



Dear colleague,

APSE (Southern Region) Renewables & Energy Efficiency Advisory Group – Thursday 28 September 2023 (Online)

I am writing to inform you that the next **online** meeting of the APSE (Southern Region) Renewables & Energy Efficiency Advisory Group will be held as follows:

Date:	Thursday 28 September 2023
10:30	Welcome and Introduction from Chair: Cllr Sue Cooper, Cabinet member for environment, climate change & Nature Recovery
10:35	APSE Update – Abi Ademiluyi, Principal Advisor, APSE Southern Region
10:40	Southend On Sea City Council: Improving housing stock sustainability
11:10	Dorset Council Public Sector Decarbonisation Programme
11:40	The world’s first Energy Superhub in Oxford – the first year
12:10	Group Discussion – An opportunity for attendees to discuss the challenges and solutions their councils are experiencing
12:30	Close

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I look forward to welcoming you to this online meeting on Thursday 28 September 2023.

Yours faithfully



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APSE (Southern Region) Renewables & Energy Efficiency Advisory Group Agenda Thursday 28 September 2023

1. *Introduction and welcome from the Chair*

Speaker: Cllr Sue Cooper, Cabinet member for Environment, Climate Change & Nature Recovery

2. **APSE Update:** Update on APSE Southern Region activities

Speaker: Abi Ademiluyi, Principal Advisor, APSE Southern Region

3. **Improving housing stock sustainability**

- Enhancing standards of new builds.
- Improving the sustainability of the existing housing stock.
- Building future homes to align with journey to become carbon neutral.

Speaker: Ben Harrison, Sustainable Housing officer, Southend-on-Sea City Council

4. **Dorset Council Public Sector Decarbonisation Programme**

- Cutting emissions of the council's public estate.
- Installation of low carbon measures in a range of public-sector buildings.
- Developing and deploying innovative heat tech solutions.

Speaker: Max Bishop, Sustainability Manager Property, Climate & Ecological Sustainability Team, Dorset Council

5. **The world's first Energy Superhub in Oxford – the first year**

- Brief background to creation of the Energy Superhub Oxford
- What results has the Superhub achieved in its first year?
- How the Superhub fits with Oxford City's Net Zero plans
- Plans for an electric bus fleet in Oxford – what will the project involve?

Speakers: Tim Rose, Sustainability Lead - Solar, Storage and Private Wire, EDF Renewables and Tina Mould, Sustainable Innovation Programme Team Manager, Oxford City Council

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