

ABOUT GARRANE GREEN ENERGY

Garrane Green Energy is a wind farm project with the potential capacity of up to 9 turbines. The proposed project is located in the townland of Garrane, Co.Limerick.

DID YOU KNOW?

In 2024, wind accounted for 32% of Ireland's energy! source: RTE.ie & windenergyireland.com

WHY WIND ENERGY?

Onshore wind energy projects form a key part of the Government's plan to enhance clean electricity generation, reduce carbon dioxide emissions, meet Ireland's environmental targets and move towards a more secure energy future. We believe that wind energy will play a central role in Ireland's transition to a low-carbon economy by 2050.

THE ENVIRONMENT

Environmental studies, surveys and assessments relating to Ecology, Archaeology and Cultural Heritage, Geology and Soils, Landscape and Visual, Traffic and Transport, Noise and Vibration are currently being undertaken. The environmental assessments will be used to inform the project's Environmental Impact Assessment Report (EIAR).



A RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECT BY



Greensource is an Irish owned and managed renewable energy company. We have specialised in the development of renewable energy projects for over twenty years, and have been working with communities like those around Garrane from pre-planning to operation and have created long-lasting local partnerships along the way. We pride ourselves on working with integrity and care for the local environment. See greensource.ie for further information.

PROJECT BENEFITS

This project has the potential to:



GENERATE UP TO €250,000 IN COMMUNITY FUNDING TO THE LOCAL AREA EACH YEAR



CREATE OVER 60 JOBS, WORKING WITH LOCAL SUPPLIERS WHERE POSSIBLE



PROVIDE CLEAN POWER FOR UP TO 30,000 HOMES



OFFSET CARBON EMISSIONS BY APPROXIMATELY 53,000 TONNES PER YEAR

THE COMMUNITY BENEFIT FUND

In line with Community Benefit Fund Guidelines, governed by the Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland (SEAI), and based on the current project scope, Garrane Green Energy will generate a Community Benefit Fund estimated at €3.7 million over the first 15 years of operation. This amounts to approximately €250,000 per annum. The funds will be administered by a locally elected committee. There will be opportunities for you to join a new community committee to assist in the allocation of this Community Benefit Fund. A worked example of how a fund value of €250,000 is allocated is indicated on the right

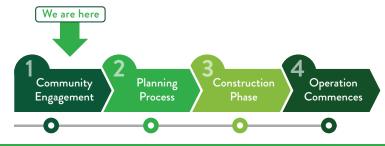
Description	% of Fund	Annual Amount
Initiatives and projects that support Sustainable Development Goals within the local area	40%	€100,000
Local clubs, societies and near neighbours	50%	€125,000 (shared between those closest to the project and the balance will be allocated to local clubs, societies and near neighbours within 2km of a turbine)
Administration	10% (Max)	€25,000

PROJECT LOCATION



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

We are currently at the community engagement phase of the project. Here is where we will engage directly with the local community to gather feedback on the proposed project. You will receive updates on the project via post or you can visit the project's dedicated website. The proposed site location is indicated on the map to the left. To share your feedback, please visit our website and complete the survey.





LET'S DISCUSS

Our dedicated community team are available to discuss the project with you. Should you wish to arrange a personal consultation, please feel free to contact us:



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