

## Agenda

## Fuel Poverty: Future: Fairness: Working with you to support vulnerable customers now and in the future

10.00	Welcome
	Derek Lickorish, Chair of Northern Powergrid Social Issues Expert Group
10.10	Executive Support for Vulnerable Customers
	Neil Applebee, Director People & Customer Service
10.15	Northern Powergrid's work to support vulnerable customers and communities
	Catherine Harris, Consumer Vulnerability Manager Northern Powergrid
10.30	Fuel Poverty in the North East, Yorkshire & Humber
	Adam Scorer, CEO National Energy Action
10.50	<ul> <li>Our community partners- their work to support vulnerable customers:</li> <li>Energy Saving Trust – energy efficiency tools Elaine Berry &amp; Jamie Brown</li> <li>Newcastle Citizen Advice – Fuel Poverty Advice Shona Alexander</li> <li>Green Doctors – energy efficiency and fuel poverty support Emily Thompson</li> </ul>
11.20	Roundtable discussions on emerging challenges and customer needs
	Grab a tea or coffee
12.00	Northern Powergrid's tools, services and support for communities
	Short case study presentations on:
	<ul> <li>Experian tableau/ workbook &amp; stakeholder map</li> <li>Role of our PSR Coordinators</li> <li>Community Partnering Fund</li> <li>Social Legacy from capital works</li> </ul>
12.30	Q&A Panel with morning speakers
	Chaired by Carol Botten, VONNE
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13.00	LUNCH
13.40	Afternoon session
13.40	Welcome back and overview of afternoon session
	Derek Lickorish, Chair of Northern Powergrid Social Issues Expert Group
13.45	Future Exec support for vulnerable customers
	Patrick Erwin, Director of Policy and Markets
13.50	Future Energy Scenarios
	Mary Black & Oliver Ricketts Northern Powergrid
14.10	Roundtable discussions on Future Energy Scenarios – what does this mean for people and communities – especially the most vulnerable?
	Facilitated by Mary Black and table facilitators
14.40	Northern Powergrid as a DSO and Social Inclusivity – overview
	Anne Claire Leydier DSO Transition Manager Northern Powergrid
	Some examples of exploratory projects from Northern Powergrid and partners
	Battery project – Paris Hadjiodysseos, Northern Powergrid
	Carbon neutral tower block retrofit – Kirsty Tweddell, Gentoo
15.10	Roundtable discussions on approach to being a socially inclusive DSO
	Facilitated by Anne-Claire Leydier and table facilitators
	Grab a tea or coffee
15.50	Wrap up, closing remarks
	Derek Lickorish, Chair of Northern Powergrid Social Issues Expert Group
16.00	Event ends