

How will the Isle of Man generate electricity?

Plans to generate about 75% of the Isle of Man's electricity through solar and on-shore wind projects have been backed by the Council of Ministers. Manx Utilities (MU) will look to install solar panels on public car parks and government buildings. Wind turbines could also be built on public land to create 30MW of electricity by 2026.

Will the Isle of Man have a solar energy farm?

Plans have been submitted for the Isle of Man's first solar energy farm. The proposed 84-acre development in the south of the island would generate enough electricity to power nearly 8,000 homes per year, developers said.

Will IOM use electric buses?

The IoM government currently has no plans to use electric buses based on the fact the technology doesn't fit the needs of the IoM public bus fleet operated by Bus Vannin. The duty cycle of buses available is insufficient for the Isle of Man's transport needs as the nature of services is predominantly inter urban, at higher speeds.

How will a wind farm impact the Isle of Man?

Environmental: The development of a 700-800 MW capacity wind farm in Manx territorial waters will provide the IoM with renewable, zero carbon electricity. Such a development will play a key role in decarbonising the Isle of Man economy to meet net zero targets.

Will IOM benefit from a wind farm?

IoM will benefit from the lease of seabed and O&M base, but not from the sale of excess power. The development of a 700-800 MW capacity wind farm will provide economic, societal and environmental benefits for the Isle of Man, however a number of challenges arise from a development of this nature.

How can the IOM improve its electricity network?

Commence afforestation and land restoration where feasible. Innovation and data gathering have also been identified to support the evolution of the IoM's electricity network. Assess the risk of climate change for assets and network resilience. Identify measures to mitigate the key risks. Update system wide stability studies.

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The plans for the Billown Solar Farm in Malew, near Castletown are being put forward by Peel Cubico Renewables (PCR) and support the Isle of Man Government to realise its Climate Change Plan...

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o In December 2020, the Isle of Man Government launched its Future Energy Scenarios (FES) Strategy to determine the pathway to meet the following: o Electricity generation is now responsible for around 33% of all Greenhouse Gas Emissions on the

"The solar farm would generate enough power to meet more than 7% of the Isle of Man's current electricity demand and support the Government's aim for electricity on the Island to be 100% green by 2030." The project represents an investment of around £30m across the 40-year anticipated life of the project, with no public investment.

Manx Utilities is 100% committed to the delivery of the Island's 2030 electricity decarbonisation target and the Isle of Man Government's Island Plan. The Manx Utilities' Transition Programme has been set up outside of our Business-as-Usual (BAU) team, which supports continued delivery of secure, efficient and economical electricity ...

Work has commenced on delivering the Government's ambitious plans to decarbonise the Isle of Man's electricity supply by 2030. Manx Utilities has received Council of Ministers approval for its plans to commence construction projects which will see up to 30 megawatts of electricity produced from onshore wind and solar energy by 2026.

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