



BEST PRACTICES AND SOLUTIONS FOR ENERGY TRANSITION	
TYPE OF BEST PRACTICE:	GOVERNANCE PRACTICES AND STRUCTURES
<b>TITLE:</b>	Community Power for homes and businesses in Ireland.
<b>Keywords:</b> <i>Please select from dropdown lists (cells B5-B9), up to 5 representative keywords that best describe the features of the best practice.</i>	Energy communities Renewable energy Governance structure
<b>Country:</b> <i>Please select from dropdown list (cell B10), the country where the best practice was implemented. If in more than one countries, select "multiple countries" and describe in cell B11.</i>	Ireland
<b>Region / Municipality / location:</b> <i>Please provide further details on the territory where the best practice was implemented, as applicable (e.g. Region and/or Municipality and/or location of individual building).</i>	Tipperary
<b>Short description:</b> <i>(Up to 150 characters)</i>	Community Power is Ireland's first community owned electricity supplier, and it is a partnership of community energy groups.
<b>Long description:</b> <i>(Up to 1000 characters)</i> <i>Describe a best practice in the field of Governance practices &amp; structures [e.g. a good example of a tool/method used for effective multi-level governance coordination between a Region and its Municipalities, as regards regional and local energy action plans; a good example of a permanent multi-level governance structure / figure coordinating energy transition at local/regional level; a good example of a public authority that demonstrates novel / effective implementation of multi-level governance; etc.].</i>	Community Power is Ireland's first community owned electricity supplier. It is a partnership of community energy groups working for a sustainable energy future for Ireland which grew out of Ireland's first community owned wind farm, Templederry Wind Farm in Co Tipperary, and is now supplying electricity to homes and businesses all over Ireland. Community Power is working to deliver clean, renewable energy to homes and businesses in Ireland while empowering communities to own their own source of electricity and generate local jobs in rural communities.
<b>Project full title / acronym:</b> <i>The title of the Best Practice is inserted in cell B4. Please only fill in this field (cell B19) if the Best Practice was implemented as part of a "Project". The "Project" can be an EU project or a local / national initiative, a private initiative etc.</i> <b>Funding Programme:</b> <i>(If applicable)</i> <b>Project website:</b> <i>(If applicable)</i>	Community Power  <a href="https://communitypower.ie/">https://communitypower.ie/</a>
<b>Relevant images:</b> <i>Photos, project logo etc.</i>	 
<b>Progress status - Start date:</b> <b>End date:</b> <i>If relevant, please include any further information as regards progress of the case study.</i>	2000 ongoing
<b>Key benefits / outcomes:</b> <i>Describe key benefits - key outputs from this best practice. Where available and relevant, use users' testimonies.</i>	Energy community self-organized by citizens and other entities or community groups. Now offering energy services for the energy transition.
<b>References:</b> <i>Provide relevant links or documentation (reports / photos / videos etc.) that relate to the described case study (Note: please only provide where it is acceptable to make the information publicly available online.</i>	