

# Plymouth Energy COMUNITY

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White label energy tariffs – key questions to answer for interested community partners



## What is a white label arrangement?

- Partnership with a licensed supplier
- Locally branded tariffs
- Keep profits local
- Easy customer acquisition for an existing supplier
- Some control over tariff design (balance of SC/UR)
- Potential to link with PPAs...



## 5 Questions to ask

1. Who are your customers?

Members...locals...fuel poor...investors...

- 2. How large is your market?

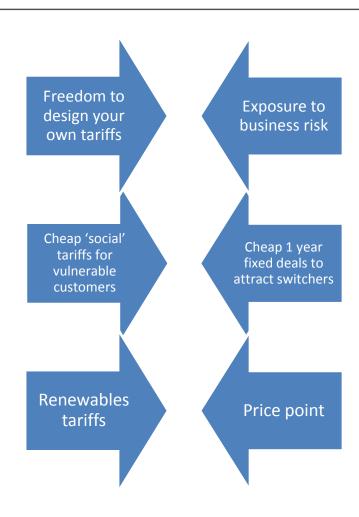
  Your geographical reach (Plymouth 115,000 hh)
- 3. How many customers do you need to break even?  $£25 \times 1,000 = £25,000...$  bear in mind challenge of acquisition
- 4. What revenue model do you envisage?

  Front-loaded... referral fee...per customer p/a, share margin...
- 5. What is your pricing strategy? Will it drive uptake?

  Loss leaders... 'social' tariffs... offsetting... who really switches (?)



### Competing pressures





# Thank you....Questions?

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