LARGE SCALE SOLAR PV

Benefits:

- Big carbon savings
- Potential for the community to have shared ownership
- Financial return to the host and any community shareholders
- A third party could pay for the installation and offer low-cost power

- Need to identify suitable land parcel to install the solar panels
- Can take a long time to negotiate with the electricity grid, landowners, etc
- Lower financial returns now that the feedin tariff scheme is closed

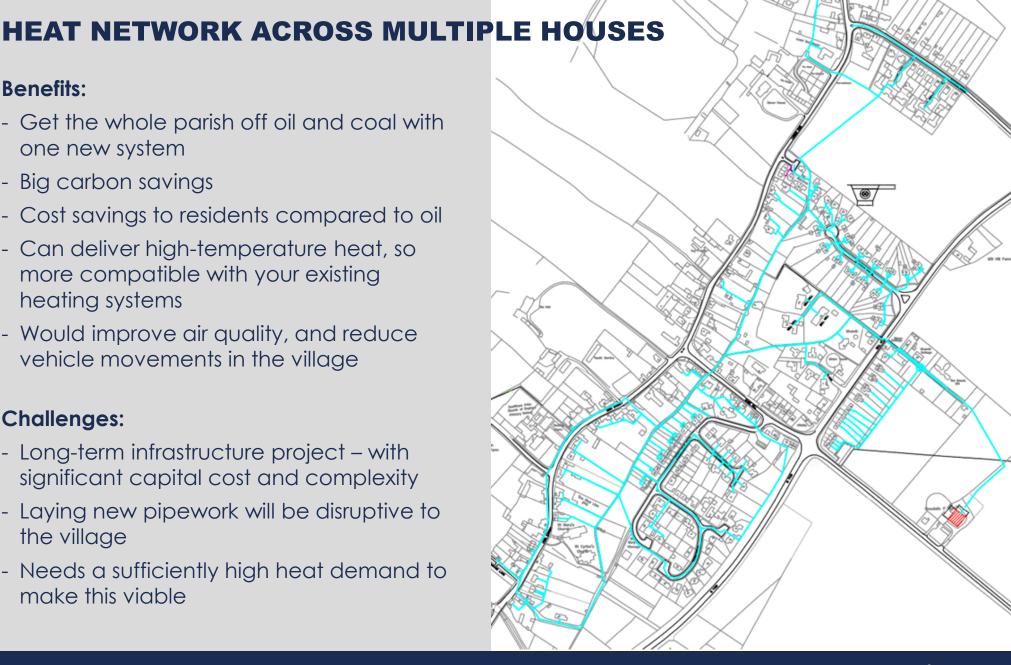




Benefits:

- Get the whole parish off oil and coal with one new system
- Big carbon savings
- Cost savings to residents compared to oil
- Can deliver high-temperature heat, so more compatible with your existing heating systems
- Would improve air quality, and reduce vehicle movements in the village

- Long-term infrastructure project with significant capital cost and complexity
- Laying new pipework will be disruptive to the village
- Needs a sufficiently high heat demand to make this viable





ROOFTOP SOLAR PV

Benefits:

- Individual households and businesses get zero-carbon, free electricity
- Easy to install, with limited disruption to you and village life
- Some schemes still offer free installation

- Not all buildings will be suitable
- Lower financial returns now that the feedin tariff scheme is closed
- Bigger visual impact on the village





RENEWABLY-POWERED LAMPPOSTS

Benefits:

- Reduce running costs for street lighting in the parish
- Power streetlighting with zero-carbon electricity
- Extend streetlight lifespan
- Option to add more streetlamps and improve light levels in the parish

- Multiple varieties of streetlamps in the parish
- Need to work with local District Council to progress





RECOMMENDATIONS FOR YOUR HOME

Benefits:

- Information packs covering a range of options for how to decarbonise your home
- Indicate potential suitable funding streams to support you
- Access wider support e.g. the Green Homes Grant

- Relies on each household and business to make changes
- Lower total carbon savings
- Likely to need to install and/or buy new equipment yourself



