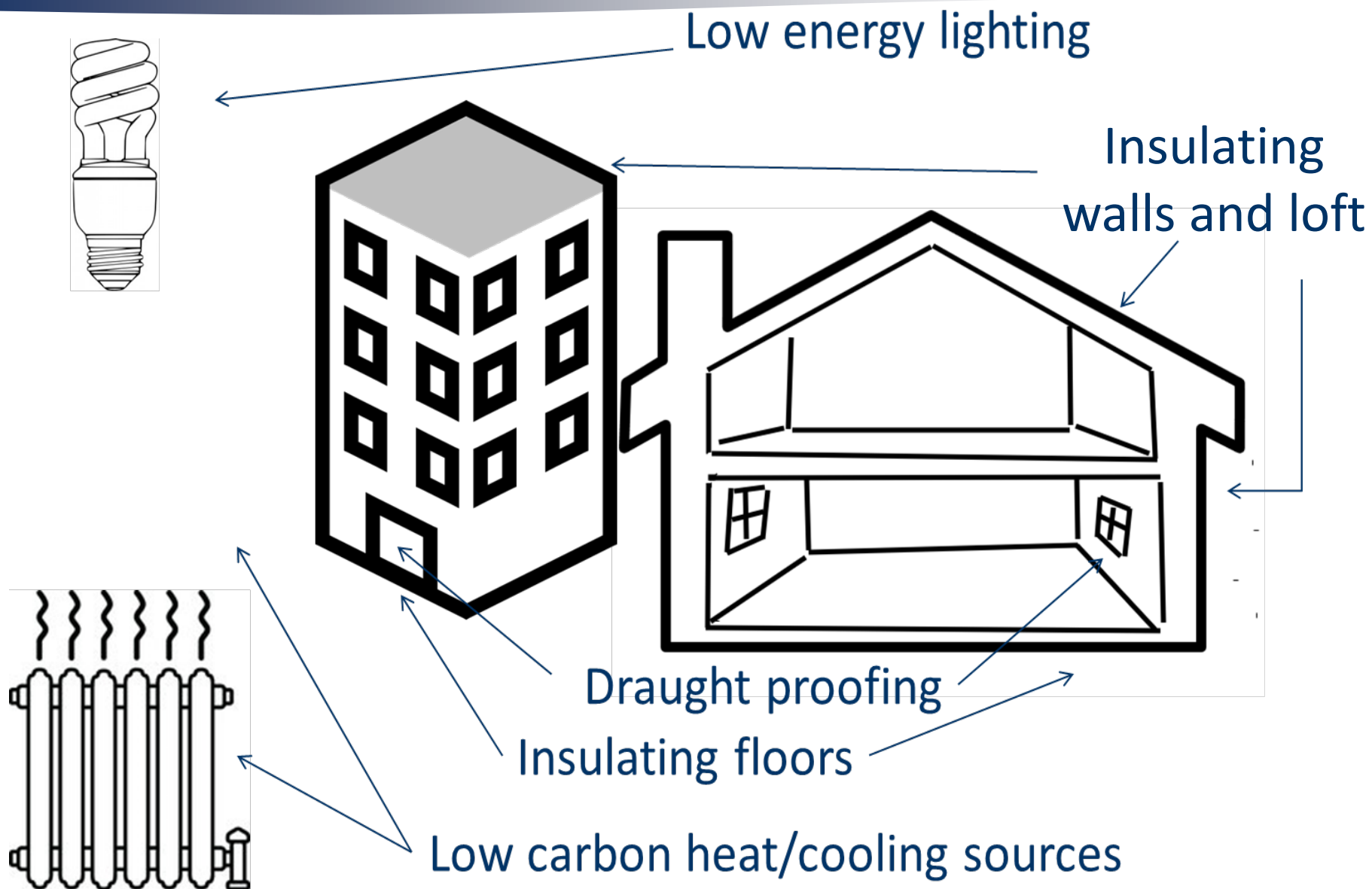
Scotland's Energy Efficiency Programme aims to reduce the energy demand and decarbonise the heating of Scotland's built environment in a way that is socially and economically sustainable.

### Objectives

- By 2030 94% of non-domestic buildings' and 80% of domestic buildings' heat is supplied using low carbon heat technologies
- Improvements to the fabric of Scotland's non-domestic buildings result in a 10% reduction, and Scotland's domestic buildings results in a 6% reduction, in their heat demand by 2032.

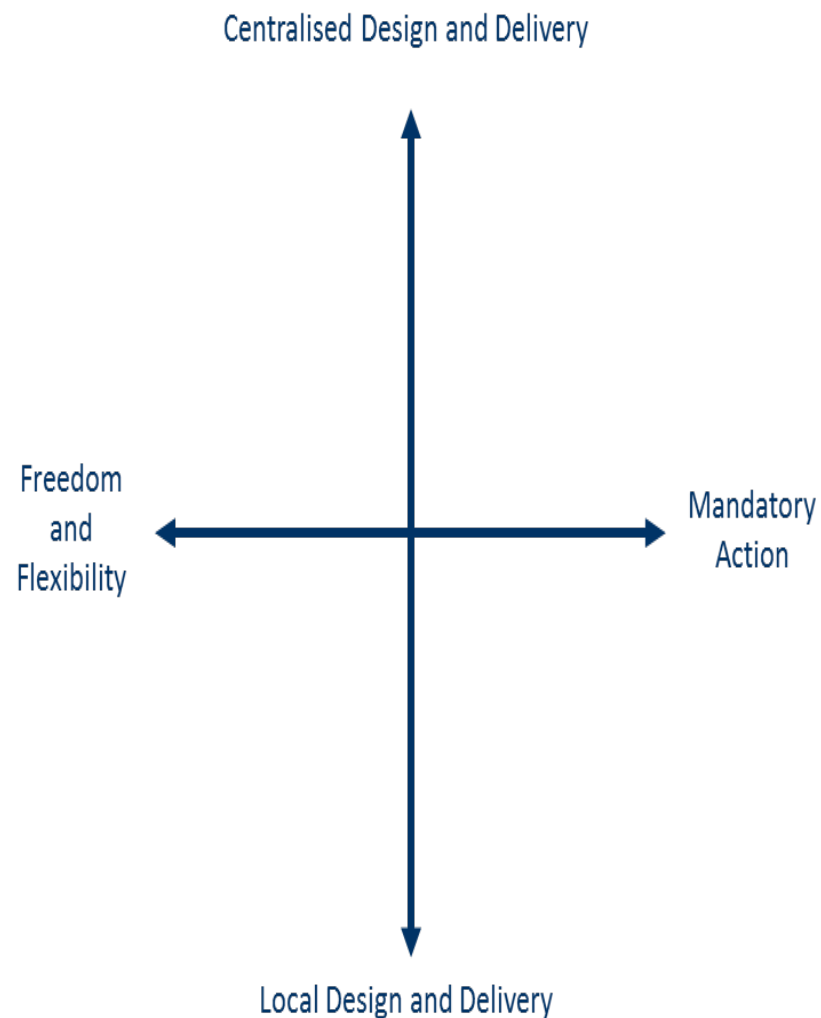


In practice this means:





- the role of regulation, standards and financial incentives
- what are appropriate levels and sources of funding
- the provision of advice, information and consumer protection
- how to establish and sustain trusted supply chains
- the nature of programme delivery
- the balance between local and national responsibilities



Building Blocks  
of Programme  
Delivery

LHEES

Heat  
Decarbonisation

Hard-to-treat  
Properties

Sector-specific  
Projects

## Application Process

**Stage 1:** Expression of Interest

**Stage 2:** Detailed Application

## Indicative Timescales

**Call Issued:** 14 February

**Workshop:** 17 February

**Stage 1 Deadline:** 31 March

## Support

**Q&A:** Online

**Email:** [SEEP@gov.scot](mailto:SEEP@gov.scot)



# Local Heat & Energy Efficiency Strategies and

## District Heating Regulations





- We are **currently consulting**, alongside the Energy Strategy, on options for Regulation of district heating and Local Heat & Energy Efficiency Strategies (LHEES)
  - to help meet SEEP heat decarbonisation objectives through more district heating
  - to help ensure a coordinated, phased, area-based approach by local authorities to delivering SEEP's objectives
- This is a **high level policy scoping consultation** that seeks views and further evidence.
- It **sets out broad scenarios**, based on the recommendations from the Special Working Group on District Heating.



We propose that a new regulatory framework for heat and energy efficiency strategies, and for regulation of district heating, should focus on 2 key areas. These are:

**A.** that local authorities are required to create local heat and energy efficiency strategies (LHEESs) to support the delivery of heat decarbonisation and energy efficiency objectives of Scotland's Energy Efficiency Programme (SEEP); and

**B.** that regulation be put in place to specifically support the development of district heating, including provisions for zoning of areas for heat networks, connecting users and surplus heat loads, technical standards and consumer protection.



**The draft Climate Change Plan** undergoing parliamentary scrutiny.

**The draft Energy Strategy** is open for public consultation until 30 May;

- ❖ **Onshore Wind Policy Statement** (30 May);
- ❖ **Scotland's Energy Efficiency Programme** (30 May);
- ❖ **Local Heat and Energy Efficiency Strategies and District Heat Regulation** (18 April);
- ❖ **Unconventional Oil and Gas: Talking 'Fracking'** (31 May)

<https://consult.scotland.gov.uk/energy-and-climate-change-directorate/draft-energy-strategy/>





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Energy Consultant  
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# Low Carbon Cities & Opportunities for the Scottish Public Sector

Rory Shanahan, 22<sup>nd</sup> February

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# Carbon Trust - Low Carbon Cities



<https://www.carbontrust.com/low-carbon-cities/the-programme/>

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## The Carbon Trust's Low Carbon Cities Programme

Supporting states, cities and regions in developing area-wide carbon reduction strategies

**Step 1 - Mobilise City Stakeholders**

**Step 2 - City-Wide State of Play Audit**

**Step 3 - Identify City-Wide Opportunities**

**Step 4 - Develop City Strategy**

**Step 5 - Implement and Review**

For over ten years the Carbon Trust has been developing and fine tuning its approach to the delivery of significant carbon, resource and financial savings through transformational sustainable city strategies. Our vision is that of collaborative area-wide carbon reduction strategies led by city-governments or states, championed by the public sector, actively supported by the private sector and owned by the entire community. Smart cities must also be sustainable cities in order to prosper in the long term.

### The Low Carbon Cities model

Cities have a huge impact on carbon emissions, because of the numbers of people who live and work in them, and because of the example they can set. Proactive cities like London have demonstrated that where governing bodies use their influence imaginatively they can have a very significant effect on reducing city-wide carbon emissions, even beyond their spheres of direct control. The Low Carbon Cities Programme emulates and extends this approach, making it a model for all cities, towns, and indeed local authorities, to utilise.



# Carbon Trust - Low Carbon Cities

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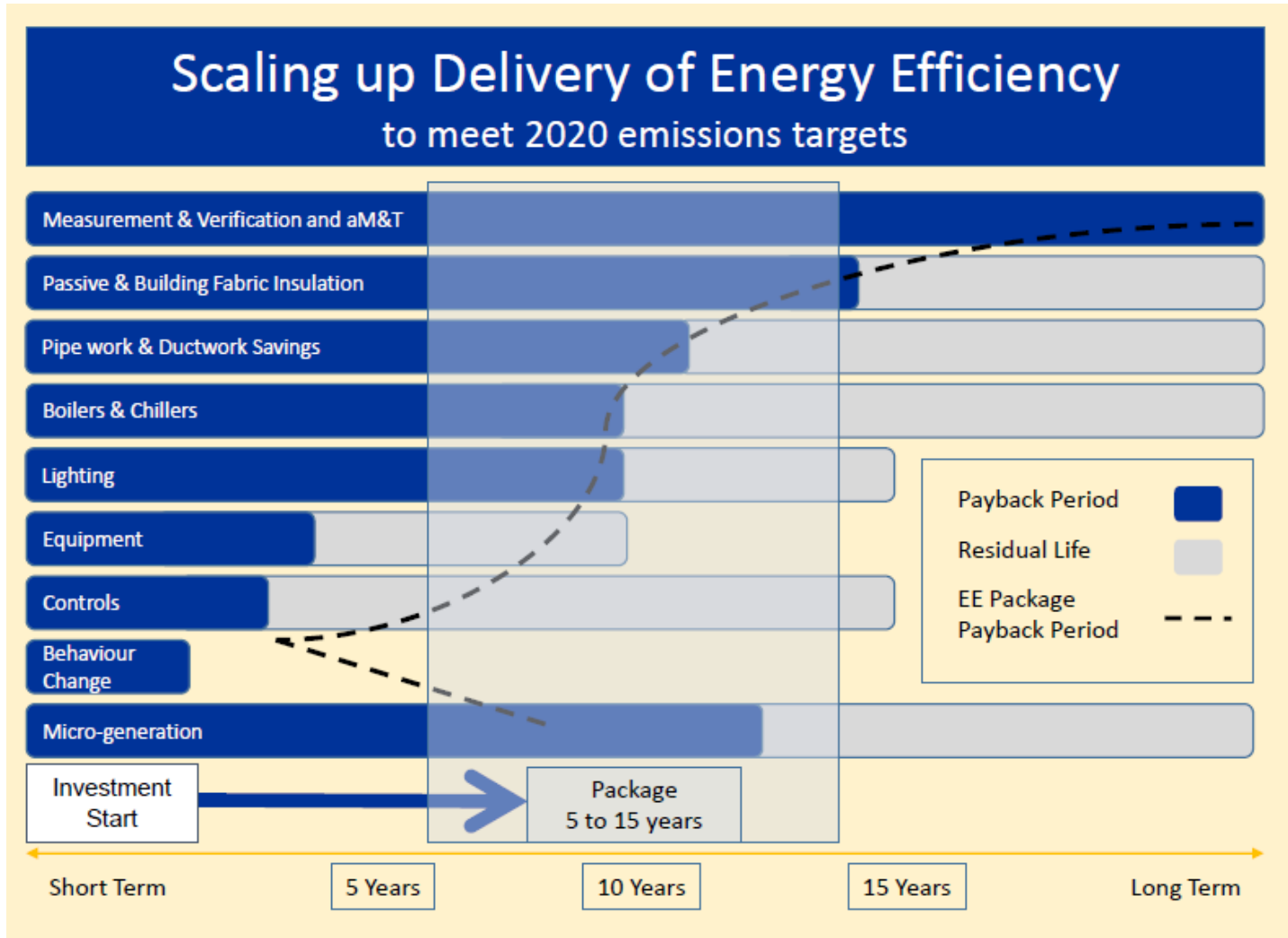
# Opportunities for the Scottish Public Sector to **lead by example**



# The Non Domestic Energy Efficiency (NDEE) Framework for the Scottish Public Sector







## How Does it Work?

- The NDEE Framework is based on an Energy Performance Contract (EnPC) with a performance guarantee which can be delivered on the basis of any of the following models:
  1. Design and build;
  2. Design, build and operate;
  3. Design, build, operate, finance; or
  4. Design, build, operate, finance and maintain

## How Does it Work?

The Framework and associated EnPC model therefore provides public bodies in Scotland with opportunities for:

- › Economies of scale and a robust, standardised approach
- › Step change in carbon reduction and major energy cost savings, with Guaranteed Energy Performance
- › Large, well-defined projects which pay for themselves over time
- › Investment in whole-building / whole-estate balanced packages of measures
- › The facilitated engagement of private sector expertise and resources
- › A coordinated approach to building refurbishment, which allows energy efficiency refits to be packaged together with corresponding maintenance/upgrading of building fabric
- › A variety of wider community benefits, including employment opportunities and business growth opportunities for the Scottish supply chain



- › Single Lot of Framework of Contractors to call-off
  - › Alternative Heat Ltd
  - › Ameresco Ltd
  - › Blackbourne Ltd
  - › British Gas Trading Ltd
  - › Cofely Ltd (ENGIE)
  - › Cynergis Projects Ltd
  - › Everwarm Ltd
  - › FES Ltd
  - › Matrix Control Solutions Ltd
  - › Robertson Group Ltd
  - › SSE Contracting Group Ltd
  - › Vital Energi Solutions Ltd

<http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Government/Procurement/directory/Utilities/NonDomesticEnergyEfficiency>

# NDEE EnPC – Project Process

› Based on 'Prepare, Procure, Save' process

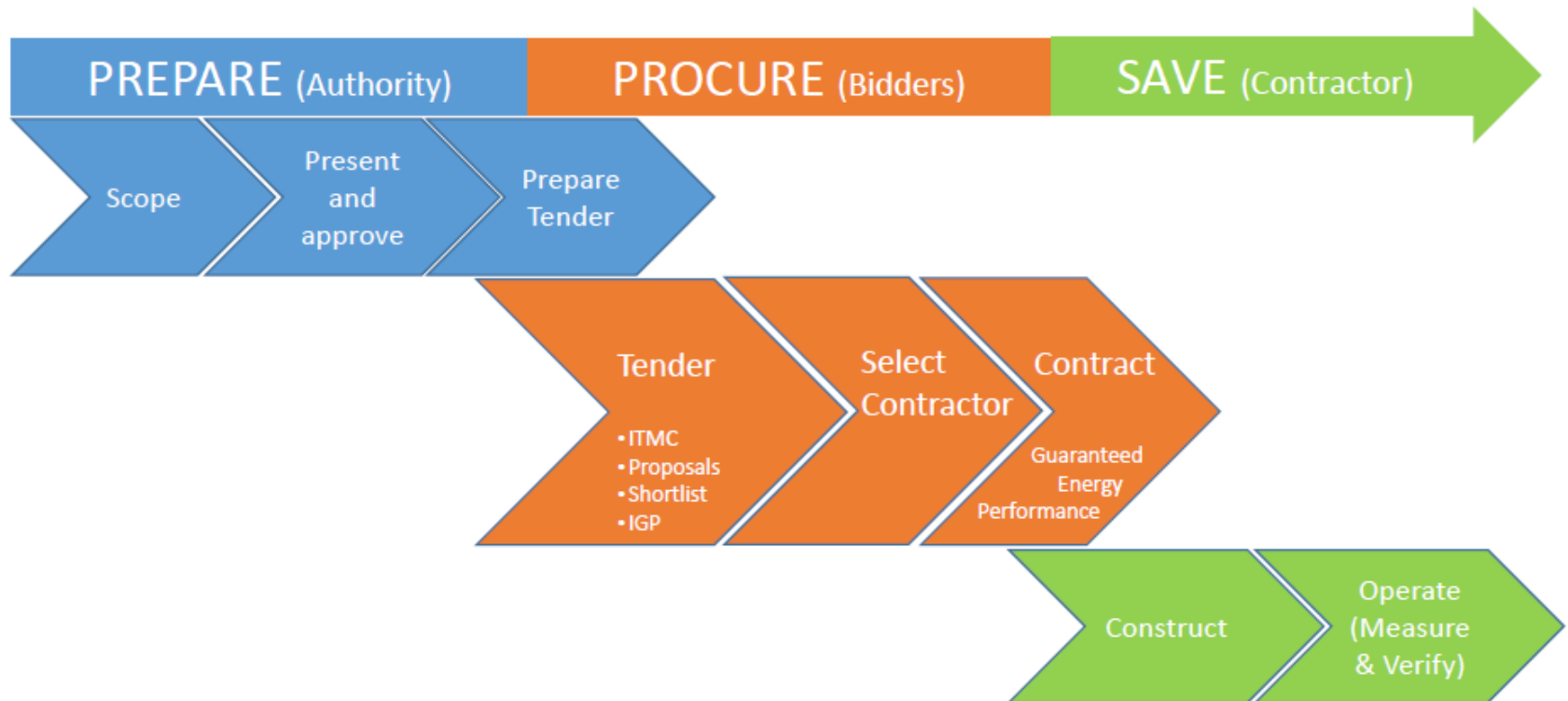


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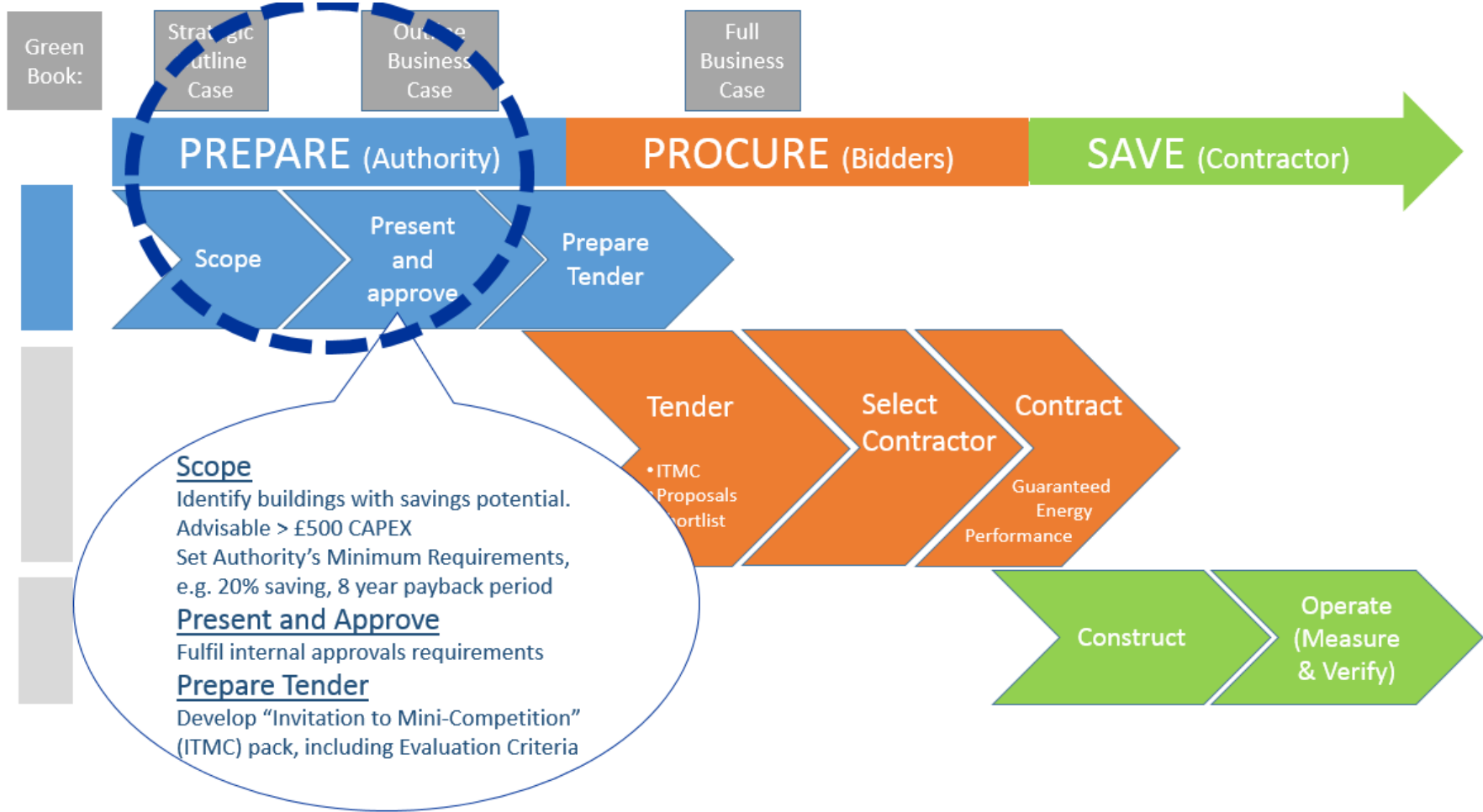


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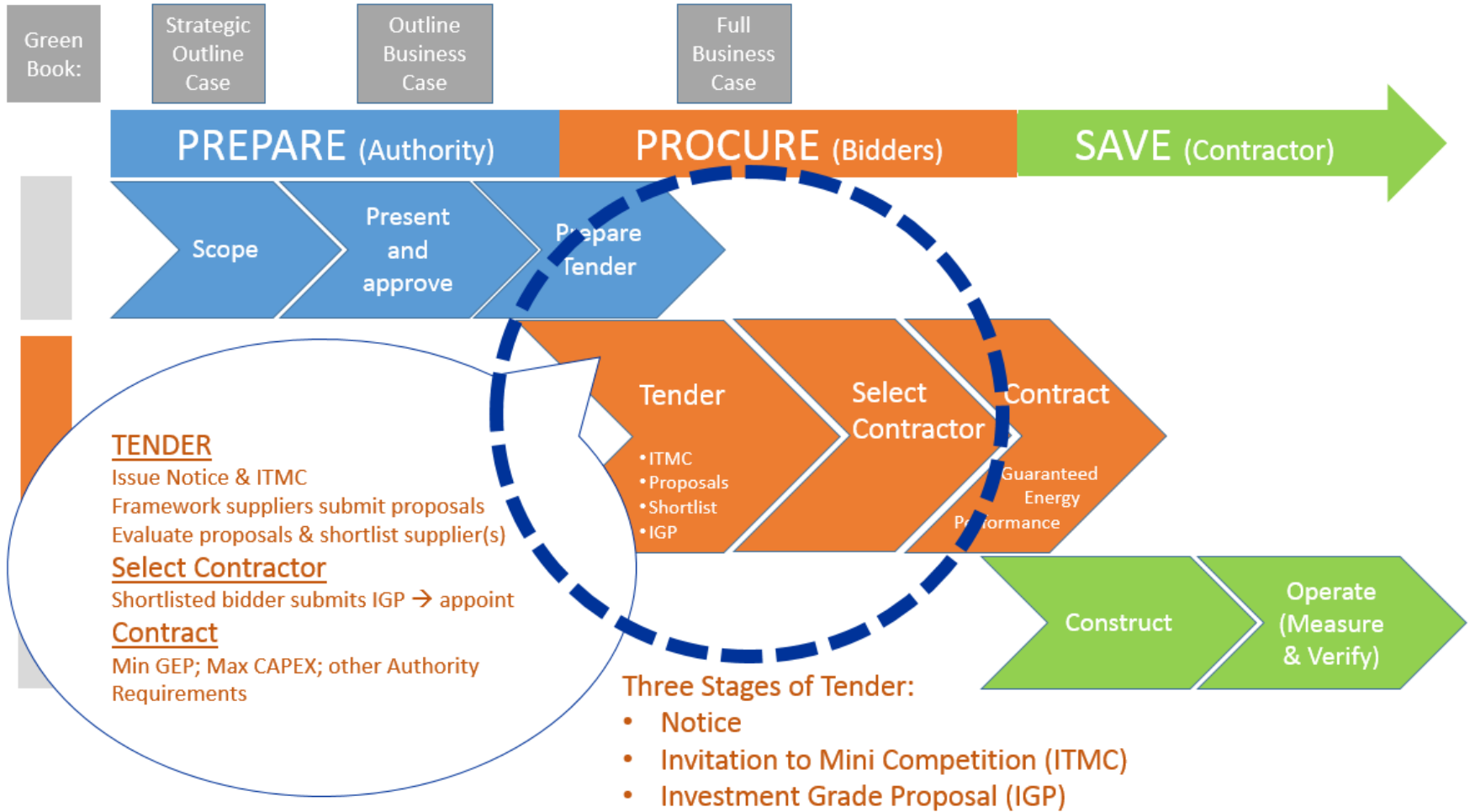


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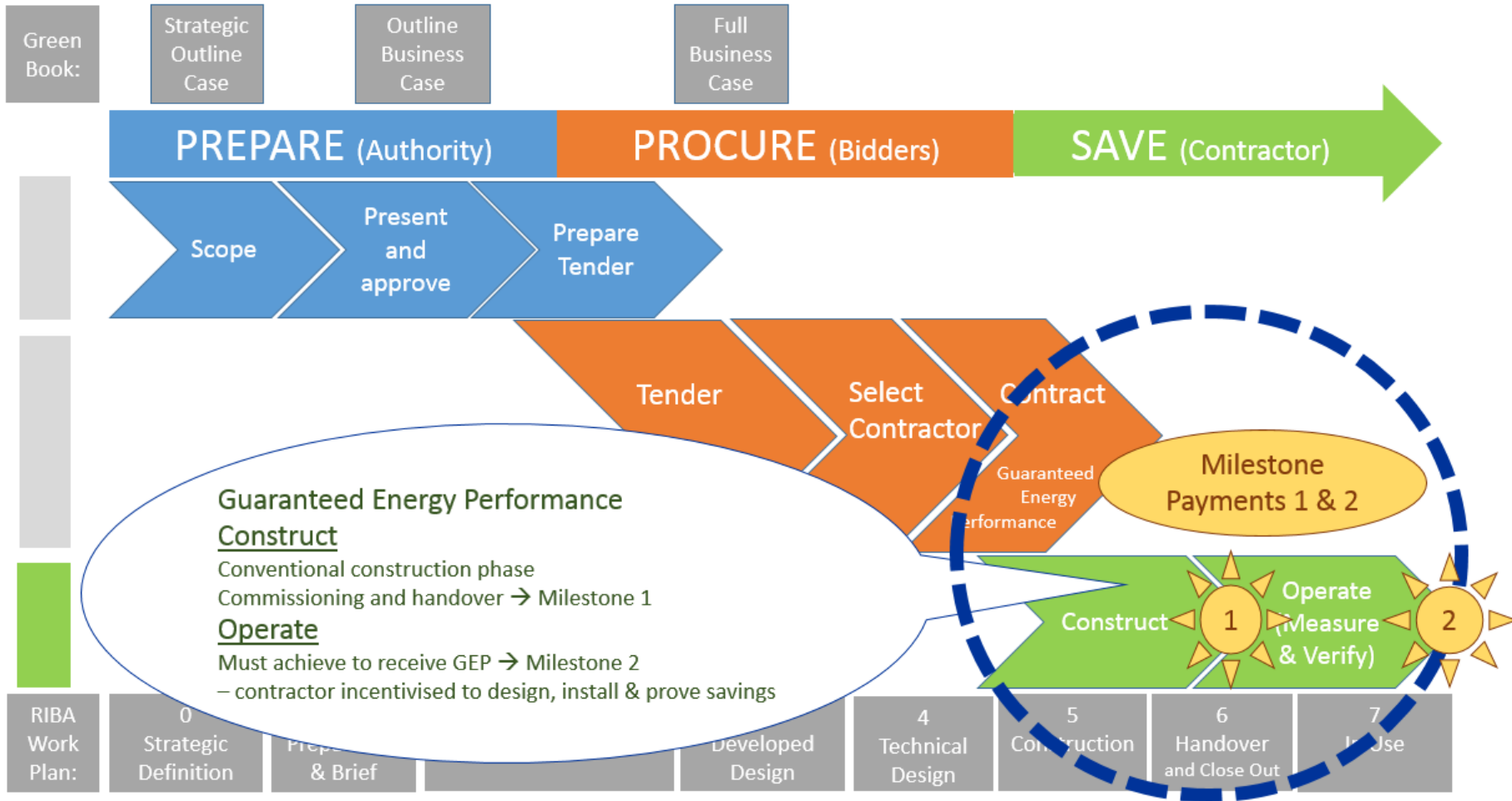


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- › External advisory support is available through the Project Support Unit (PSU)
- › PSU is a single framework supplier, managed by **Mott MacDonald** and including:
  - › **Carbon Trust**
    - › Mobilisation and Engagement (Lead)
    - › Programme support (Co-Lead)
    - › Individual project call off technical support as required
  - › **EEVS**
    - › Measurement and Verification Specialists
  - › **Tamburrini Energy Consultants**
    - › SME Energy Auditor
  - › **Roger Simpson-Jones**
    - › Procurement specialist



- › PSU will provide flexible support service to the right level, at the right time:
  - › Specialist Technical, Commercial, Management and Procurement advisory services
  - › Business cases
  - › Data collation
  - › Process and Contractor management
  - › Ad-hoc specialist support
  
- › Scottish Government funded - up to £50,000 per project
  - › On commitment from Senior Management


# Next Steps

## NDEE Project Support Unit

For further information and advice on how this process would work for NDEE projects in your organisation please contact the Project Support Unit at [NDEESupportUnit@mottmac.com](mailto:NDEESupportUnit@mottmac.com)

## Scottish Procurement Website

<http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Government/Procurement/directory/Utilities/NonDomesticEnergyEfficiency>



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# Master-planning and future-proofing: making the transition

Scottish Cities Alliance

Amy Braddick

# Scottish Cities Alliance

- Scotland's seven cities and Scottish Government in partnership (established 2011)
- Scotland's Agenda for Cities  
“A Scotland where our cities and our regions power Scotland's economy for the benefit of all”
- Support Cities Vision : Shared Vision for Scotland's Success 2015
- Cities as economic drivers of growth



# Scottish Planning Policy

Local development plans should support the development of heat networks in as many locations as possible, even where they are initially reliant on carbon-based fuels if there is potential to convert them to run on renewable or low carbon sources of heat in the future.



# District Heating and Planning

- Consistent Heat Network Policy and Supplementary Guidance
- Act to develop this, noting that each city has a different timescale and that the Policy/SG may be fed in at a later date.
- Stirling and Aberdeen draft produced in Autumn 2016
- Draft Energy Statement Template produced by ZWS Autumn 2016



# District Heating and Planning

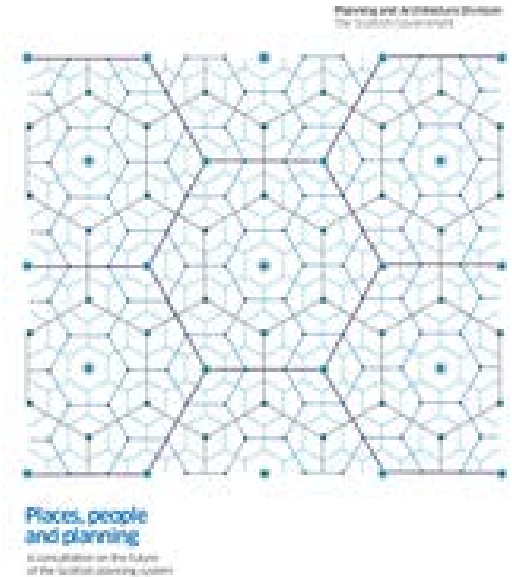
Planning and Energy Consultant appointed to assess the methodology that would be applied to review an energy statement and determine 'who' may be best placed to conduct this review work to be completed in March.





# Places, People and Planning – Consultation

- Improving pre application consultation
- Regional partnership working
- Embedding and infrastructure first approach – coordination of infrastructure planning.
- Allocating development land in the plan
- Simplified planning zones
- New Levy to raise finance for infrastructure
- Infrastructure future planning – Low carbon and smart
- Develop skills to deliver outcomes and making better use of resources



# Scottish Energy Strategy Consultation

- Role for Land Use Planning to support new technology
- As part of the infrastructure first approach consider how the planning system can support the future energy system in SPP and NPF now and in the future.
- Reference to Energy Master planning
- The role of the local authority is enhanced through strategic approaches such as Scotland's Energy Efficiency Programme.
- Government Owned Energy Company

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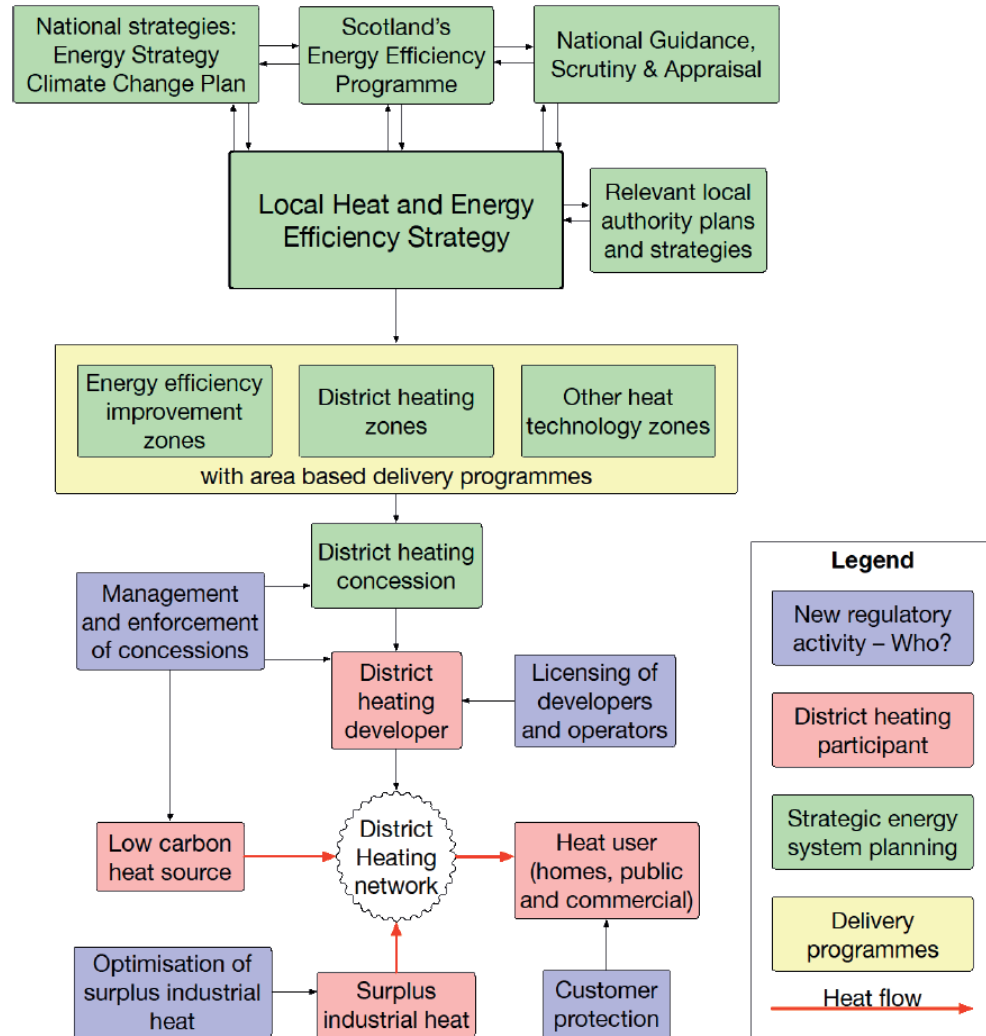


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# Local Heat and Energy Efficiency Strategies

- LHEES links to planning
- Recognition of additional burden
- Analytical skills, resources and techniques
- Support link to Government Owned Energy Company





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Director of Localities and Infrastructure  
Stirling Council





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**Rob Pedersen**  
City Architect  
Dundee City Council





# Transitioning to a low carbon future

Rob Pedersen,

City Architect, Dundee City Council

Chair, Dundee Partnership Environment Steering Group

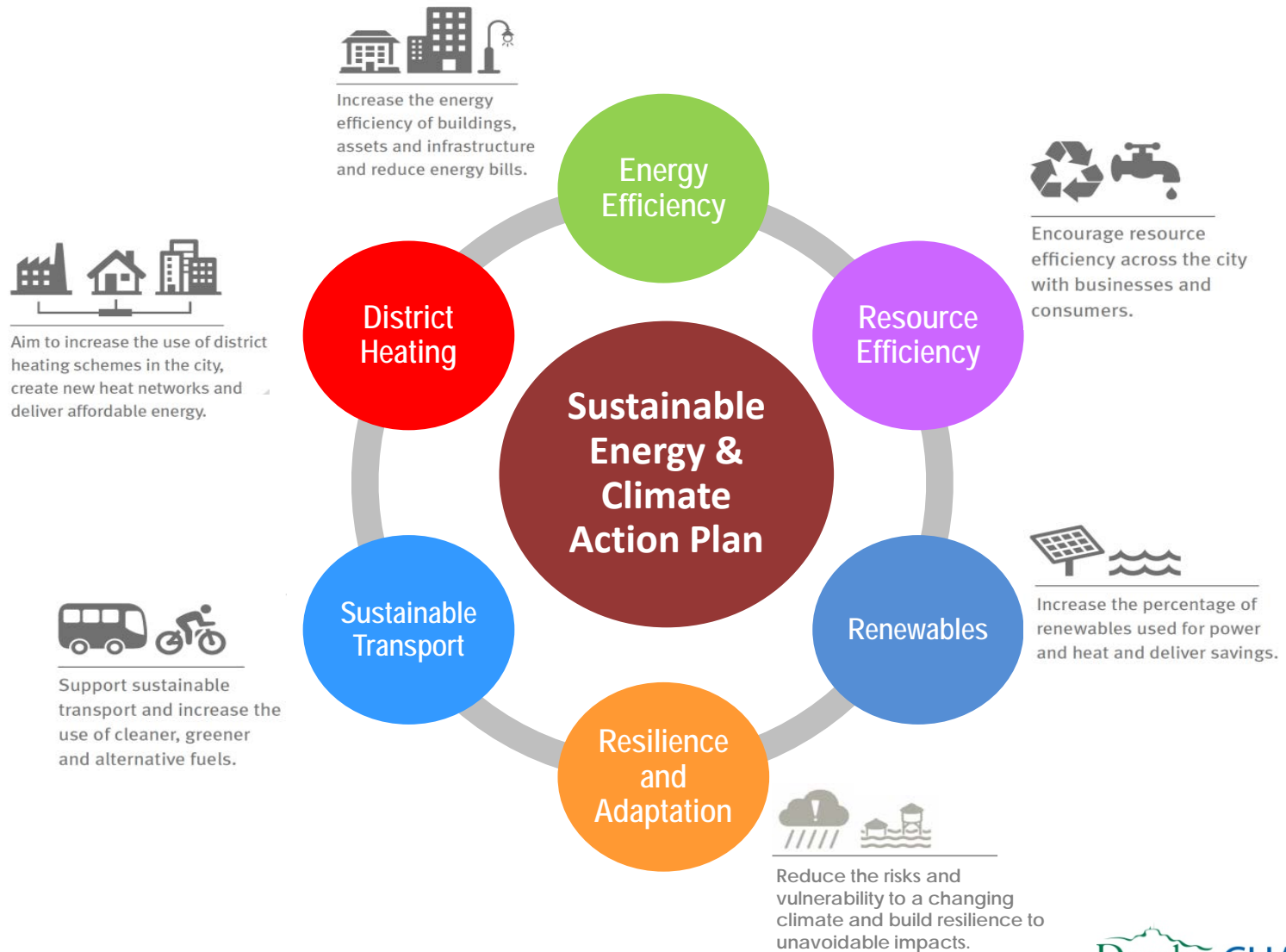




# Socio-economic challenges

- Third largest percentage of its population living in the 15% Most Deprived areas in Scotland (over 42,000 people)
- 28% of children are classed as living in poverty.
- Long-term unemployment has historically been higher than national average.
- NVQ3 level qualification is behind the national average.
- Fuel poverty has risen to 42% across all housing tenures in Dundee.
- Dundee has highest level of households in fuel poverty across all Scottish cities.
- 66% of single pensioner households and 38% of single parent households suffer from fuel poverty.

# Developing an Integrated Approach



## Energy Efficiency

Programme likely to achieve greatest reduction in emissions, with focus on existing buildings. Options include:

- Energy retrofit programmes for non domestic buildings.
- Working with the largest employers and commercial property owners to reduce carbon emissions.
- continuing with initiatives to reduce energy in homes and construct new energy efficient ones.
- Implementing new technologies for monitoring energy in buildings.
- Retrofitting street and stair lights.
- Behaviour change campaigns.

## Renewables

Programme aims to increase the use of renewables in both the domestic and non-domestic sectors. Options include:

- Pilot ground source heat pumps in parks;
- Assessing the potential for renewables in the public sector estate;
- Providing guidance for community groups and householders.
- Assessing opportunities biodiesel, solar P.V. and microhydro projects.

## Resource Efficiency

Programme aims to encourage resource efficiency across the city with businesses and consumers. Options include:

- Progressing the Zero Waste and circular economy projects.
- Evaluating opportunities for capturing waste heat and power.
- promoting advisory and support services; engaging with organisations involved in reuse and repair activities in the city.
- working in partnership with Scottish Water piloting waste heat from sewage pipes.



## Sustainable Transport

The programme on transport will support Local and Regional Transport Strategies, aiming to reduce the need to travel, encourage active travel and decarbonising travel. Options include:

- Integration of smart travel/integrated ticketing.
- Behaviour change programme.
- Building on success of electric vehicle and infrastructure investment to grow Dundee's reputation in the adoption of Ultra Low Emission Vehicles.
- Investigate ESCO model to reduce barriers to ULEV fleet investment.
- Promotion of Active Travel.
- Working with the City Car Club.

## Resilience

The new CoM 2015 includes a commitment to strengthening resilience and capacity to adapt to adverse climate change impacts. Key to this will be preparing a 'Climate Change Risk and Vulnerability Assessment'. Public sector bodies in Dundee are already working with Adaptation Scotland on these issues and the challenge will be progressively mainstream adaptation considerations into relevant policies, strategies and plans.

## District Heating

A key objective of the SECAP is to decentralise energy. Options include:

- District Heating Delivery Plan and heat maps.
- Heat Network Policy and integrate into the new Local Development Plan.
- Feasibility studies.
- Guidance for developers.
- Working with partners to assess opportunities from new developments.
- Heat Network Policy and integrate into the new Local Development Plan.
- Taking forward major schemes including Ninewells/Menzieshill, RPCS, Baldovie, City Centre.

# A compact city with untapped resources



A tidal river



Victoria Dock



A solar resource



Waste to Energy plant

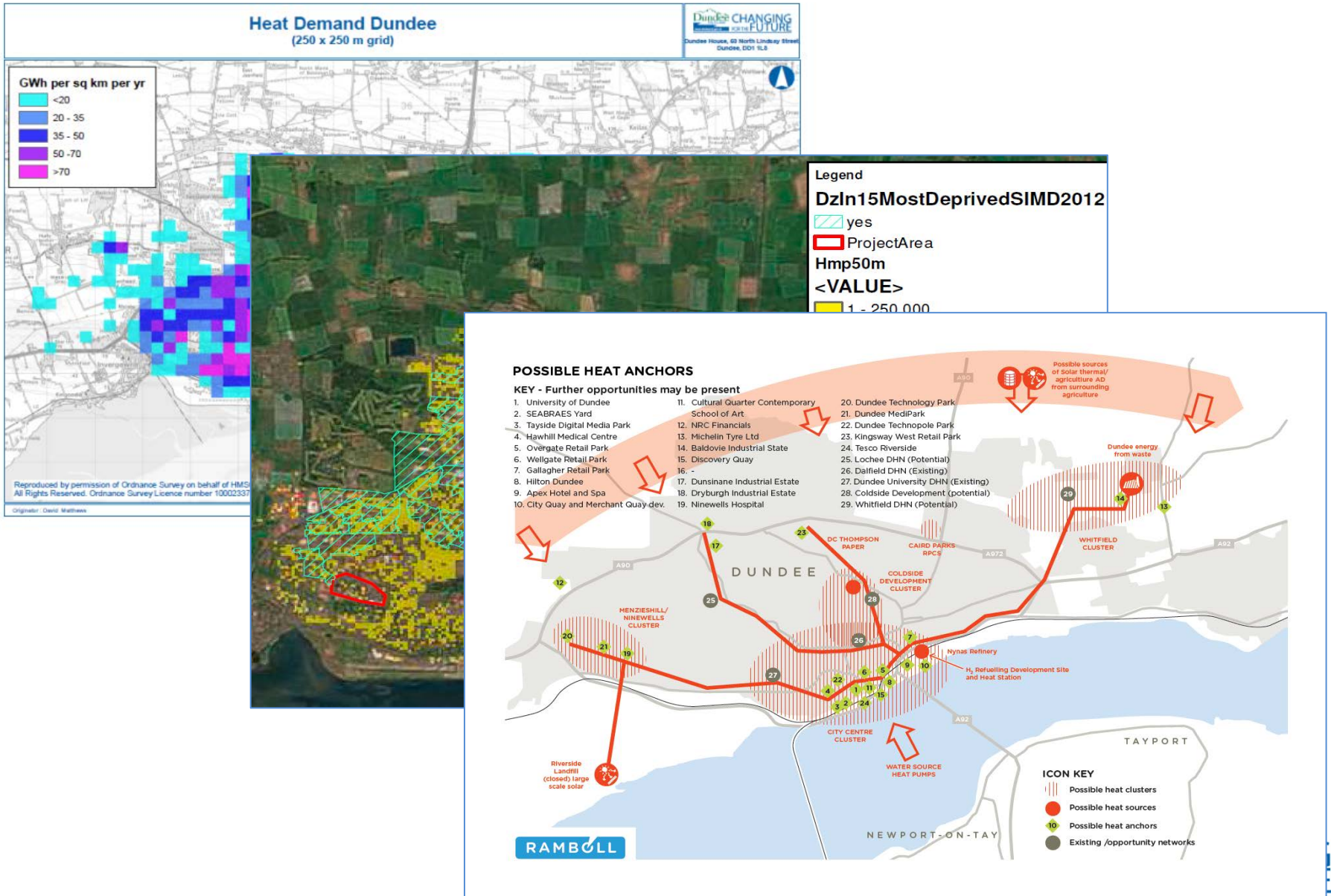


Heat from Sewers



Heat from Industry

# Planning Opportunities





# Utilising Existing Assets & Infrastructure

Whorterbank MSD



Lansdown Gardens MSD



Kirk Street MSD



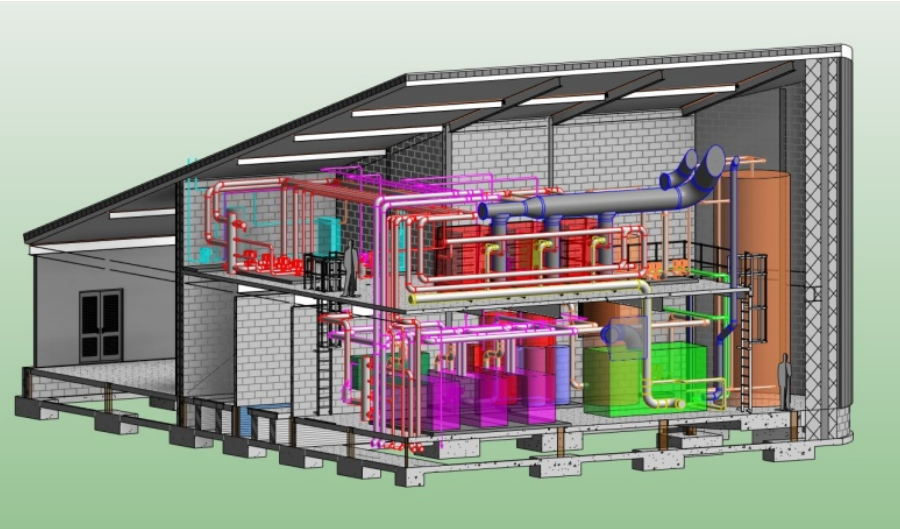
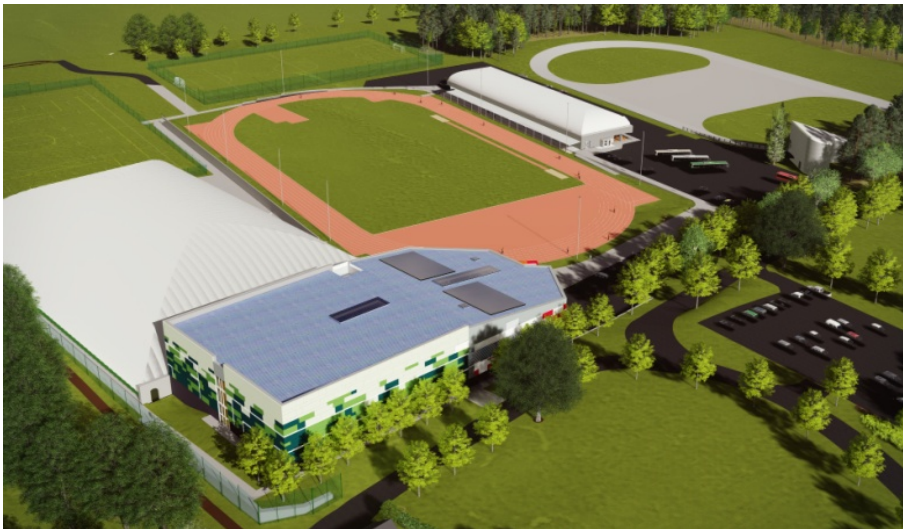
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# District Heating - Phased Approach

## Phase 1 (2017-2018)

- Regional Performance Centre for Sport





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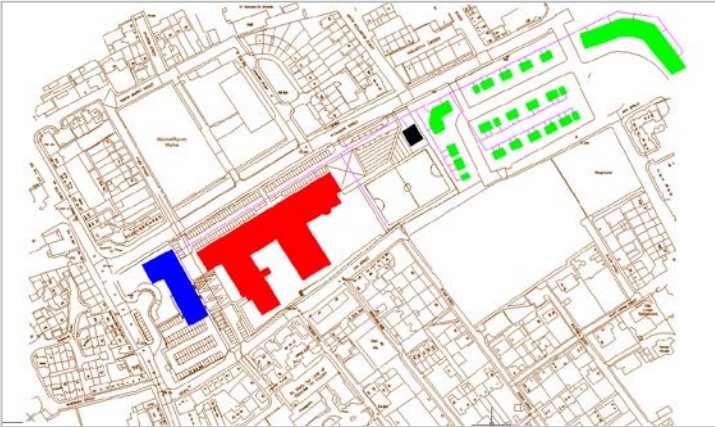




# District Heating - Phased Approach

## Phase 2 (2018-2024)

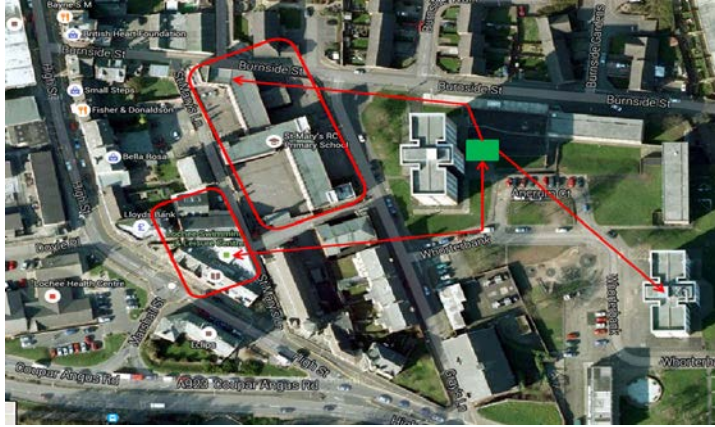
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- Menzieshill



- Lochee



- Whitfield

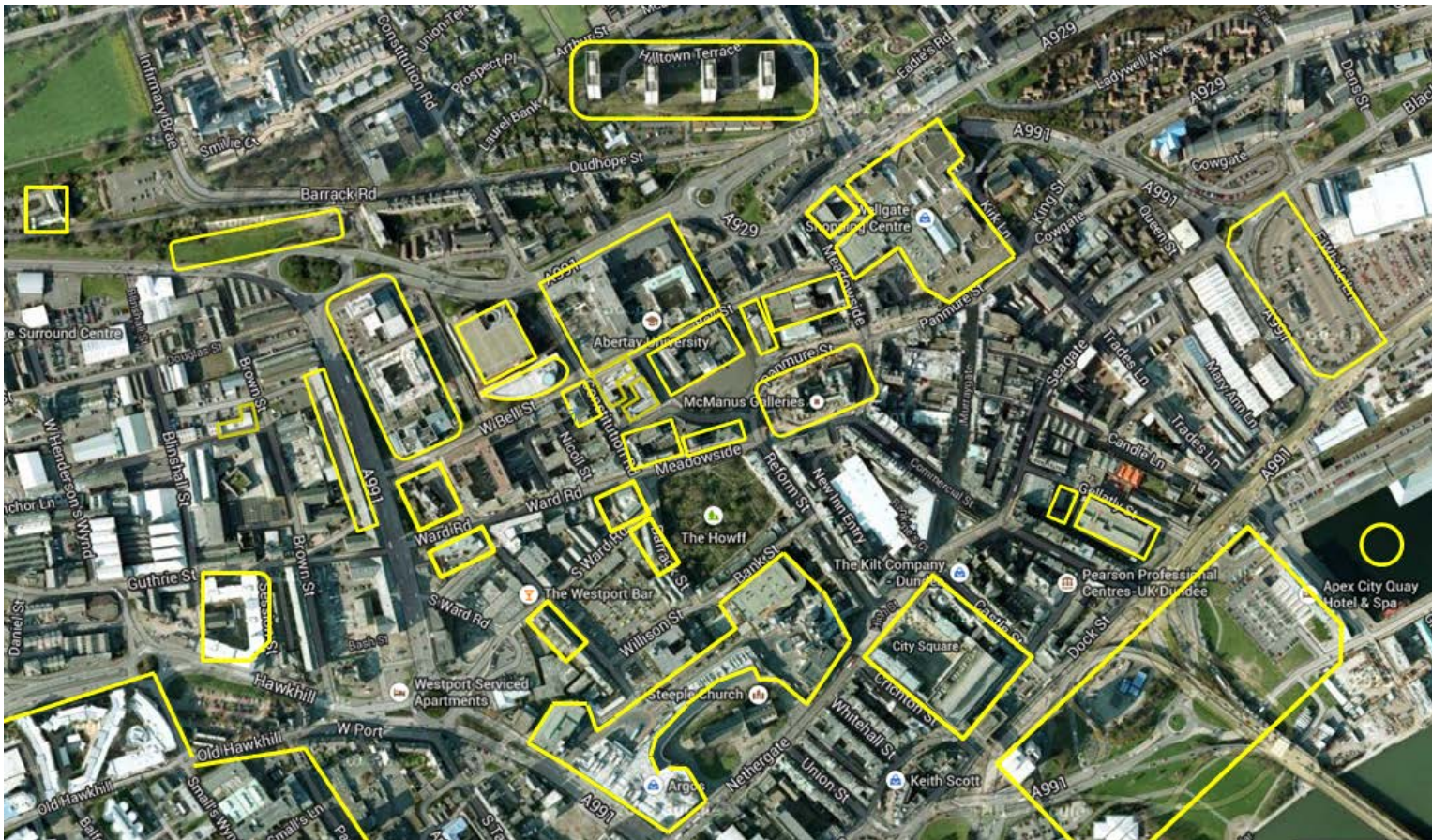




# District Heating - Phased Approach

## Phase 2 (2018-2024)

- City Centre



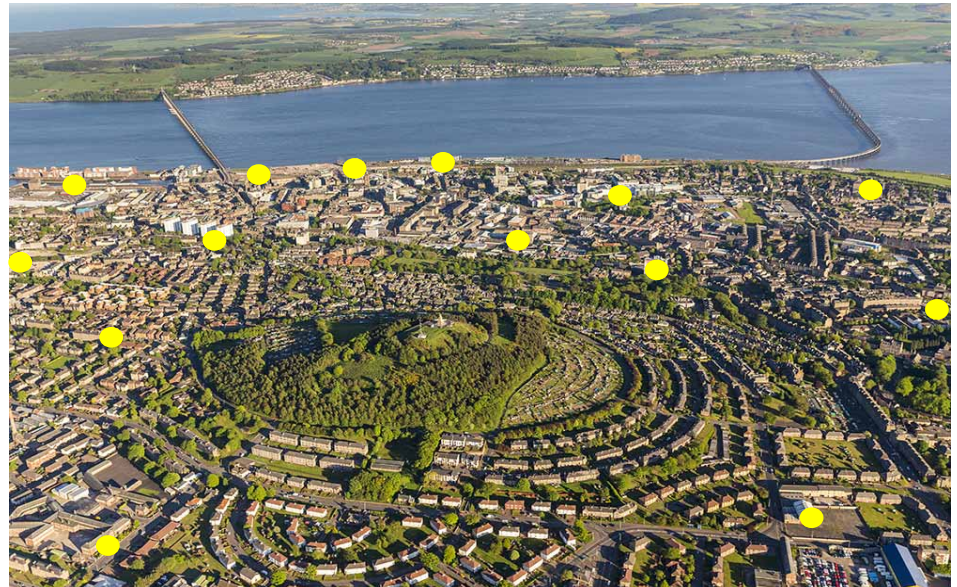


# District Heating - Phased Approach

## Phase 3 (2020-2024)

To be part/wholly ESCO financed/  
investment secured

- Port – Craigie – Whitfield
- Whitfield – Fintry
- Fintry – Claverhouse
- Claverhouse – Kirkton
- Kirkton – St. Mary's
- Menziehill - Camperdown



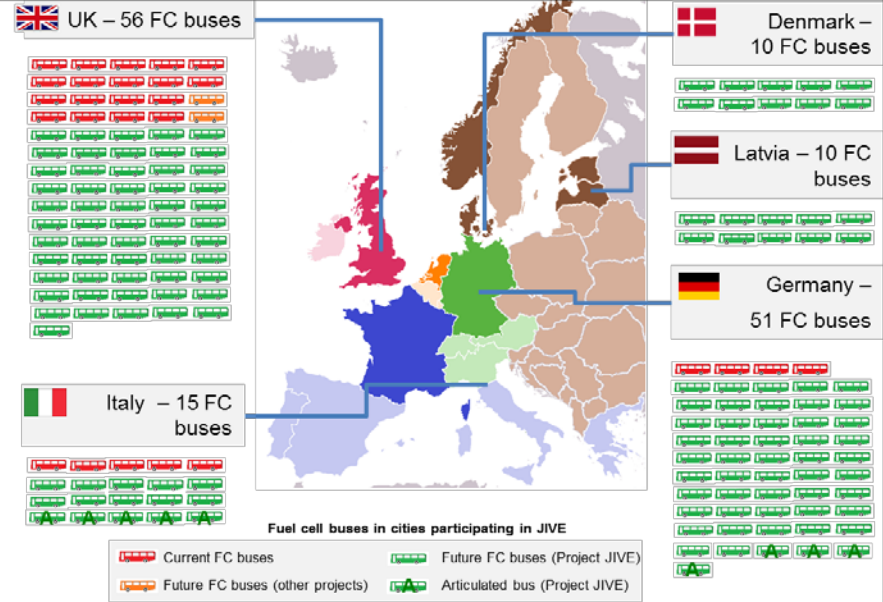


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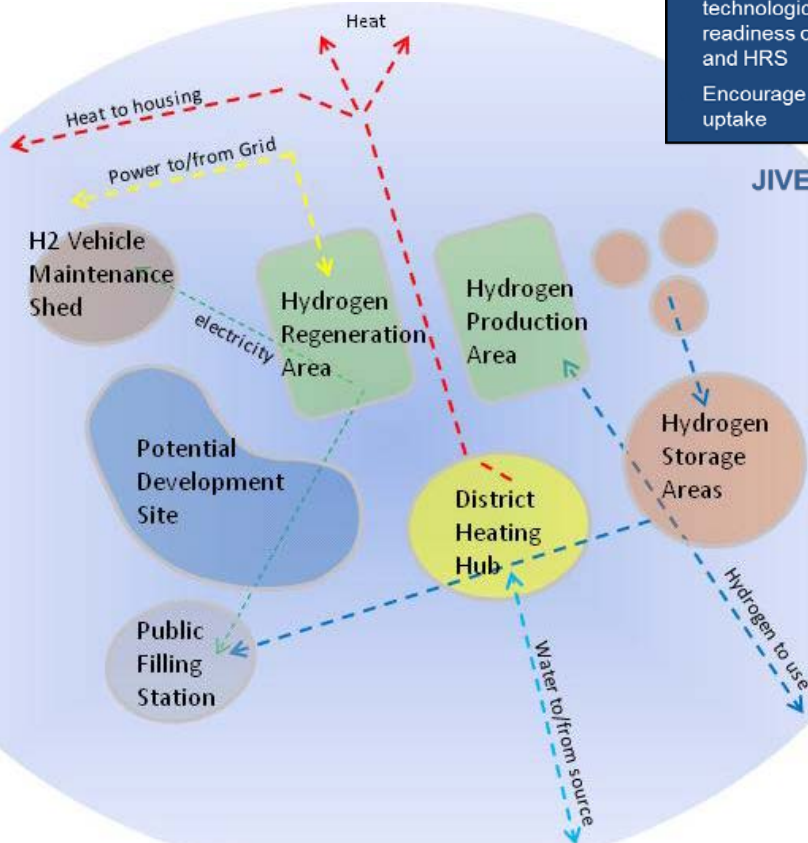
## JIVE: Joint Initiative for hydrogen Vehicles across Europe

### Objectives

- Deploy 142 FC buses across nine cities
- Achieve 30% cost reduction versus state of the art
- Operate 50% of the vehicles for at least 36 months
- Deploy the largest capacity HRS in Europe
- Achieve near 100% reliability of HRS
- Demonstrate technological readiness of FC buses and HRS
- Encourage further uptake



JIVE will be a six year project, with an anticipated start date of early 2017



FUEL CELLS AND HYDROGEN  
JOINT UNDERTAKING



# Going Ultra Low

- 81 pure electric vehicles in Council fleet.
- Dundee has 2 most used chargers in Scotland, (Queen Street Broughty Ferry averaging 18 sessions per day).
- Currently 40 pure electric taxis registered in the city

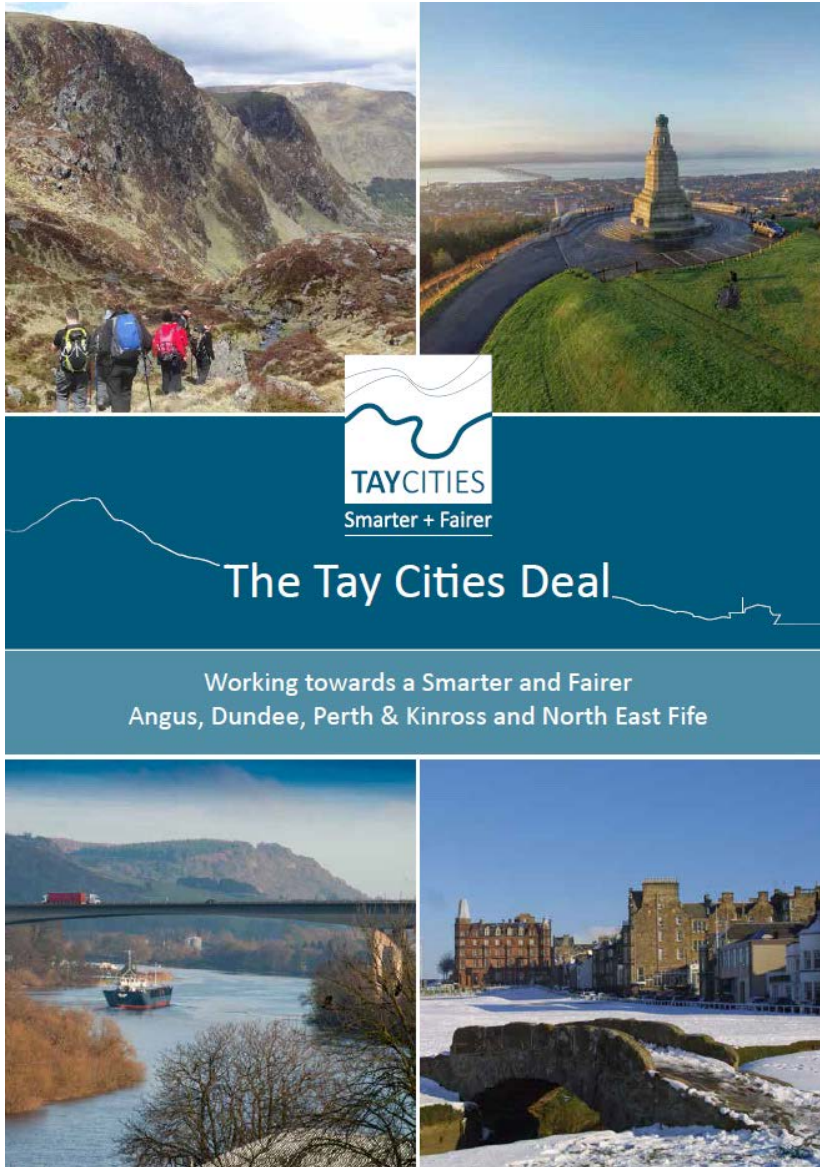
## Dundee's eMission

An ambitious programme that builds on the city's strong position and expertise, outlining a comprehensive and integrated approach that will:

- Create a step-change in ULEV uptake.
- Improve air quality and the public realm.
- Establish the city as a leading international location for the development of new ultra low emission mobility technologies and business models.



# Regional Collaboration



A partnership project between Angus, Dundee City and Perth & Kinross Councils to decarbonise and democratise energy services within the TAY Cities area.

Proposals to:

- 1) Deliver a 3-phase pipeline of Council-led projects - focusing on low carbon heating and low carbon transport.
- 2) Establish a regional ESCO (known as Tay Cities Energy Services Company).

Funding request of £95m (total project costs £180m)



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**Richard Bellingham, University of Strathclyde**

## Speakers

**James Higgins, SGN**

**Professor Jill Anable, University of Leeds**

**Simon Tricker, Urban Tide**

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James Higgins – Policy Manager

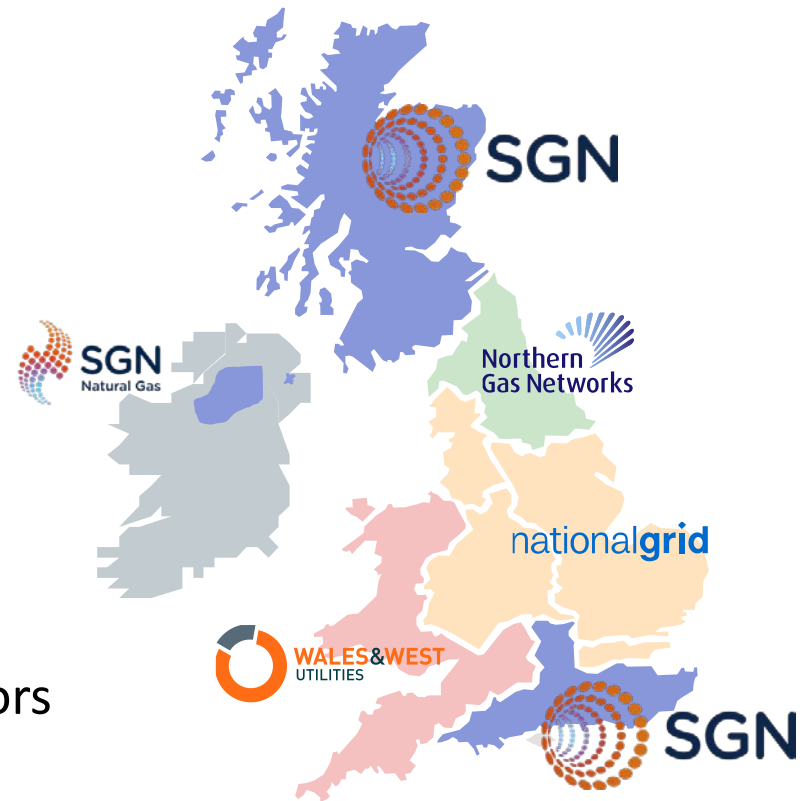


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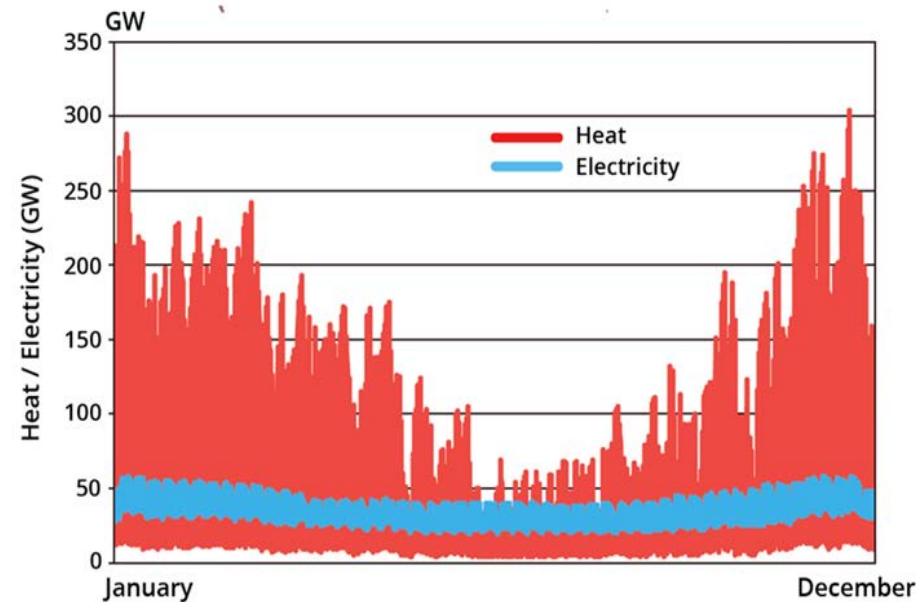
# SGN in Scotland

- 25,000km of pipeline
- 1.8m customers
- 12 biomethane plants connected
- 300km metal mains replaced with plastic pipe each year
- Connections - 12,000 p.a. (3,000 fuel poor p.a.)
- 1,400 employees plus 400 contractors



# Scotland's gas network of today

- **25,000km** of pipe
- **80%** of homes connected
- Provides **80%** of total energy demand at peak times
- **1/3** of all energy consumption is for heat provided by natural gas
- **99.99%** security of supply
- **1/3** of the cost of electricity per kWh





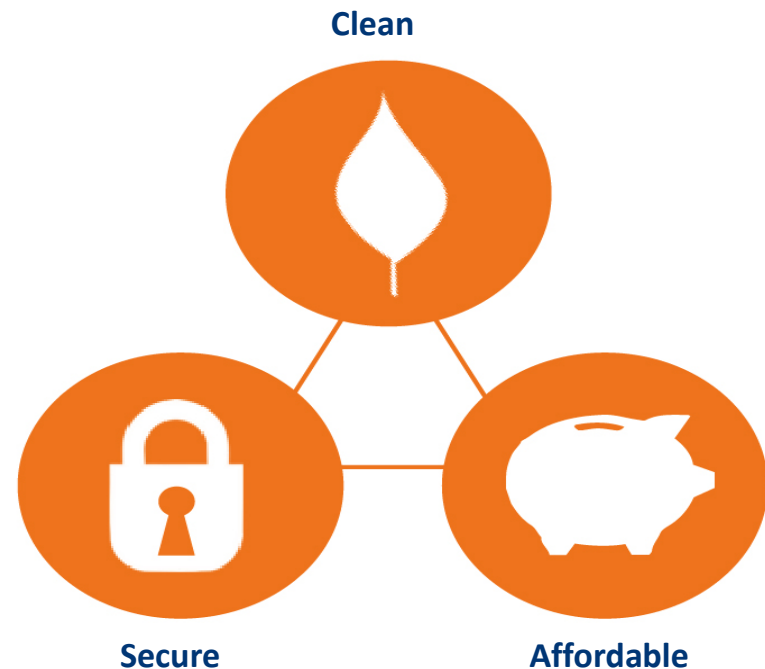
# The challenge and the opportunity

We need a future gas network that is:

**Clean:** helps us to meet our climate change targets

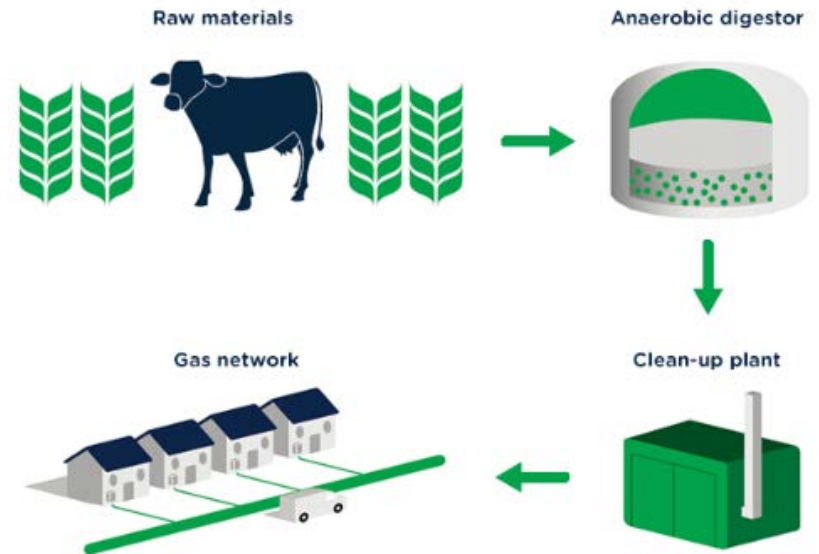
**Secure:** continues to meet peak demand on the coldest days

**Affordable:** continues to provide affordable heat for customers



# Greening the gas

- Biomethane a vital low carbon fuel for homes and businesses
  - Renewable Heat Incentive (RHI) support crucial
- 12 biomethane plants connected in Scotland
  - Supplying green gas to 75,000 homes
- On track to meet our target to supply 250,000 homes with green gas by 2021



# Oban project

- Trial demonstrated GB gas regulations can be safely widened
- Would allow a more competitive range of gases to be used
- Increased security of supply
- Reduced need for processing which currently costs £325m a year
- Working on the legislative changes for GB roll-out





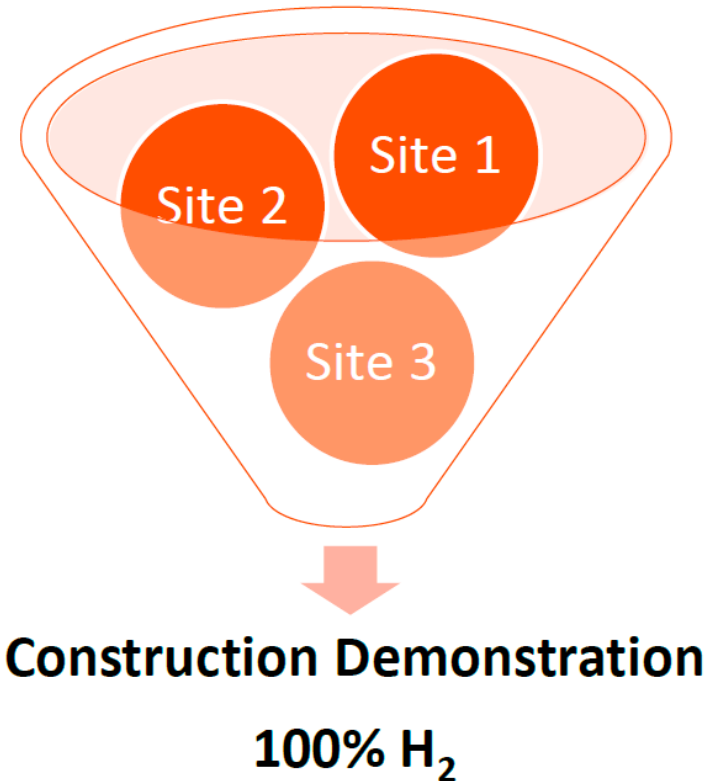
# Real-time networks

- Project to develop a more flexible 'real-time network'
- Sensors measuring energy content not just flow and volume
- Potential enabler for greater volumes of renewable gas
- A network adapted to the future energy needs of GB



# H<sub>2</sub> project

- Hydrogen is one of the leading solutions to decarbonise heat
  - Potential to blend with natural gas in the short term
  - Longer term potential for 100% hydrogen networks
- Undertaking feasibility for a 100% hydrogen network demonstration in Scotland
  - Up to 3 sites considered
- Need for multiple coordinated demonstration projects



# Looking beyond the trilemma

## What options do we have?

- Heat pumps
- Heat networks
- Some of these
- Blended gas networks
- Hydrogen networks
- All of these

## What's best and how do we decide?

- Neighbouring communities may require different solutions
- What's the right balance between cost, security of supply and carbon reduction?

## Which one for customers?

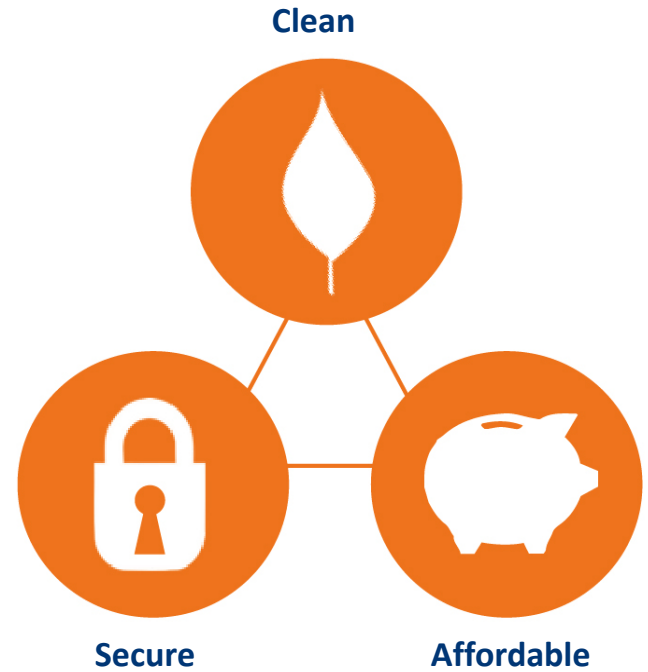
- Will they get a say or choice?
- How much will they pay?
- How will it compare with neighbours or friends in another area?





# Our vision - fit for the future

- By 2032 network largely plastic and low maintenance
- Flexible to support different compositions
- Diverse low carbon sources ensuring security of supply
- Efficiency maximised through innovation
- Minimal system investment
- Keeping us on target for 2050



# Thank you

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# Transport technologies and behaviour

SR Low Carbon Cities Conference, 22nd February 2017, Edinburgh

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# The 'vision' for transport & energy in Scotland



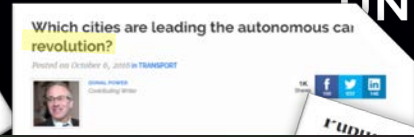
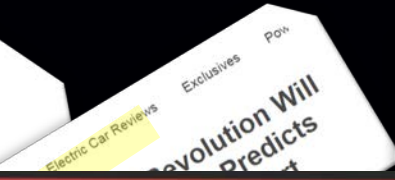
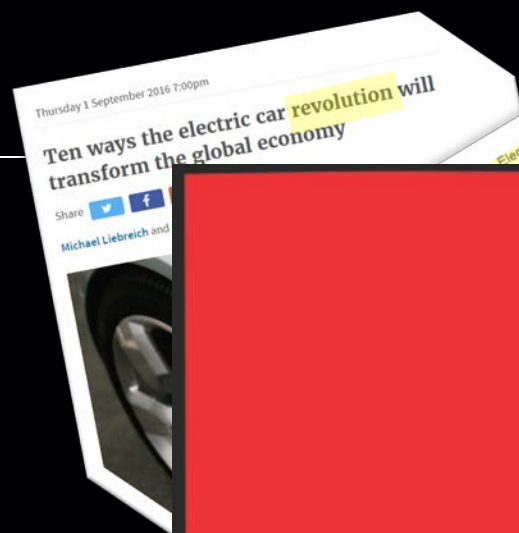
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*“Our future **transport needs** will be met substantially through electricity or alternative fuels; presenting new infrastructure challenges and **new patterns of behaviour** for users. How consumers engage with these choices will be guided by ‘smart’ technologies, providing **better information** on energy use and a better platform for **informed decisions** on when it is best to consume energy.”*

Scottish Energy Strategy, January 2017, Ministerial Forward





ARE YOU READY FOR THE ...

REVOLUTION ?







Showing results for *revolution* **definition**

# revolution

/rɛvəˈluːʃ(ə)n/

*noun*

1. a forcible overthrow of a government or social order **in favour of a new system.**

"the country has had a socialist revolution"

*synonyms:* rebellion, revolt, insurrection, mutiny, uprising, riot, rioting, rising, insurgence, insurgency, coup, overthrow, seizure of power, regime change; [More](#)

2. an instance of revolving.

"one revolution a second"

*synonyms:* single turn, turn, rotation, circle, whirl, twirl, spin, wheel, roll, round, cycle, circuit, lap  
"the prop shaft turns 4.7 times for one revolution of a road wheel"



Translations, word origin, and more definitions

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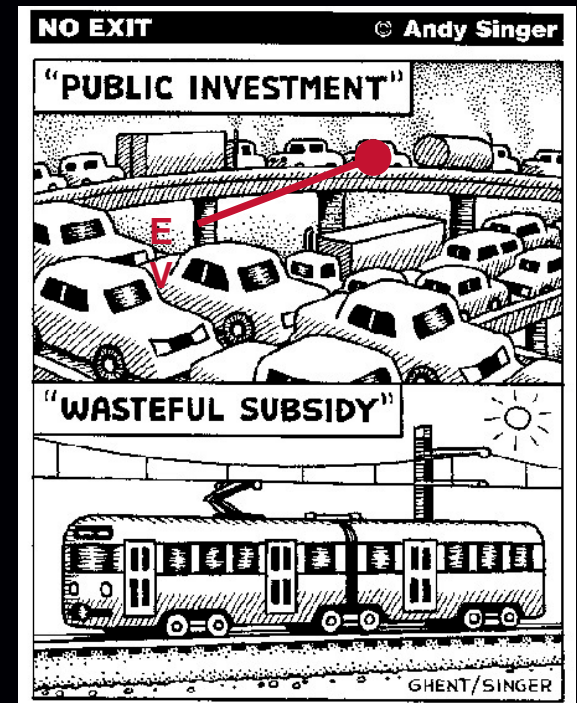




# Reason #1: An electric car is JUST a car



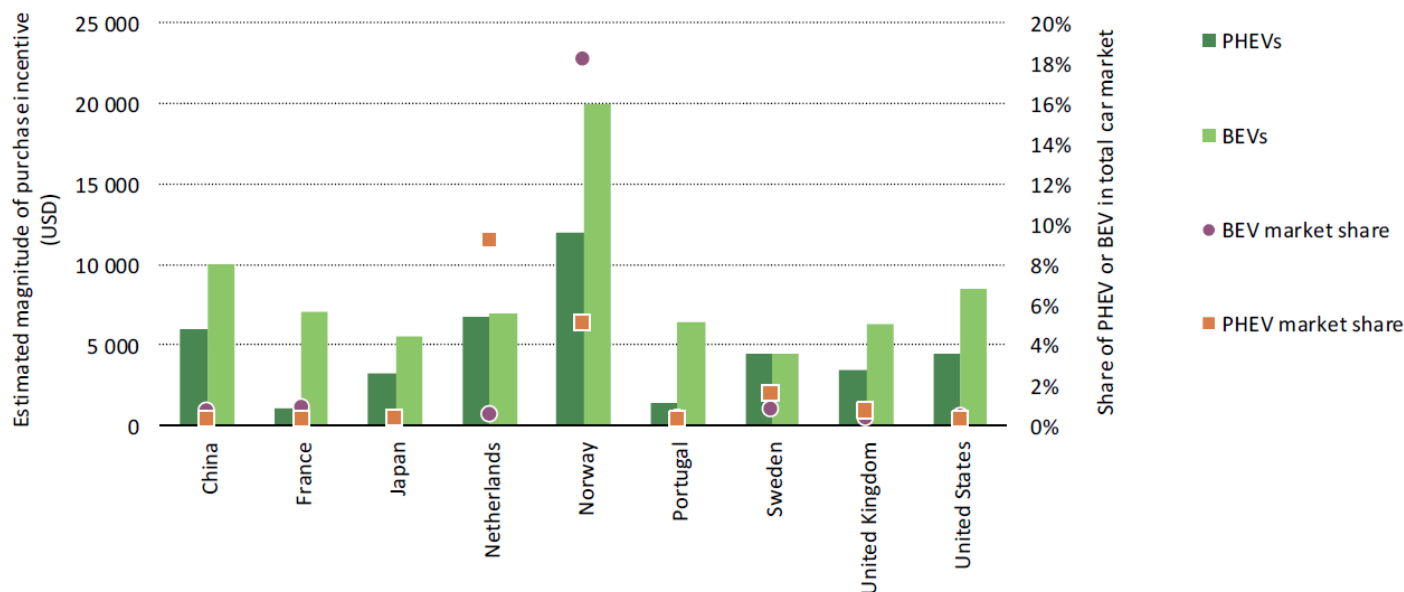
- \*Accidents
- \*Parking pressures
- \*Road user conflicts
- \*Congestion
- \*Mineral extraction
- \*Energy supply & emissions
- \*Disposal
- \*Subsidy



# Purchase incentives do not necessarily correlate with EV sales



Figure 7 • Purchase incentives and market shares for BEVs and PHEVs, 2015



IEA. (2016) Global EV Outlook



ICEs are preferred, even when costs are the same



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- The disutility associated with the purchase price of an ICE is smaller than for an EV
- Uncertainty and other cost factors are as important
- Even where optimistic cost and range parity is tested, ICEs are preferred



It is the *combination* of running cost savings and range that is important



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- PHEVs emerge consistently as more popular than BEVs, even where running cost savings information is given
- This demonstrates the trade-off between range and running cost
- Also lower perceived costs of battery replacement of PHEVs





## The top five factors which influence current EV ownership:

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<b>Identity</b>	the degree to which people feel they associate with 'typical' EV owners
<b>Anxiety</b>	perceived suitability of these vehicles particularly in relation to range
<b>Parking Difficulty</b>	perceived ease of being able to charge a vehicle at home
<b>Willingness to pay</b>	willingness to pay more for plug-in technology and/or environmental benefits
<b>Symbolic motives</b>	capture the perceived status, social acceptability and embarrassment or otherwise of owning an EV.

ANABLE, J., et al. (2016) Consumer segmentation and demographic patterns. Report for Energy Technologies Institute Plug-in Vehicles Infrastructure Project (April 2011). Transport Research Laboratory Published Project Report PPR769.





# We need: To understand non-economically rational consumer motivations

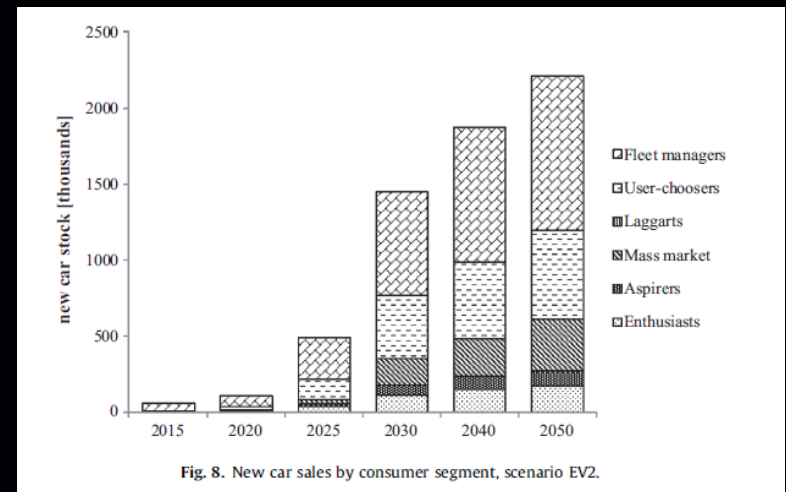


Fig. 8. New car sales by consumer segment, scenario EV2.

Brand, C., Cluzel, C. and Anable, J. (2017) Modeling the uptake of plug-in vehicles in a heterogeneous car market using a consumer segmentation approach. *Transportation Research A: Policy and Practice*, 97: 121-136.



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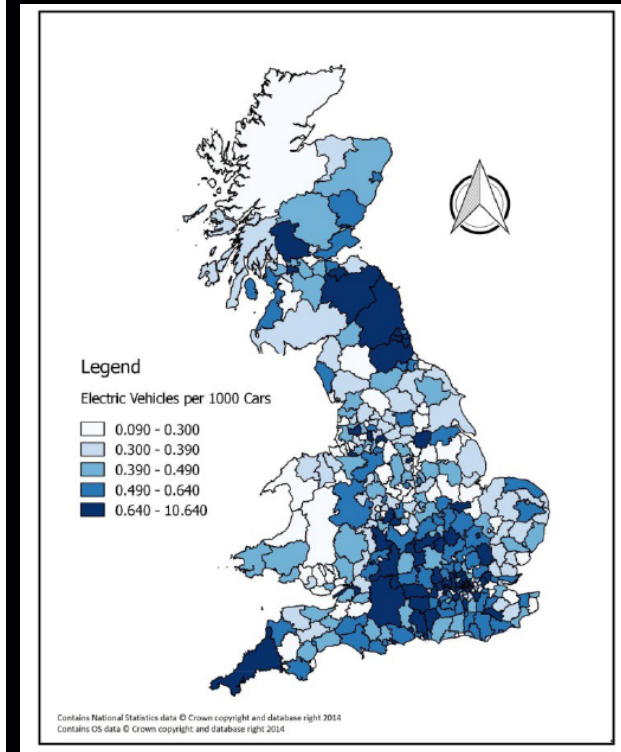
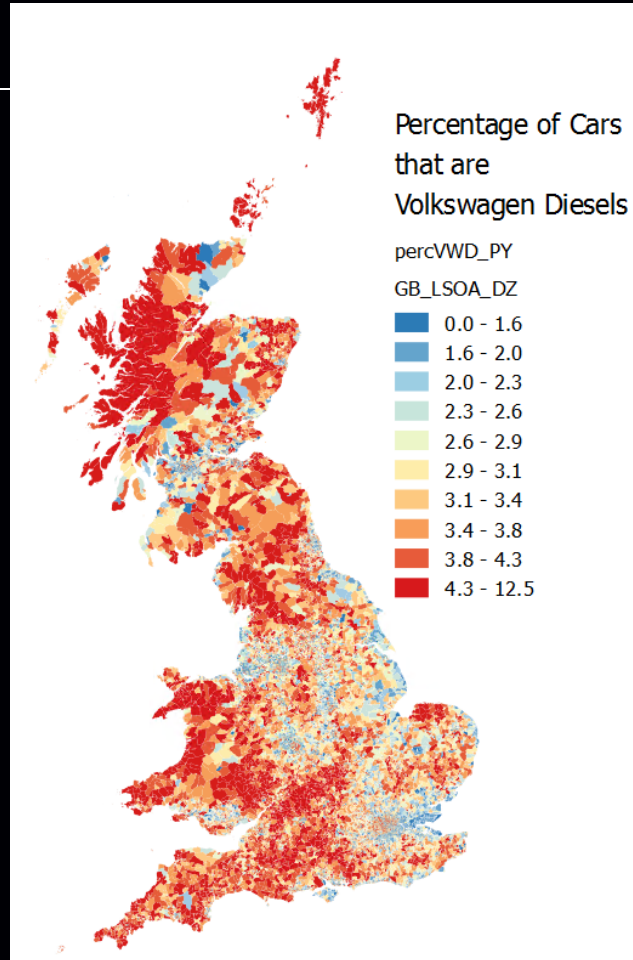
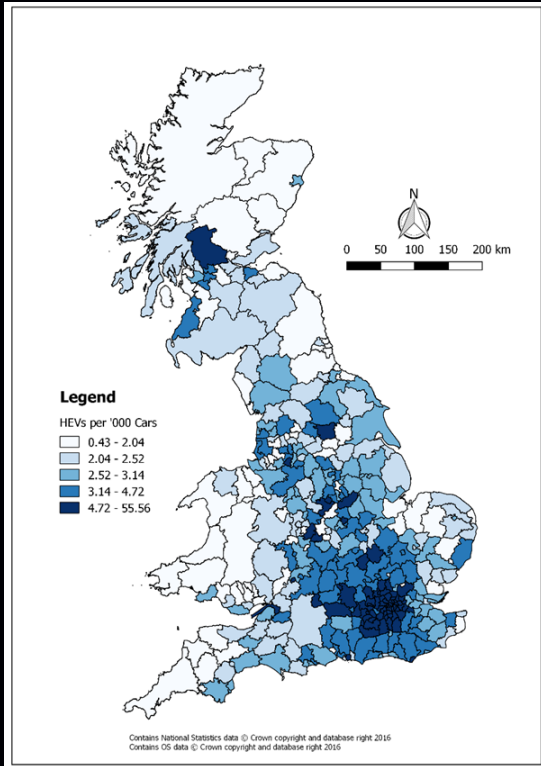
~~Place-based, not technology-based solutions~~



*“Almost complete decarbonisation of road transport by 2050 with significant progress by 2030 through wholesale adoption of electric cars and vans” (Scotland’s Climate Action Plan (2009))*

- *Where is this going to happen? Is this the right solution everywhere?*
- Are local and city authorities the agents for transformational change?
- How can local decisions be guided among different potential futures?

# Technology Diffusion





# A spatial index of vulnerability to fuel price increases – England 2011



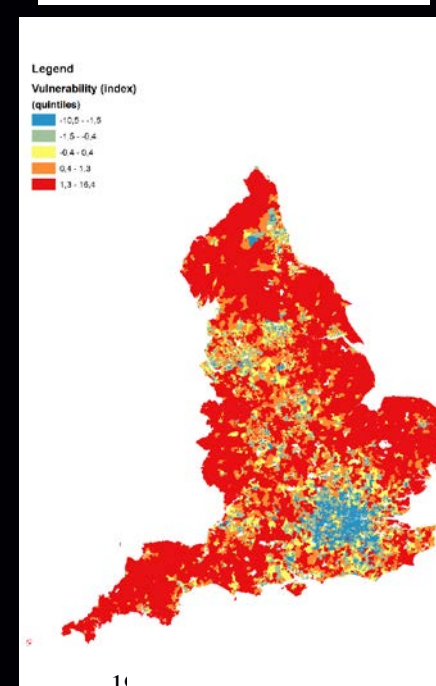
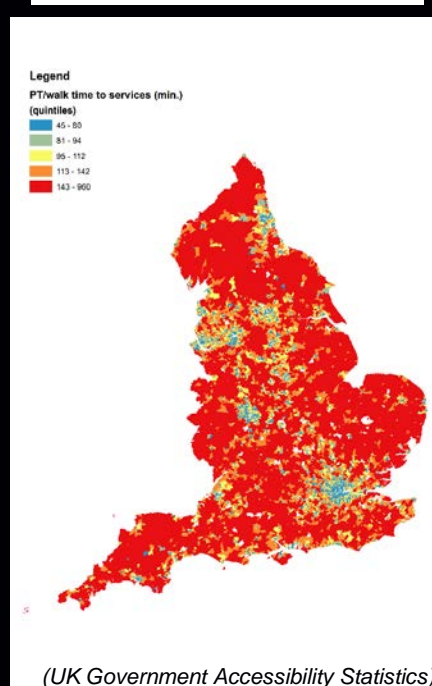
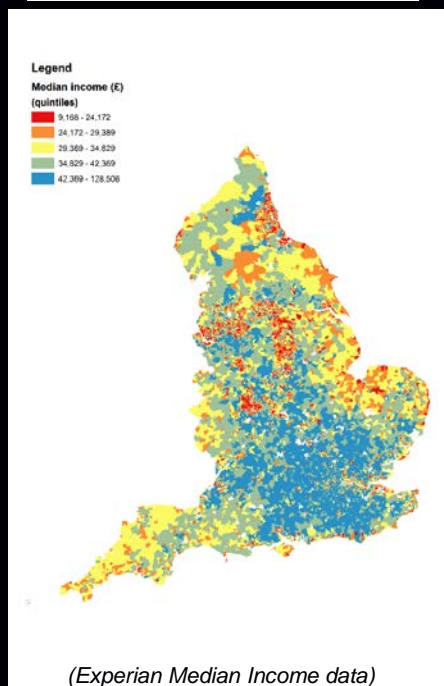
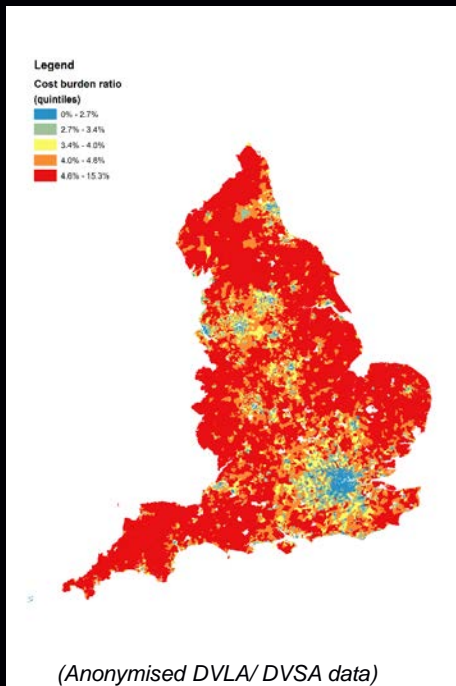
**1. Exposure:**  
 Cost burden ratio = per household expenditure on fuel / median income

**2. Sensitivity**  
 Median household income

**3. Adaptive capacity**  
 Travel time to 8 key services by public transport / walking

ring and Vehicle Ownership Trends in the UK

**4. Vulnerability Index**





## Reason #2:

Smart Cities **are only as good as the policies** that govern them

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- We don't do transport governance well *now* when it's relatively simple ...
- ... consider what we think is happening:
  - Transport regulation disrupted (or under attack)
  - Consumers become mobility providers too in the 'sharing economy'
  - Technology firms are promoting their own vision of change... which is producer interest



The MAAS\* business model relies on selling **more and more mobility** (\*Mobility As A Service)

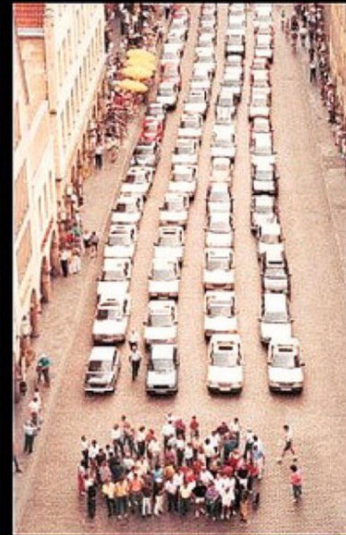
**space** required to transport **60 people**



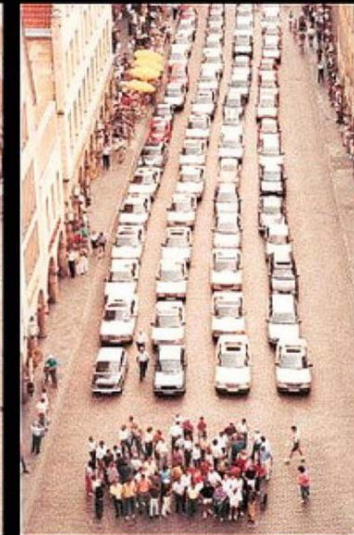
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electric car



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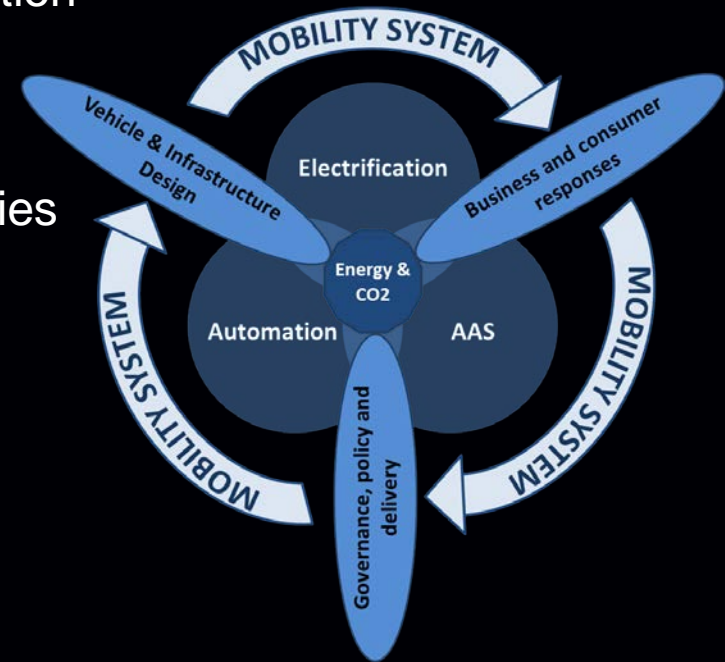
autonomous car



We need:

## Smart policy, not smart cities

- We are only at the beginning of the digital revolution for the city
- But **can we really have a city run by data?**
- How will the benefits and any negative externalities of such a transition be managed?
- How will we ensure the objectives of each 'revolution' are aligned?



Access  
~~MAAS~~

The more mobility the better





We need:

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Small data, *and* big data

- What is real time and big data actually enabling?
  - Do we understand the ‘traditional’ policy impacts of the innovations we foresee? (modal shift, congestion, social polarisation etc)
  - Do we understand how smart mobility will change our demand responses and change our cities, our places, our societies?
- What are we transforming ourselves into if we really can deliver smart, instant mobility?
- We need radical changes in theory, method and data to explain the world as it really is before it is too late



### Reason #3:

The efficiency and decarbonisation

discourse is **limiting our vision**

To decarbonise = doing the same without the carbon

- Therefore - Energy Policy focuses on technologies for decarbonising supply with little or no reference to demand

#### **THIS CLOSES LOTS OF DOORS**

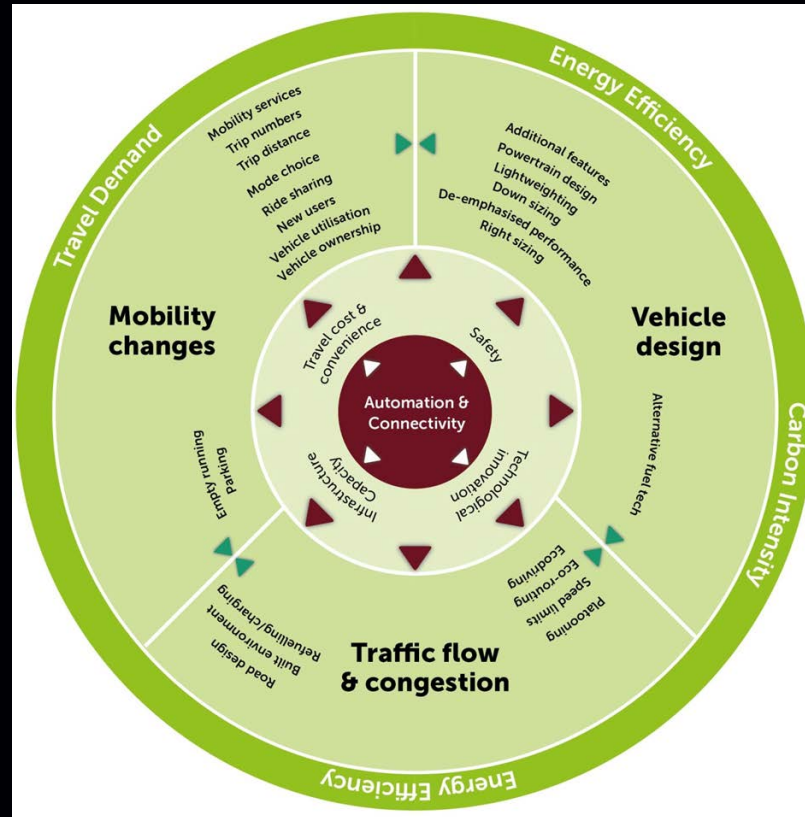
- It assumes that technologies are neutral – they can simply be replaced by decarbonised equivalents
- Even if this were true, it is acknowledged not to be enough

**Historical trends do not need to be taken for granted**

- If demand were to be expected to be lower than present - different decarbonisation options would come in to view



# Automation is ~~not~~ automatically a good thing



Download the report: Wadud, Z. and Anable, J. (2016) Automation: automatically low carbon? Report for the Low Carbon Vehicle Partnership, London.



We need:

Socio-technical change, not technology  
vs. behaviour change

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- Early quantitative analysis of the IPCC budgets and Paris Agreement suggest mitigation rates for wealthier industrialised nations of at least 10% p.a.; higher still if the 1.5°C commitment is to seriously inform UK policies.
- Delivering such near term mitigation cannot wait for wholesale infrastructure change
- Instead, must deliver within the existing socio-technical system whilst at the same time fostering the need for a wider system-level transformation





# Reason #4: Transport revolutions are not what shape travel

The biggest changes to travel patterns are not coming from transport policy



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[www.agelessvoice.net](http://www.agelessvoice.net)



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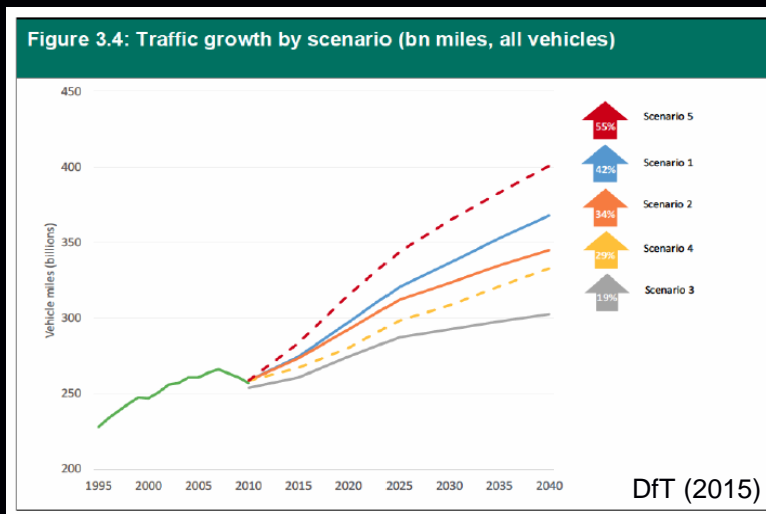


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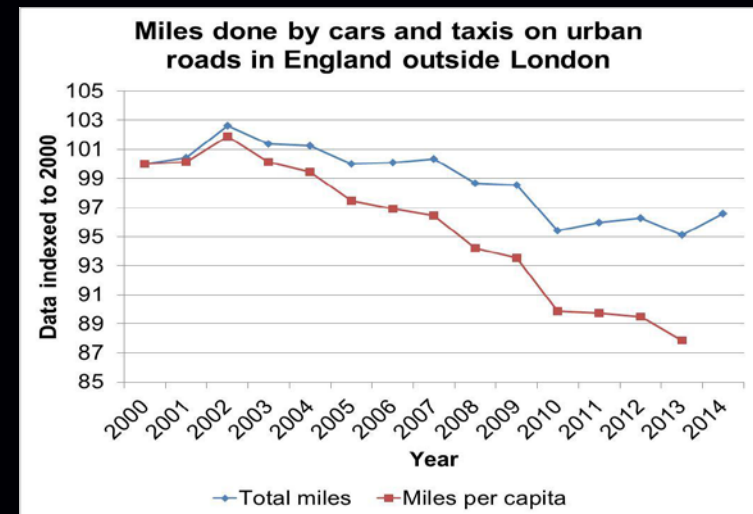


# Demand Uncertainty is Growing

## DfT Traffic Demand Scenarios



## Recent demands – ‘Peak Car’?

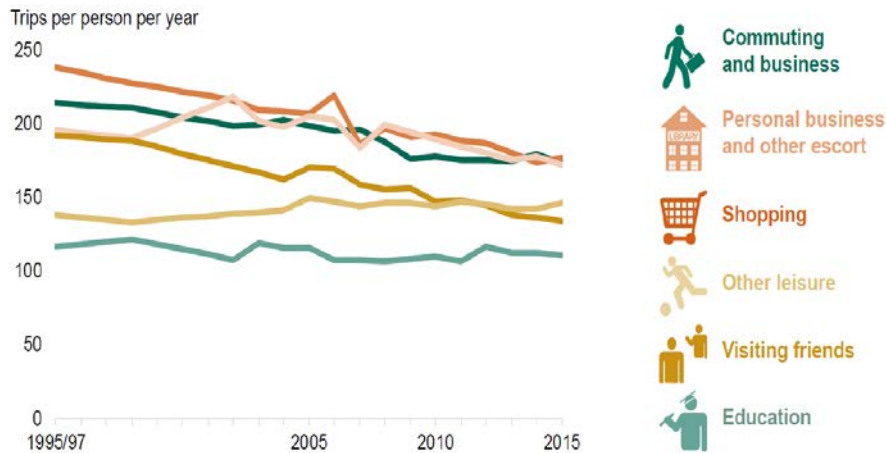


# And there are things going on that were not expected



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Average number of trips, by purpose: England 1995/97 to 2015 [NTS0403]



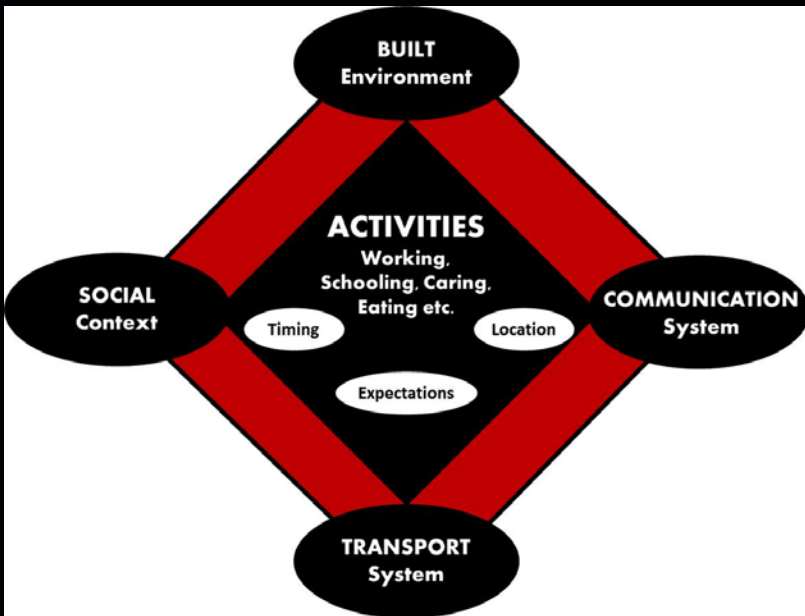
## Profile of population

- In the past 25 years 59% of the increase in population has been working age
- In the next 35 years 63% of the increase in population will be in over 65s



We need:

To design policy for the *Mobility sSystem*,  
not the *Transport System*



**Automobility:** needs more attention to the systems through which mobility needs are generated

**Peak car:** cannot rely on the hope that the younger generation will do things differently – what must come together to tip into a **post-car mobility system?**





## Key Points

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- There is **no time for large scale technological or infrastructural changes**
- The biggest technological challenges involve **how to integrate it in to society** – not the technology itself
- Energy Policy focuses on efficiency with **little reference to demand**
- Transport and Energy Policy has **very little relevance for transport and energy demand**
- **An electric car is just a car**; it is not revolutionary
- We need **Smart Policies**, not Smart Cities
- We need as much **Small Data** as Big Data

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# Smart cities, investment roadmaps and smart data

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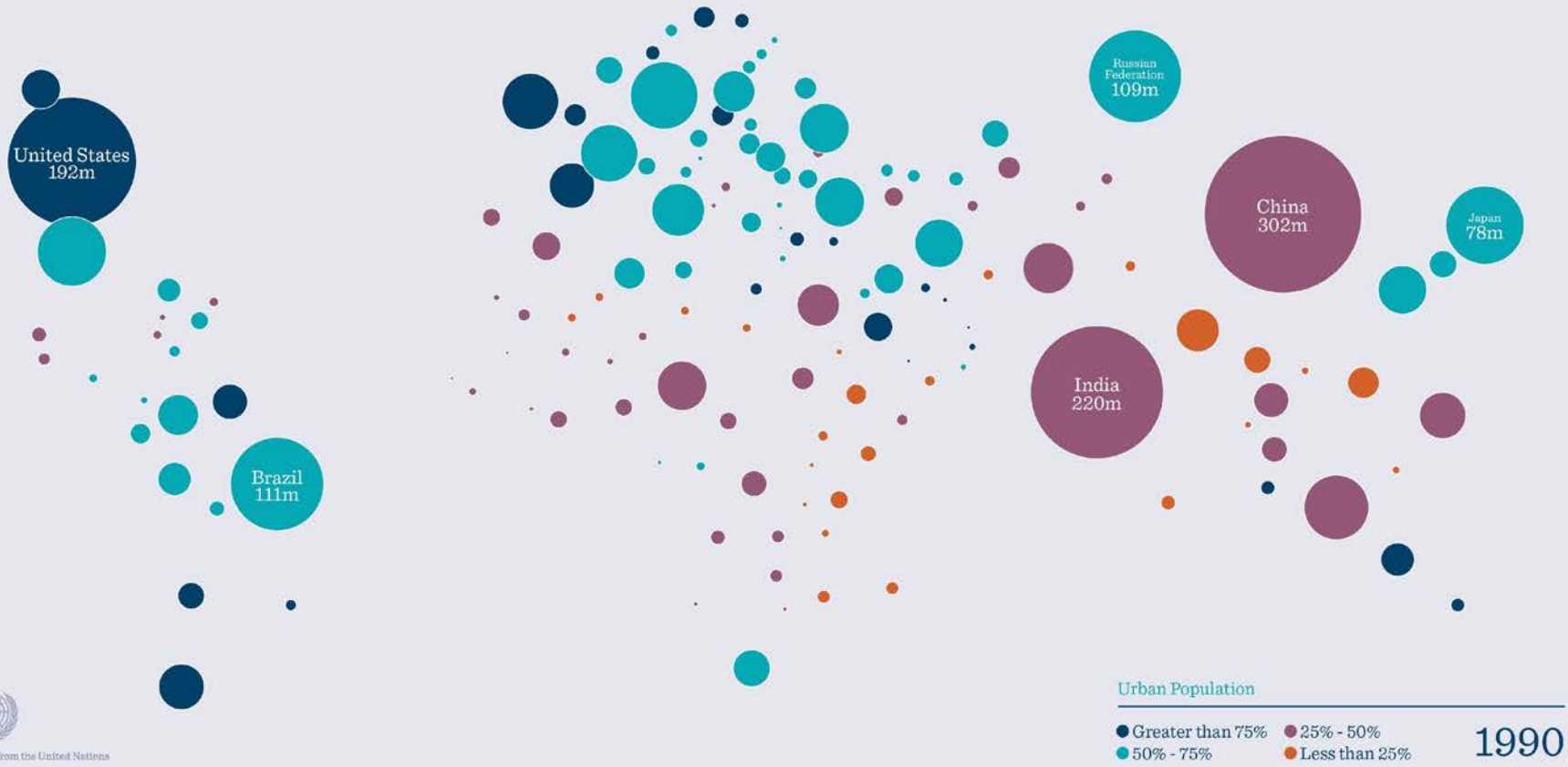
**Cities currently account for  
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## Rapid Urbanisation



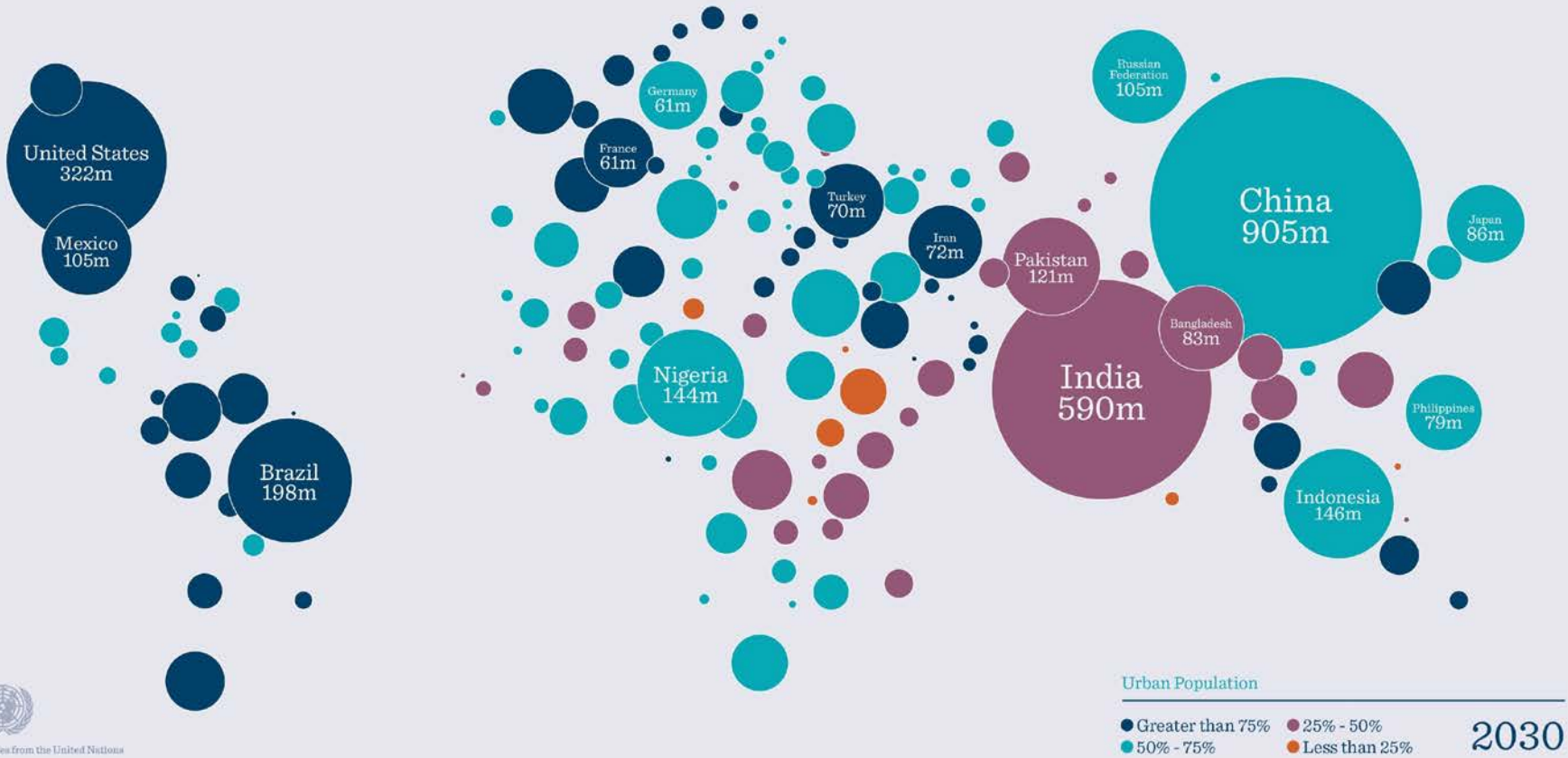


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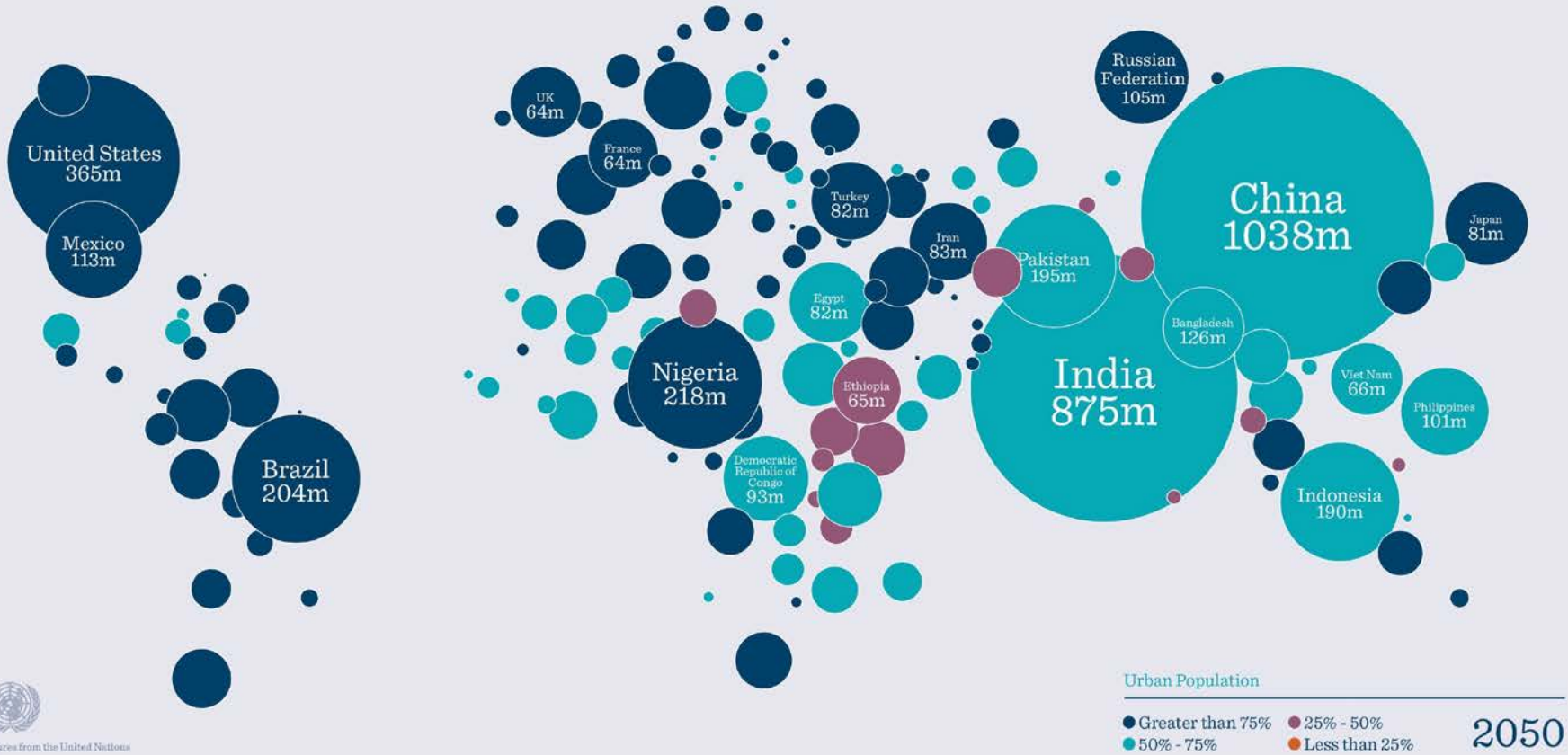


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# Urban Challenges



## Cope

More people & data



## Compete

More with less

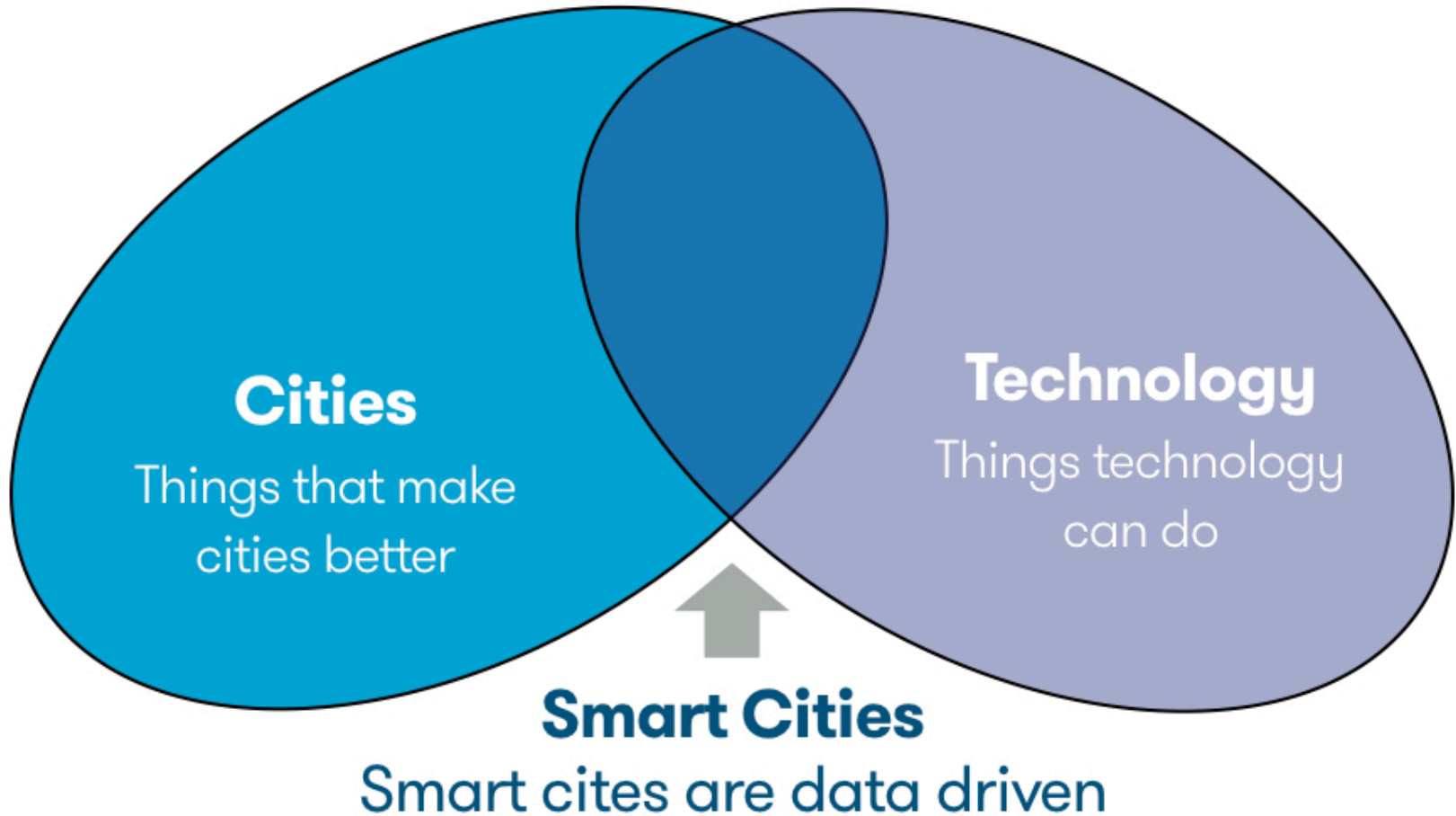


## Collaborate

More open



# What are smart cities?





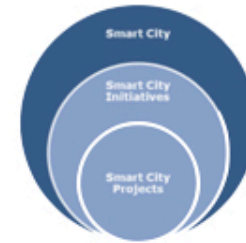
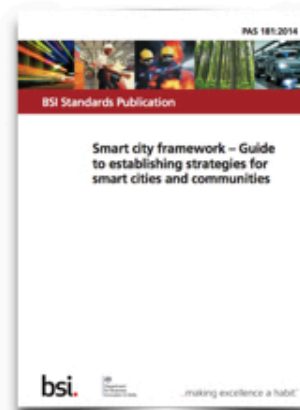
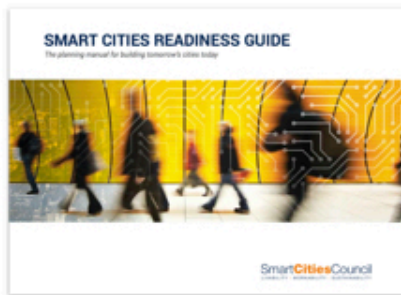
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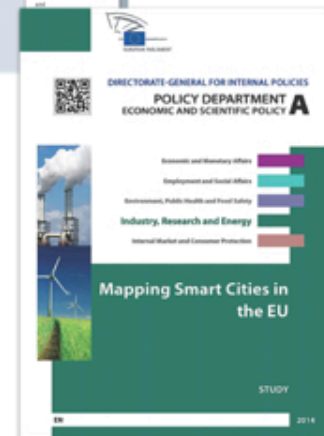
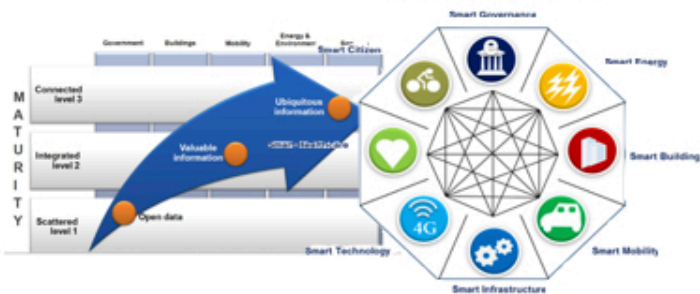




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Smart Diamond to define Smart city







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**Strategic Intent**



**Data**



**Technology**



**Governance &  
Service  
Delivery**



**Citizen &  
Business  
Engagement**



The Scottish Government  
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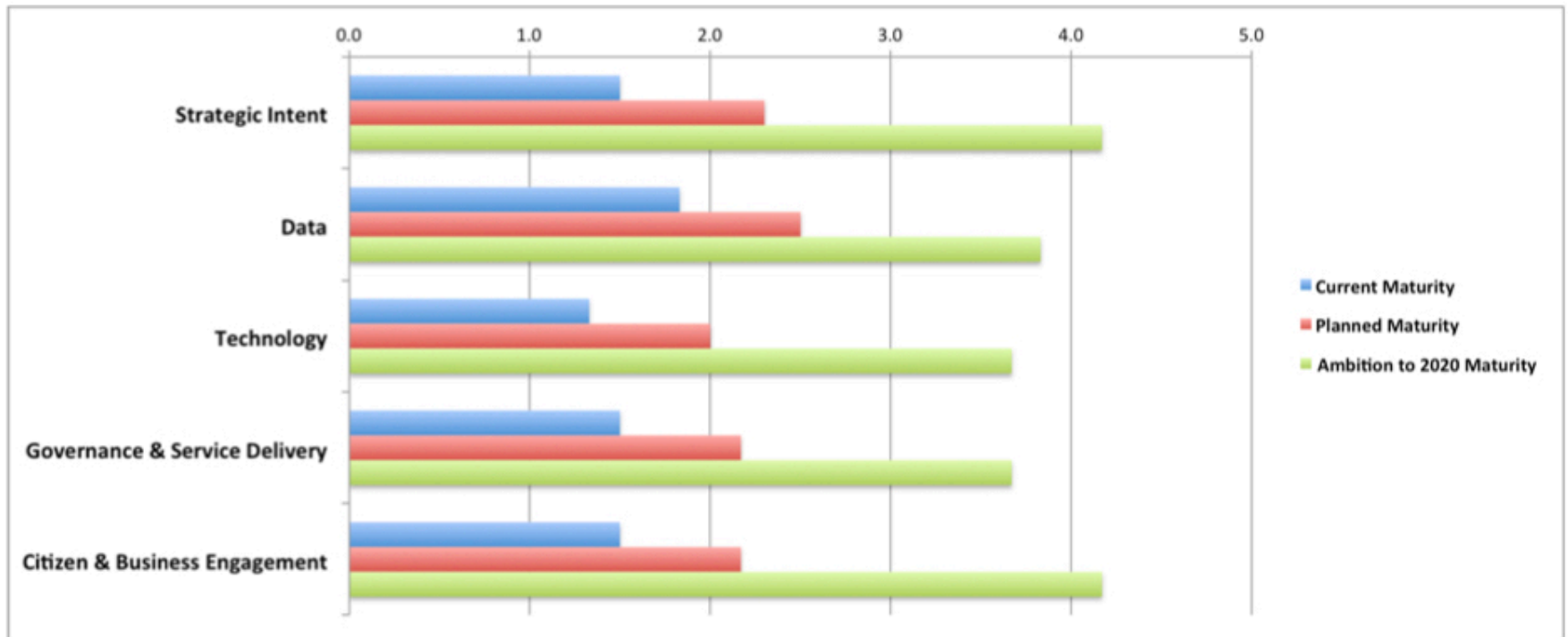


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# Overview of Scotland Smart Cities Maturity



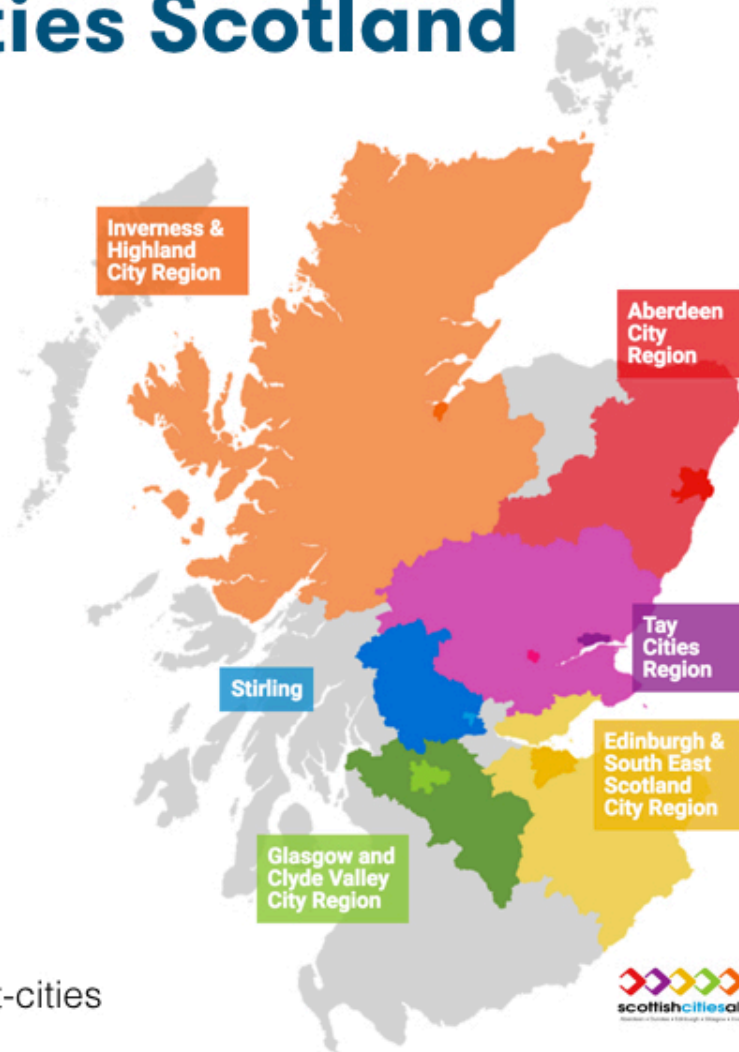




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One collaborative application for European Funds



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# 5 key areas

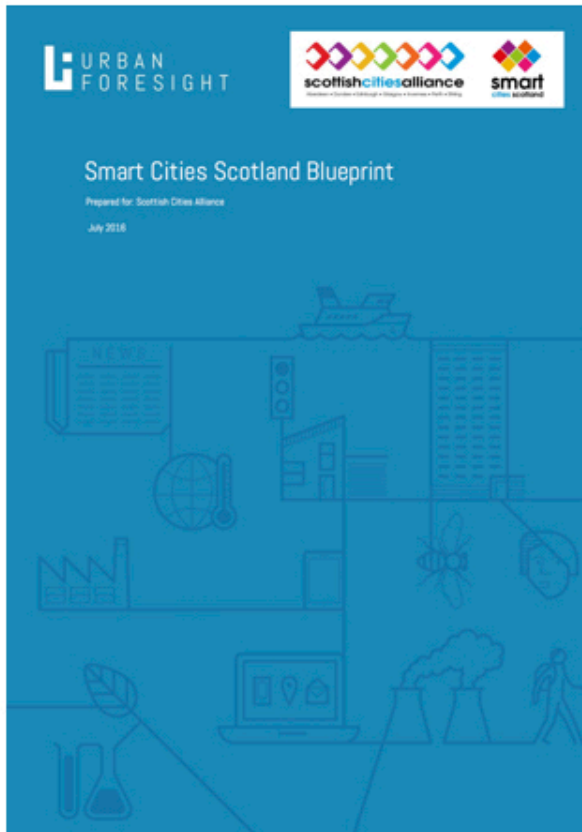
Smart & Healthy Living:  
**Data-led smart & healthy  
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Circular Economy:  
**Manage the flow of resources  
within and between cities**

Collaboration & Engagement:  
**Sharing & learning platform**

Open Data & Transparency:  
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Technology & Innovation:  
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Scotland Blueprint



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# Smart Data





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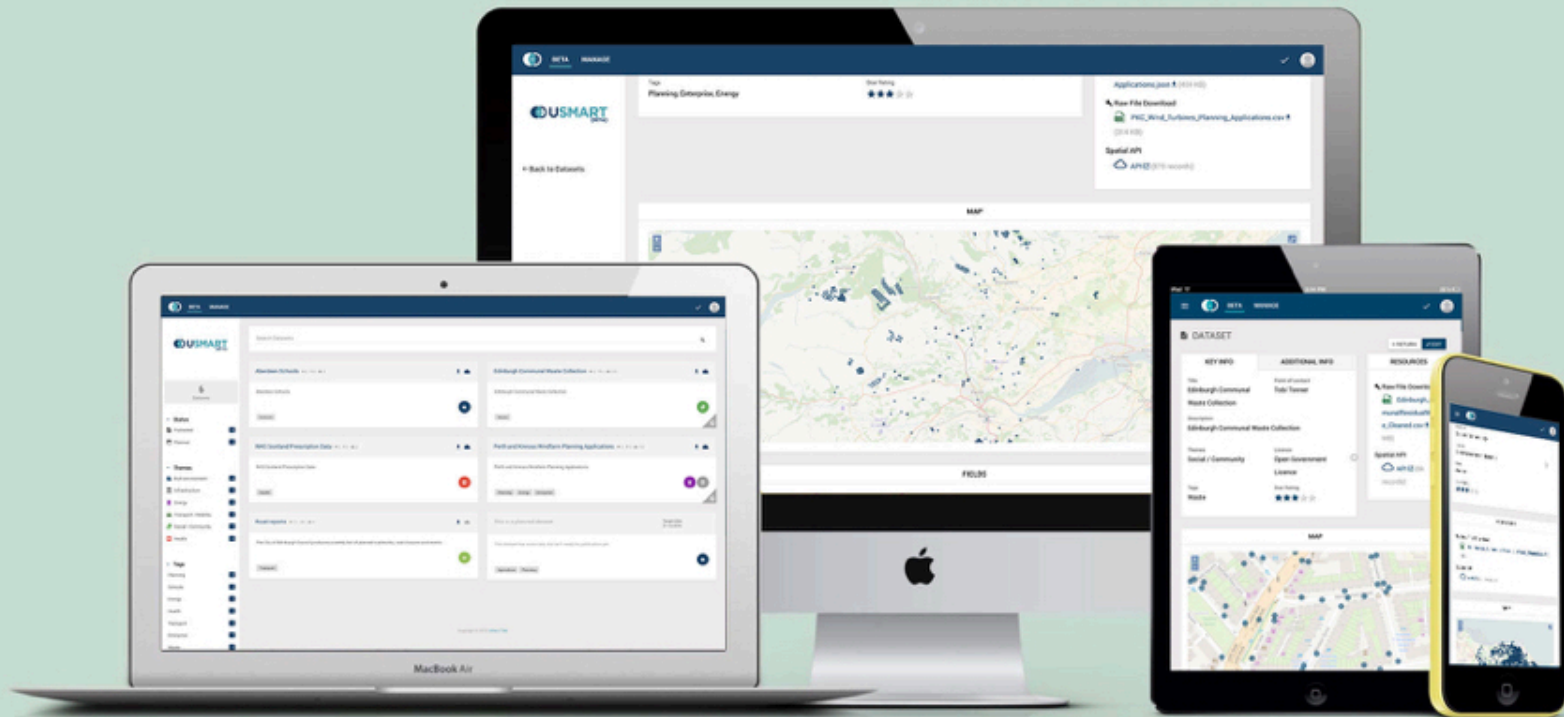
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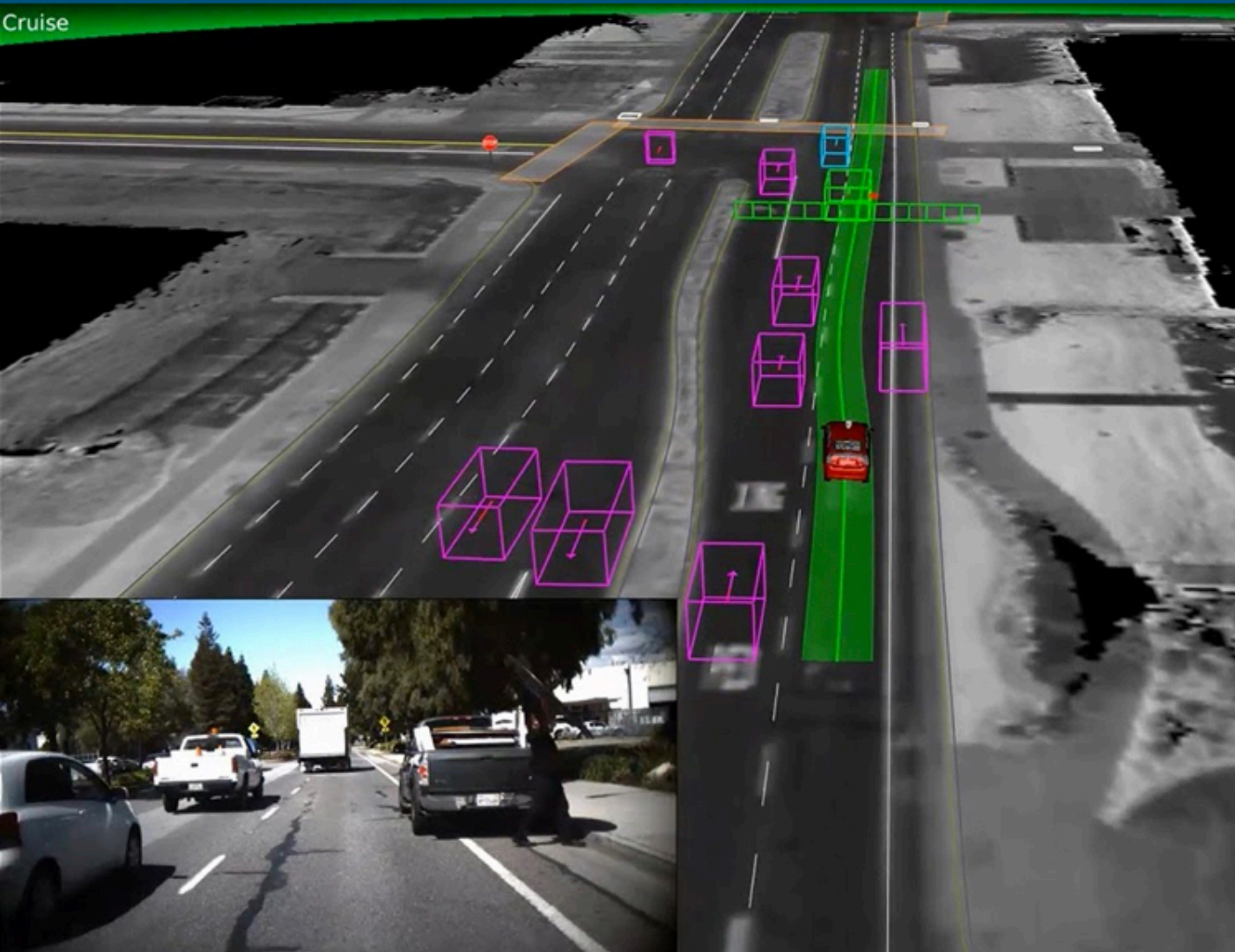




# Examples



Cruise



Over one billion cars on the road today





**Most cars are parked about 95% of the time.**





Google DeepMind

**120 variables =  
15% improvement**

Saved 660,425 MWh  
or 55,000 average home energy

<http://www.bloomberg.com/news/articles/2016-07-19/google-cuts-its-giant-electricity-bill-with-deepmind-powered-ai>

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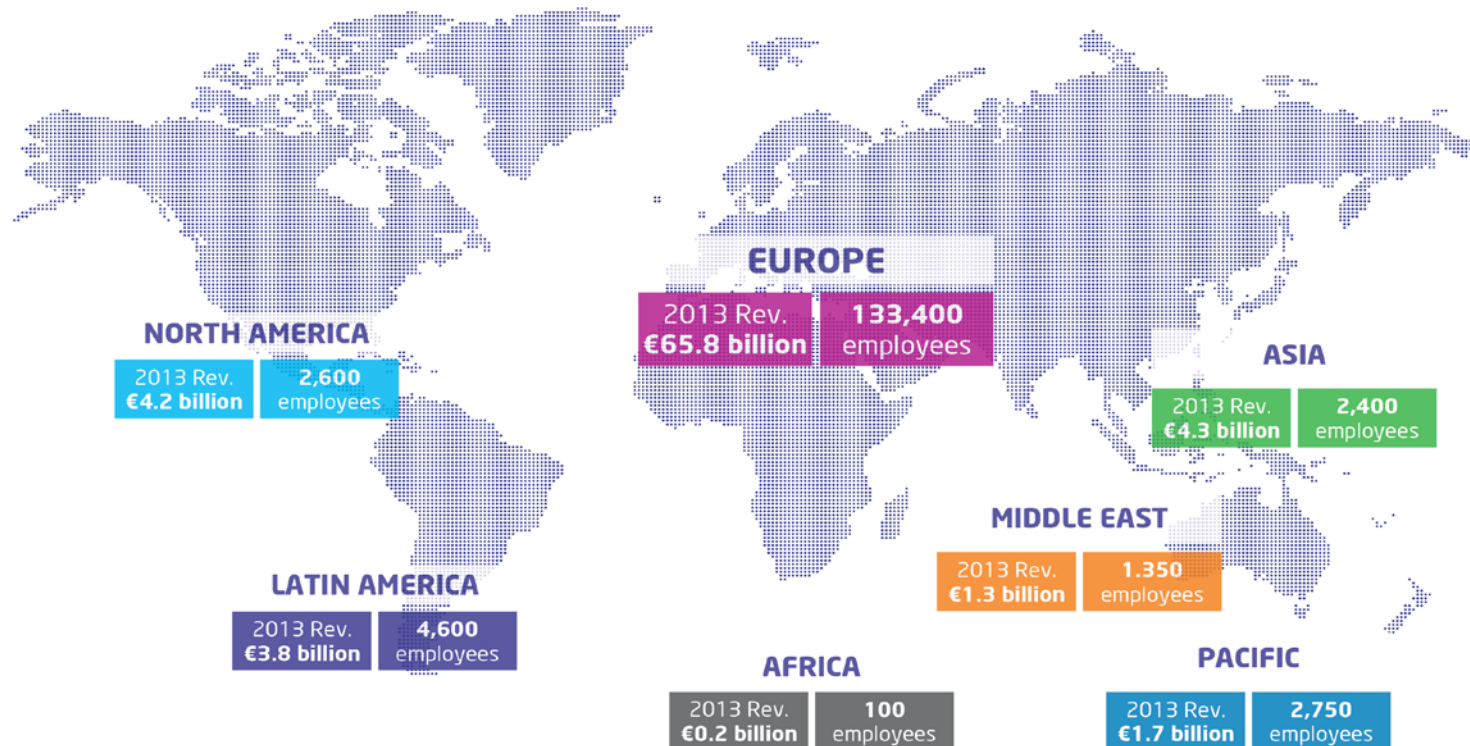
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revenue in 2014

—  
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—

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UK turnover

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M<sup>2</sup> of space  
managed

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In district and  
industrial energy

**5GW**

Of power  
generation  
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Customer sites





# SUSTAINABLE CITIES – INTEGRATED SOLUTIONS

## Cities' Needs

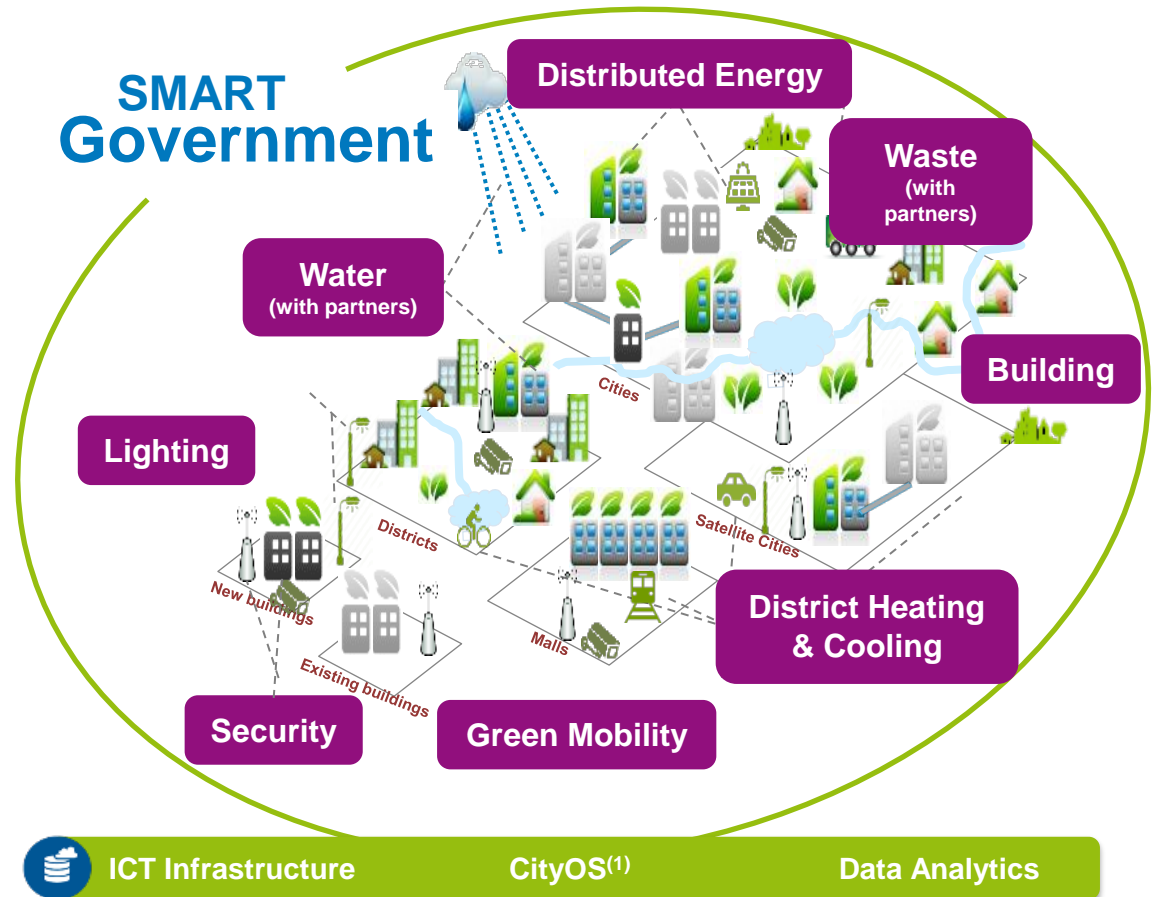
To improve  
**Security and Resilience**

To benefit from  
**Fluid & Green mobility**

To ensure an  
**Enjoyable environment**

To develop the  
**Local attractiveness**

To allow to  
**Reduce costs**



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# District Energy – Meeting the Energy Trilemma

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**Security of Supply**

- Fuel diversification
- Distributed energy
- Local sourcing

District Energy  
addresses all  
the branches of  
the energy  
trilemma

**Affordability**

Potential for lower cost heat

**Climate Change**

- Low carbon heat
- CHP
  - Biomass/EfW
  - Heat pumps





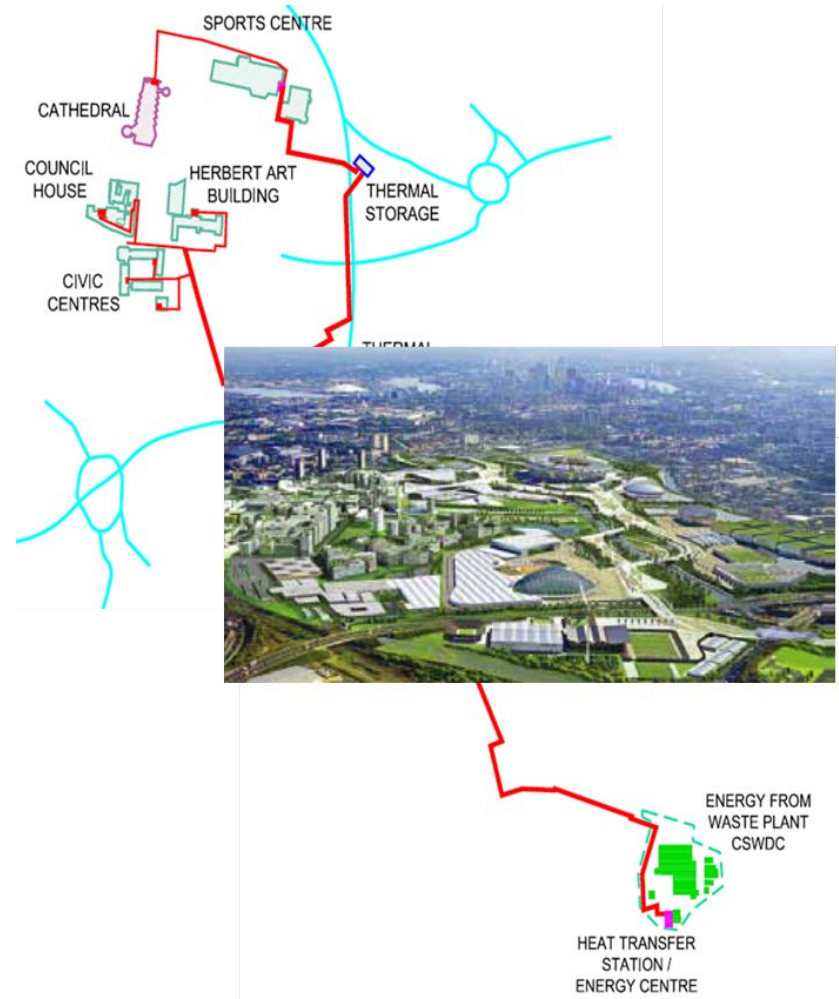
# District Energy – Opportunities

## Deployment

- Retrofit to existing buildings
- New build developments
- Extensions to existing networks
- Repowering of existing networks
- Heat from energy-from-waste, biomass and other heat producers

## Funding and operation

- Public Sector
- Private Sector
- Partnerships

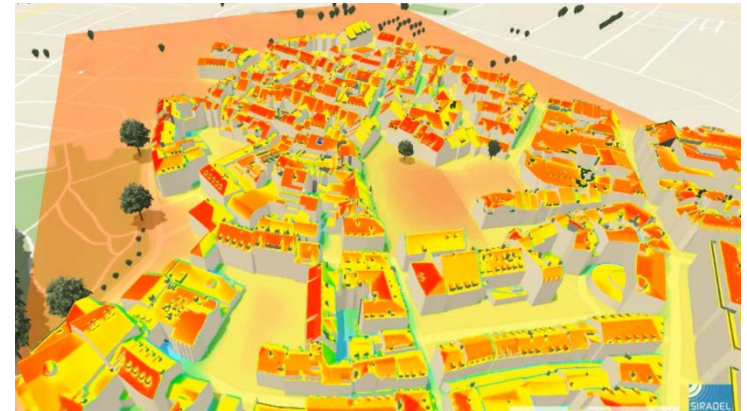
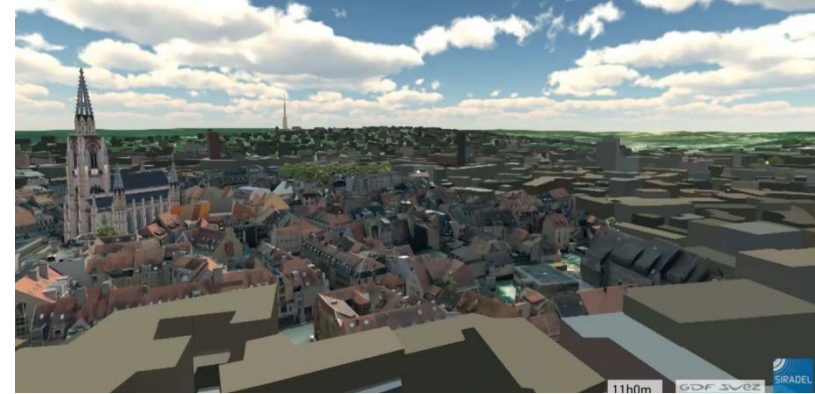


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## District Energy – Key Challenges

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- Widely available gas network
- Installing in dense urban areas
- Customer uptake and perception
- Viability
- Planning consent
- Long-term carbon sustainability
- Inconsistency with other policy measures



# District Energy – Policy and Incentives

## Increasing Policy Support and Incentives

- In Scotland 1.5TWh of heat demand to be met by district heating by 2020.
- Heat Networks Partnership for Scotland and District Heating Action Plan.
- District Heating Load Fund
- Planning Policy
- Heat mapping
- RHI
- HNDU/HNIP in England and Wales



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# District Energy – Customer Behaviour

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## Key Issues

- Lack of familiarity / inertia
- Adverse press
- Unregulated – pricing, monopoly Supply and complaints
- Long-term operation and maintenance

## Approach

- Heat Trust
- Welcome Packs
- ESCos
- Clear contracts with KPIs





# Technology – Decarbonisation and Future Proofing

- Long-life heat network
- Technologies
  - Gas CHP
  - Biomass
  - Heat from EfW
  - Heat pumps
  - Geothermal
  - Biogas
- Private wires and embedded generation



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