Local Authorities to lead the transition to **net zero carbon** 

to protect our **future**.

strategic investments turn capital into long-term revenues

support the core objective of serving the community

#### inspire strategic thinking

empower you with knowledge

raise challenges

the challenge...

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### 80% 2050 Building Stock Already exists...

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By 2031...

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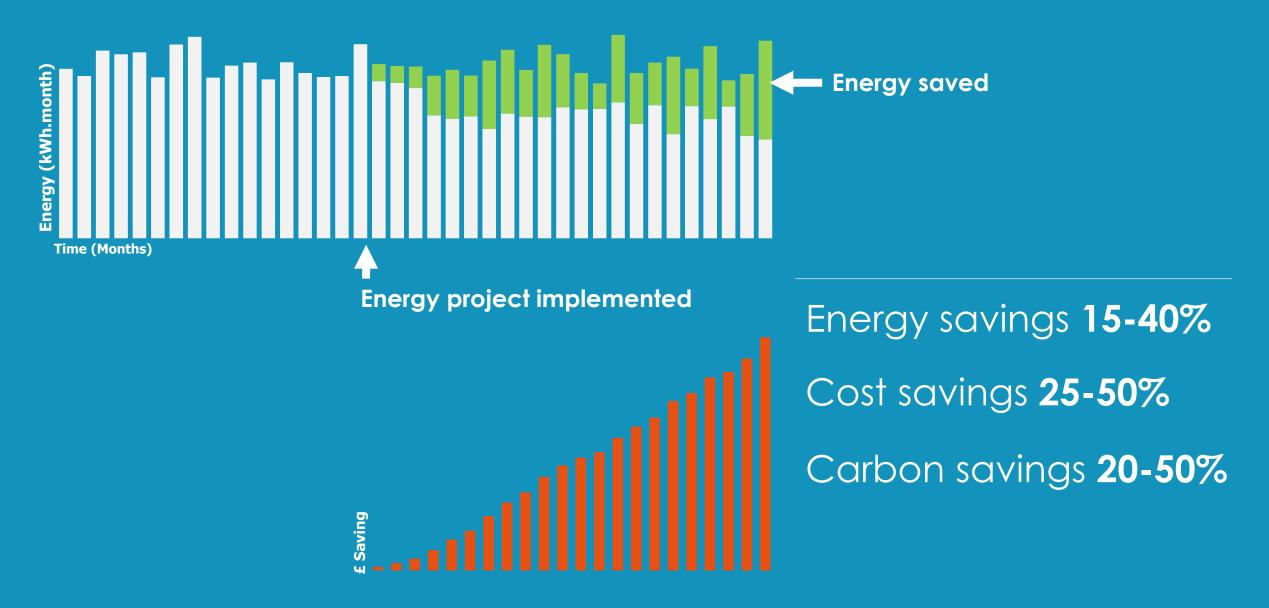
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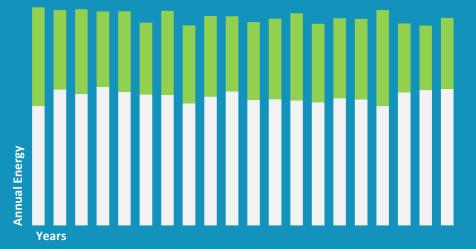


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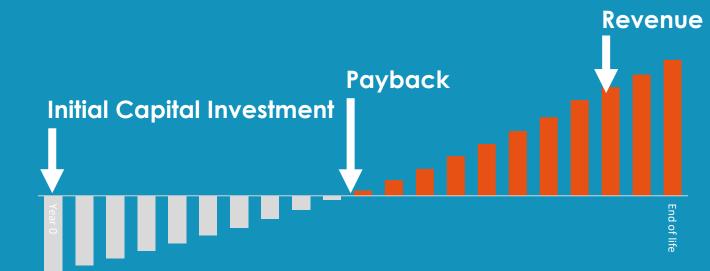
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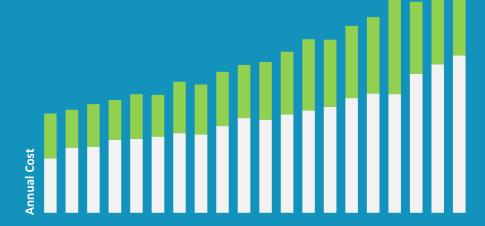


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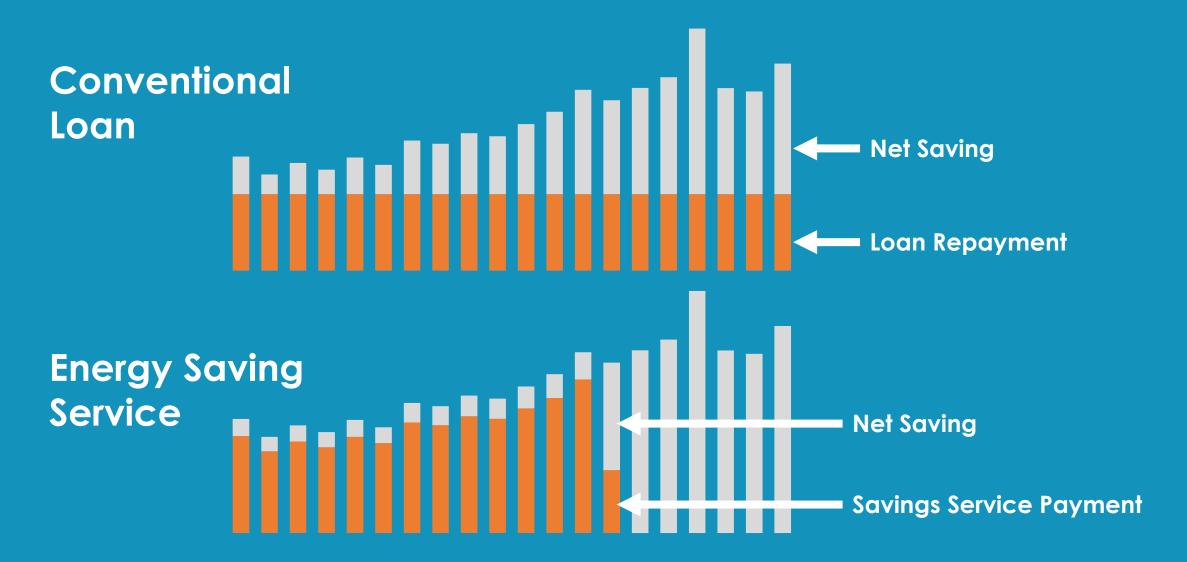


Payback Period **5 - 15 years** Lifespan **10 – 20 years** Internal Rate of Return **6 – 10%** 





### A conventional energy retrofit project >





# Energy Projects delivered in **Cambridgeshire**

### **Schools Energy Efficiency**

With CCC – Schools & Academies across Cambridgeshire



**65 Sites** Completed (15+ in pipeline)

>7,250,000kWh/annum saved



**37,500 TCO<sub>2</sub>** saved over project life\*



£8,000,000 investment



No extra net cost to school

**Guaranteed!** 





\* Based on 15 year programme duration



### **Council Building Energy Efficiency**

With CCC, City Council, SCDC, FDC & HDC

- **14 Leisure Centres**



**6 Council Offices** 



**2 Car Parks** 



& Other council assets



- >1,250,000kWh/annum saved
- 5,000 TCO<sub>2</sub> saved over project life\* (CO)





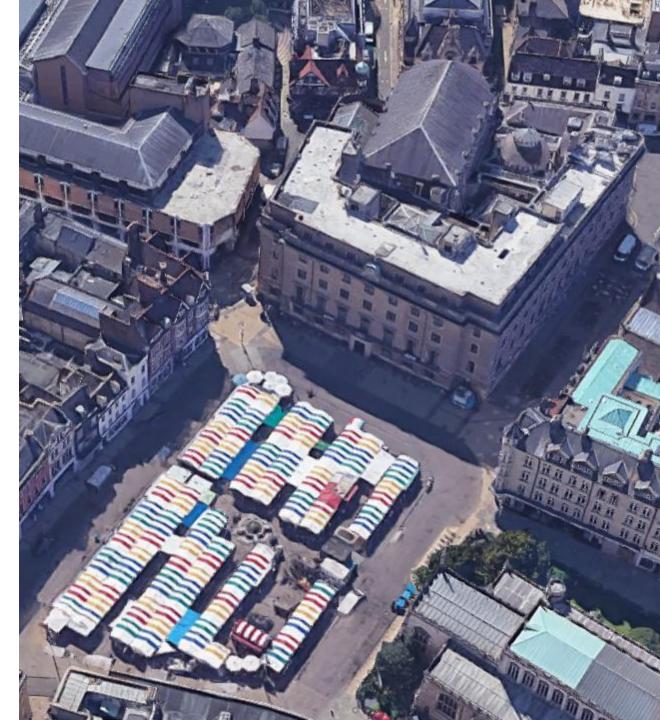
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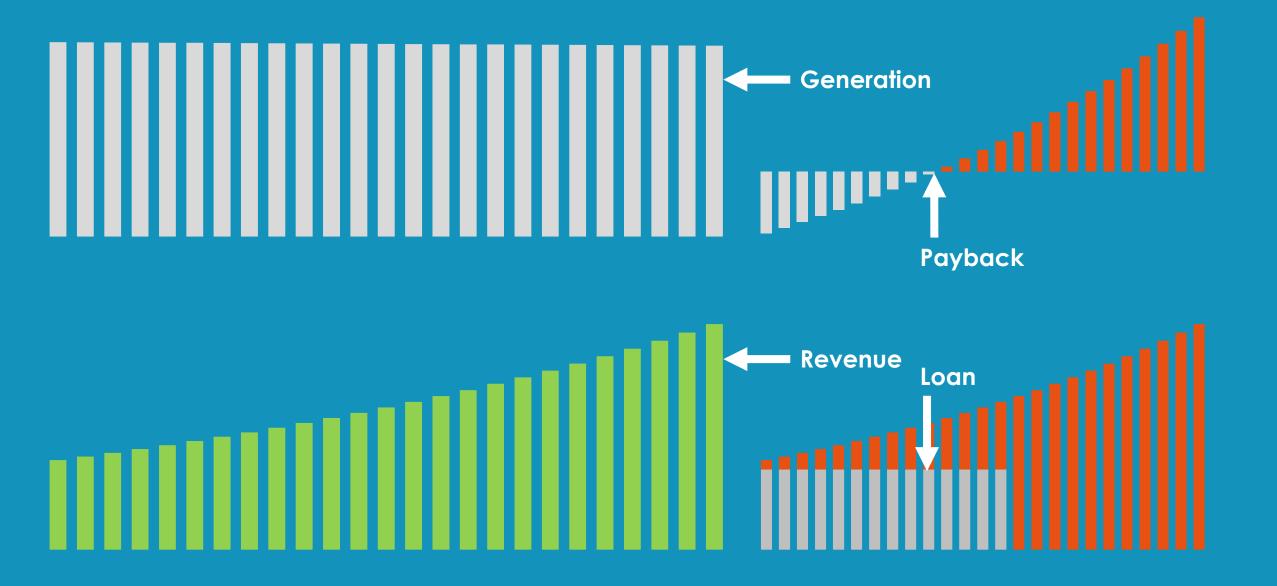








### A standalone renewable energy project...



#### **12MW Solar Farm**

**Provides enough power for 3,150 homes** 





**£9.4m investment by CCC** 



**£25M revenue** over project life

**123,000 TCO<sub>2</sub> saved** over project life



Savings & revenues guaranteed until all costs are recovered.



electrification of transport

decarbonising heat

maximising asset revenue potential...

Moving toward an integrated renewable energy system.

increased population

increased demands

the demand for 'smarter cities'

aged infrastructure

#### **Transport Hub Smart Energy Grid Demonstrators**

Transforms car parks into renewable energy generation hubs

Sustainable electrification of transport

A **positive impact** on the network

#### **Target Sites:**

- St. Ives Park & Ride
- Babraham Park & Ride
- Longstanton Park & Ride (future)

#### **Renewable Heat to Rural Communities**

- Targeting areas on stored fuel
- Sustainable alternative to natural gas
- Centralised Ground Source Heat Pump
- No extra cost to end-customers
- Long-term revenue stream to Council

Swaffham Prior selected for demonstrator project





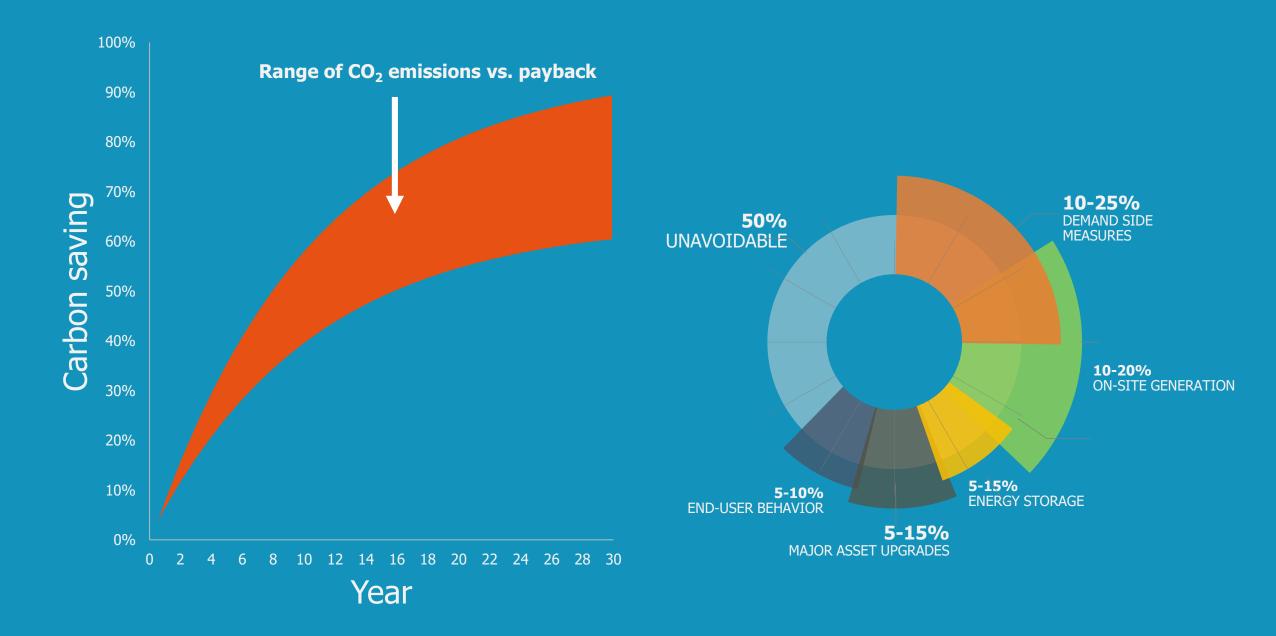
#### **South Cambs Halls**

# Demonstrating retrofit potential with a **modern, energy efficient building**

A combination of renewable energy & energy efficiency measures

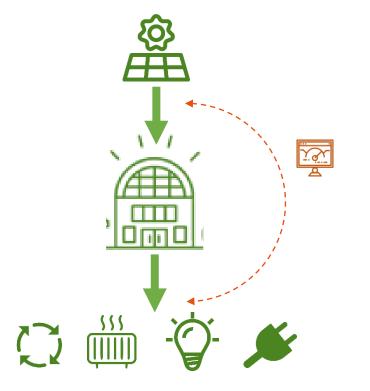
Integrating EV charging facilities

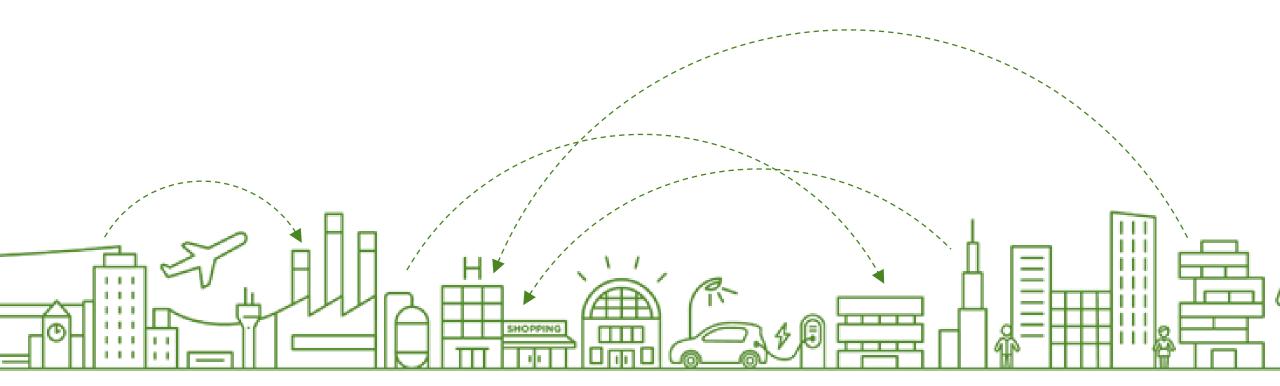
Toward net zero carbon



In order to maximise renewable energy and minimise carbon emissions

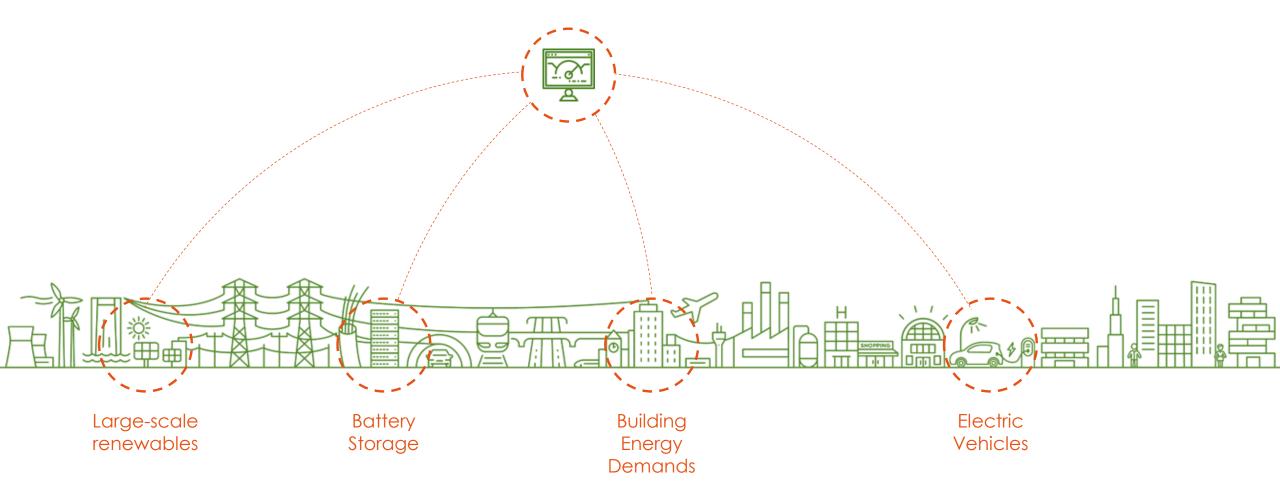
Actively controlling building energy loads with renewable energy 'availability'



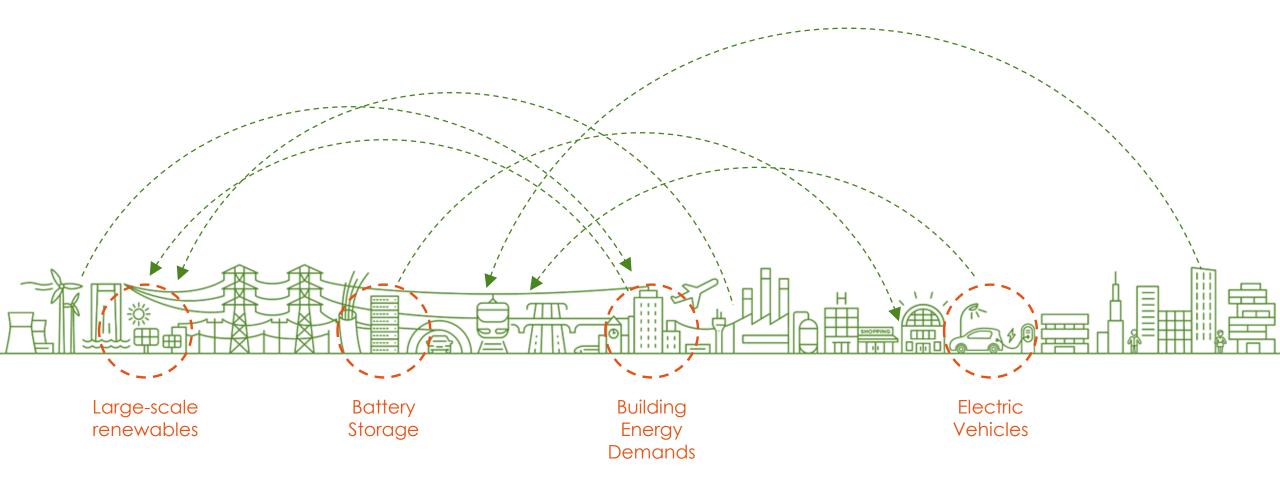


Ability to share energy demands and supplies across local communities / districts

#### Utilising 'Distributed Energy Resources' strategically to form a 'system'



#### Develop commercial models and reform regulations to create a self-sustaining market



Why are **local authorities so well placed?** 

A drive to 'balance the books'

Commercialisation - transform Capital into long-term revenue

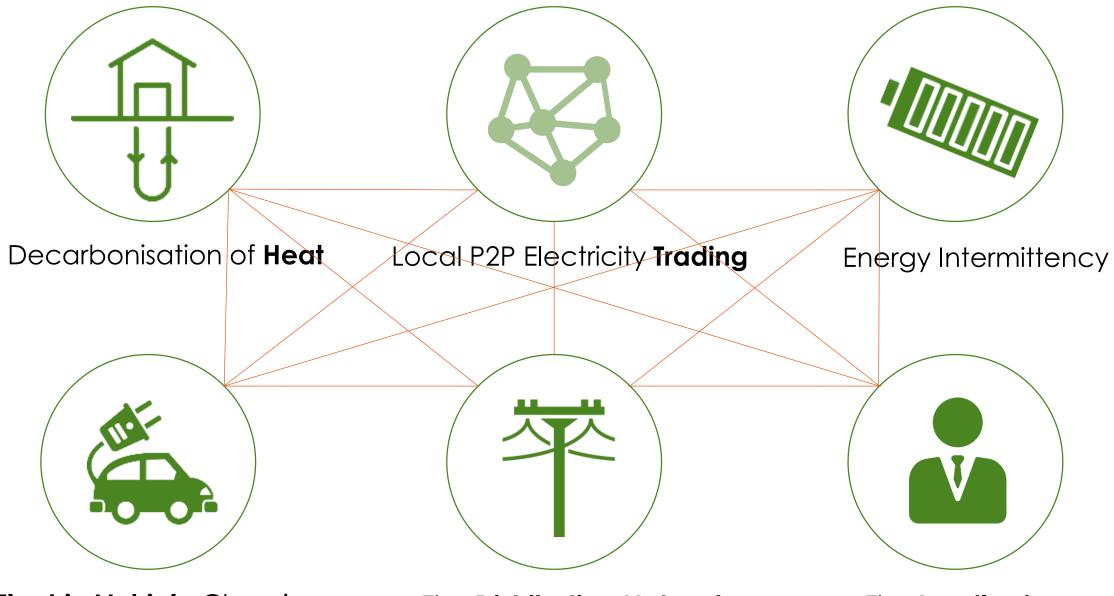
Access to **low cost finance** 

A varied portfolio of **assets** 

Opportunity to **collaborate** with other **PSOs** 

The power to **influence change** 

Some of the key challenges to address on the pathway to zero carbon.



Electric Vehicle Charging

The Distribution Network

The Landlord...

### to summarise...



Retrofitting our **existing building stock** is necessary and viable A **proven** model through our work to date in **Cambridgeshire** Future **barriers** to unlock in order to **continue in our journey** Local authorities are well placed to **pioneer innovation** 



#### Thank you.



#### Shared innovation

