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Low Carbon Buildings Programme (LCBP2)

A series of free events being held around the country – find out how we can help you go 'green'

Reduce your
buildings' carbon
emissions

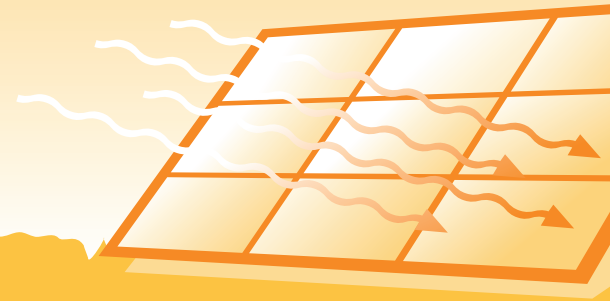
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Millions of pounds in grants available to help your buildings go 'green'

Grants of up to £1 million per site are available to help you gain the benefits of renewable energy technologies.

If you are a:

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You could be among those eligible to apply for grants of up to £1 million for obtaining and installing renewable technologies – solar, wind, ground source heat pump and biomass.

As this funding is available for a finite period, public sector building owners and managers are being encouraged to find out more about the grants scheme to avoid missing this opportunity to reduce your buildings' carbon emissions and energy bills.

The Department for Business (BERR) and the Building Research Establishment (BRE) are to host several events across the UK, promoting the extensive grant funding available under phase 2 of the Low Carbon Buildings Programme (LCBP2).

This funding can be used for the supply and installation of any combination of the following microgeneration technologies:

- solar photovoltaics
- solar thermal hot water
- wind turbines
- ground source heat pumps
- automated wood pellet stoves
- wood fuelled boiler systems

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Programme, BRE Watford – 2 June 2008*

These events will give you a unique opportunity to find out about the application process, the microgeneration technologies involved, and their installation, energy output and potential for reducing carbon emissions and energy bills.

These events – attendance at which is free of charge to all interested parties – will be run throughout the UK in May and June.

09:30-10:30	Coffee & Registration
10:30-10:40	Welcome by the Chair, Peter Bonfield, Chief Executive, BRE
10:40-10:55	Keynote address by Malcolm Wicks, Energy Minister
10:55-11:25	Applying for Grants and Progress so Far – Monika Munzinger, BRE
11:25-12:05	Case studies demonstrating how microgeneration technologies can work for your building
12:05-12:15	Introduction to Framework Suppliers – Monika Munzinger, BRE
12:05-12:15	Conclusion & final remarks
12:30-13:30	Lunch & refreshments
13:30-15:00	Tour of BRE Innovation Park

N.B. During refreshment breaks delegates will get the chance to speak to our experts to find out what can work best for your building.

* Programmes will differ from venue to venue

**To attend the LCBP2 event, or for further information go to:
www.lowcarbonbuildingsphase2.org.uk/events
or tel: 08704 23 23 13 or email: events@bre.co.uk**

Low Carbon Building Programme

The Low Carbon Buildings Programme Phase 2 is the Government's £50m grant programme for microgeneration technologies, offering capital grants until mid 2009 to successful applicants from the public sector and charitable organisations. The main objectives are to demonstrate the potential for encouraging both energy-efficiency and microgeneration technologies in a range of public buildings, driving down costs in the process, and making the microgeneration market more sustainable.

LCBP Phase 2 is part of the UK Environmental Transformation Fund (ETF), a joint BERR/Defra fund to bring forward the demonstration and deployment of low carbon energy and energy efficiency technologies. Further information about the ETF is available from the BERR or Defra websites.

Why you should attend

This is your opportunity to take advantage of the recently increased grant levels. From 1 April 2008, all technologies under the framework (biomass systems, ground source heat pumps, solar PV, solar thermal and wind turbines) can receive grants from the LCBP at 50% of the eligible costs.

