



# **Energy communities in Scotland** Support mechanisms and ownership models

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- Energy law is largely reserved to the UK government
- Planning law is devolved to Scotland



100% by 2020  
domestic electricity



500MW by 2020  
"community & locally owned"



1GW by 2020  
2GW by 2030  
"community & locally owned"





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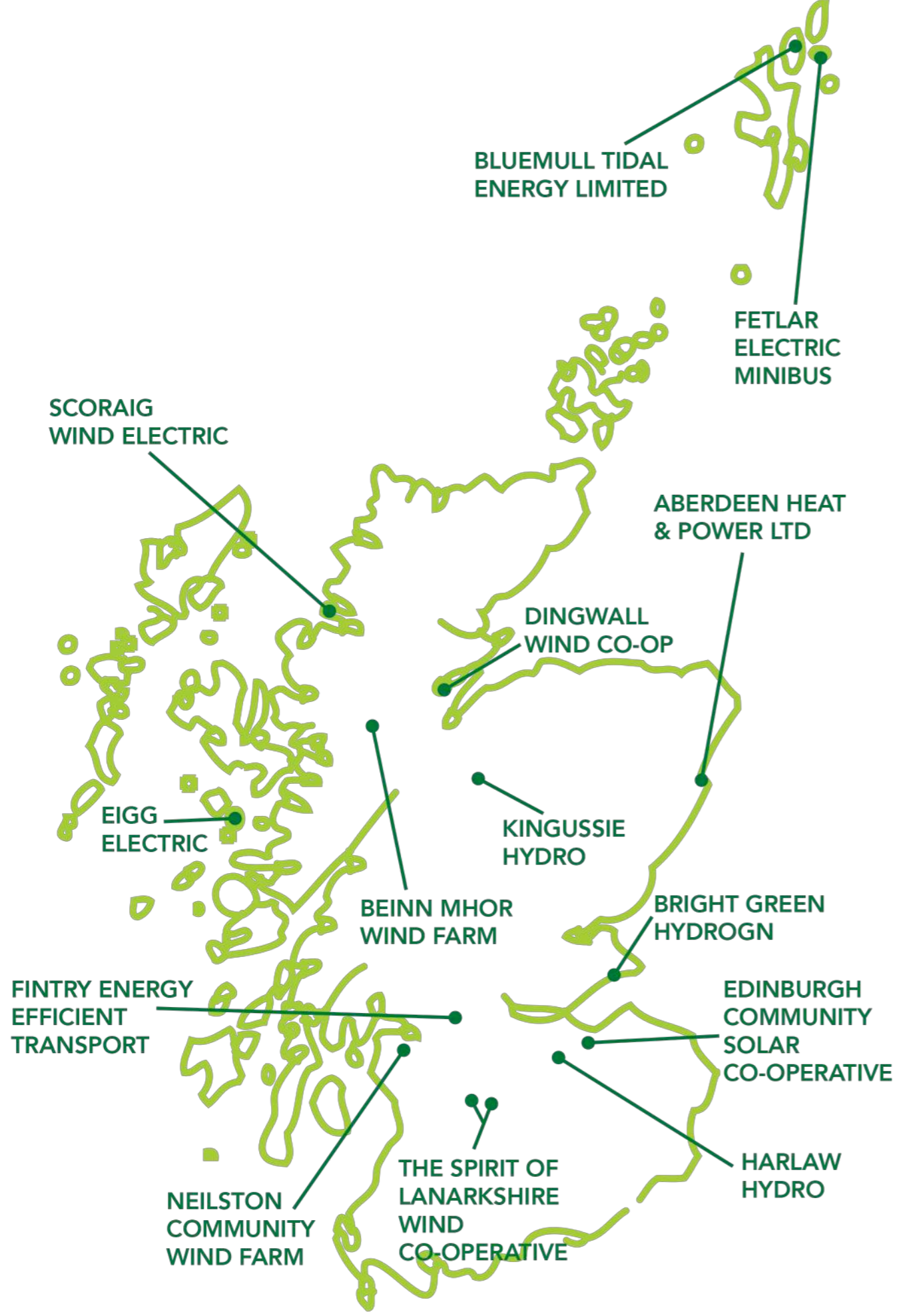
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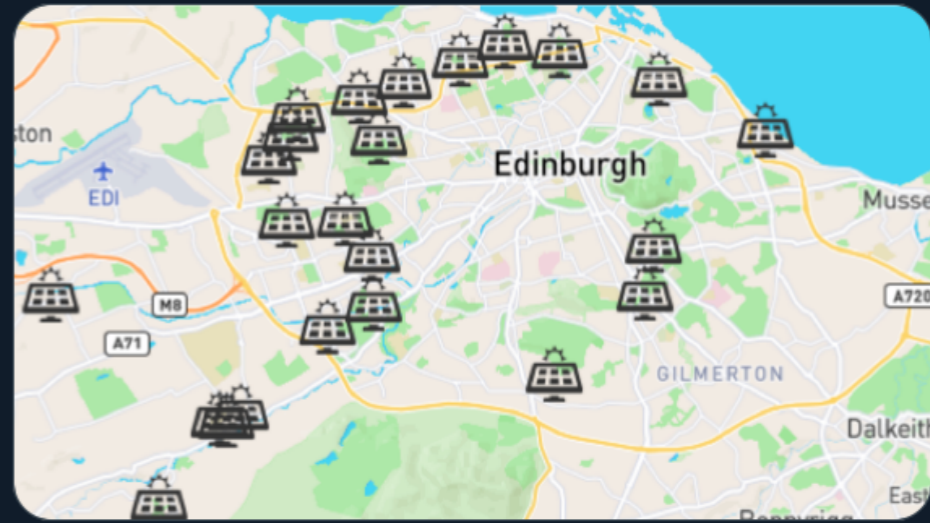






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# **SHARED OWNERSHIP IN SCOTLAND**

OPENING UP CITIZEN PARTICIPATION IN RENEWABLE ENERGY







We can point to one of the turbines on the hills and say that one is there because of the efforts we put in ... at the same time we are not completely dependent on that turbine for the income generated.

Gordan Cowtan - Fintry Development Trust





# Thank you for listening

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