

# JOIN OUR BUSINESS RENEWABLES BUYING GROUP



**30 Victorian Local Councils are joining together to assist businesses to purchase renewable energy and cut their emissions.**

## **What is the Business Renewables Buying Group?**

The Business Renewables Buying Group is designed to bring together a group of like-minded businesses seeking to switch to 100% renewable electricity. With the support of an external facilitator, the group will work collectively to scale up their buying power whilst cutting complexity, time, and cost associated with going 100% renewable.

## **Why join the Business Renewables Buying group?**

- Improved market response for your business, with more options and potential price benefits due to increased load.
- Ability to work with others who are going through similar decisions to compare considerations and support each other.
- Reduced project costs and staff time by spreading the workload across the group.
- The process is led by an experienced facilitator, with access to specialist strategic advice.

## What are the benefits for your business?

- A cost effective way to reduce emissions and deliver on your strategic goals.
- Long term and stable pricing provides budget certainty and reduces exposure to energy market volatility.
- Avoid repeated internal procurement processes over the duration of the contract.
- Participation in this project and purchasing renewable energy can provide reputational, branding and leadership benefits.
- Opportunity to directly support the renewable energy industry.

## Eligibility

To participate, a business must have at least one large market meter (greater than 40MW) that enables them to sign a long term commercial contract. To be viable for the business, it will likely need to be consuming a cumulative total of greater than 500MWh (approx. \$100,000 per annum) of electricity, but this can come from multiple sites.

## Next Steps

1. Watch the [Business Information Webinar](#) or contact us for more info.



2. Submit an [Expression of Interest](#) to speak with the project team.



## Contact Us

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