

Energy Solutions 2025 Relaunch

Brussels

The Energy Solutions Network

A cross-party, cross-industry network that connects key members of the European Parliament with stakeholders from all corners of the energy industry that are committed to ramping up Europe's energy transition from fossil fuels to green, safe and affordable energy.

The network has since its founding aimed to bring in trust between policy makers and relevant industry stakeholders by bringing people together to identify solutions.

The Network, originally founded by Green Power Denmark, aims to support practical and technological solutions to decarbonise the European economy and society.

What unites us?

- **Vision:** achieving climate neutrality in Europe by 2050 through the large-scale deployment of energy efficiency measures and renewable energy sources
- **System approach:** cultivating an open, result-oriented approach to policy that reflects the complex and interlinked nature of decarbonisation, taking into account the full carbon cycle and the entire energy value chains.
- **Solution-based:** putting practical and technological energy solutions at the core of policy and regulatory measures

A proven formula:

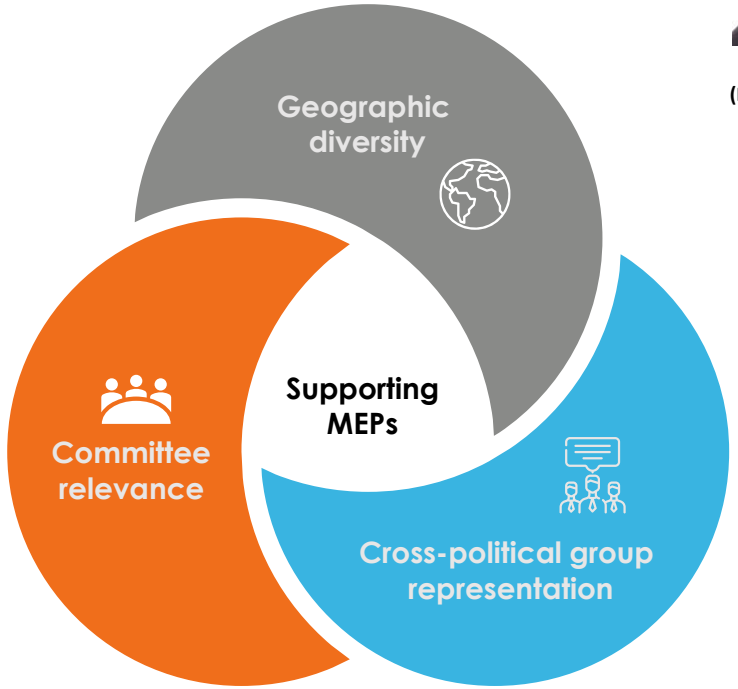
Energy Solutions was initially founded by Green Power Denmark together with former MEP Morten Helveg Petersen (Renew). Bringing relevant people together to identify issues that should be considered when formulating and adopting policy is at the very core of Energy Solutions.

With a clear vision, dedicated leadership, and a commitment to driving positive change, Energy Solutions stands ready to shape the future of energy policy in Europe and beyond.





Former Energy Solutions' Steering Committee members





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A new start

To chart our course for the coming year, a comprehensive plan will be developed by the secretariat in consultation with the presidency post-elections, laying the groundwork for the formal relaunch of our activities in 2025.

Special circumstances to be taken into account in the upcoming mandate will be:

1) **Emphasis on national implementation of fit-for-55 files**
2) **Scrutiny of the delegated and implementing acts presented by the European Commission.**

All this will take place in a new political environment with an ever-stronger focus on industry and competitiveness in the ITRE and ENVI committees comprising 90 members of the European Parliament from across the political spectrum.

What unites us?

Tapping into Members' expertise will be given further priority in the upcoming mandate in order to provide a practical, real-world solutions and examples related to the identified policy topics and issues.

It is foreseen to **further strengthen the communicative part of Energy Solutions** by having regular updates from meetings and events, as well as in-between meetings, drawing on the expertise provided by all the members.

To prolong the shelf life of discussions and issues the secretariat will post social media interviews and LinkedIn updates with the Presidency as well as the Advisory Board.



Incoming Energy Solutions' Presidency

President

MEP Niels Fuglsang (S&D) will lead the cross-party political presidency. With his extensive experience as rapporteur on the Energy Efficiency Directive, MEP Fuglsang brings invaluable insights and expertise to the table, making him the natural choice to spearhead discussions and initiatives pertaining to energy efficiency measures.



Niels Fuglsang
(S&D, Denmark)
President

Vice-Presidents

Sean Kelly, EPP: Former shadow rapporteur on the Energy Performance of Buildings Directive as well as a seasoned legislator vice-president Sean Kelly assumes a pivotal role in guiding discussions on issues related to buildings. •



Sean Kelly
(EPP, Ireland)

Anna Stürgkh, Renew: As a full member of ITRE and substitute for ENVI and IMCO, MEP Stürgkh is centrally places to push forward the vital electrification agenda.

*Final portfolio allocation to be decided by the presidency members



Anna Stürgkh
(Renew, Austria)



Current corporate members

The corporate members of the Energy Solutions network are companies from across the energy value chain. They sit on the network's Advisory Board.



Ongoing expansion of the Advisory Board is foreseen to ensure a more stable economic situation by increasing the number of members from the current 15 to around 20. The network should be financially sustainable on its own.

Format of Energy Solutions events

Focus:

- Exchange views with policy makers and other relevant stakeholders to help informed EU decisions
- Showcase best practices and existing technologies supporting the EU's decarbonisation agenda
- Offer speaking opportunities for business leaders to increase visibility for their positions and solutions

Format of policy discussions:

- Physical events in a safe and secure manner (under the Chatham rule; sponsored by corporate members) – breakfast/lunch sessions, evening reception
- On-line events
- Site visits showcasing corporate members' solutions
- Advisory Board meetings

Stakeholders:

- European Parliament - key decision makers and experts (ITRE, ENVI), incl. EP rapporteurs, shadows and their advisors/assistants
- European Commission - Commissioners and their Cabinet members, key policymakers from relevant DGs (ENVI, CLIMA, GROW, ENER)
- Council – relevant attaches
- Third parties – e.g. think tanks, NGOs



The role of Energy Solutions in 2025

We already know that implementation of already adopted legislation and emphasis on industrial competitiveness, decarbonization and electrification will be important topics. However, it is only possible to tell which specific files Energy Solutions will work on when the European Commission has presented its first work programme.

Hence the focus of Energy Solutions in 2025 will be:

1. Re-organize into a Presidency leadership model
2. Get political guidance from incoming presidency for final 2025 programme
3. Re-engage with corporate members and their priorities for the new mandate
4. Prepare relaunch early 2025

A more visible, engaging and proactive Energy Solutions for a new mandate:

In 2025 the secretariat will also relaunch a presence in social media, primarily LinkedIn, with the aim of building an active communication platform for Energy Solutions members.

This profile will draw upon the expertise, technologies, products etc. provided by the members of the network as well as the political priorities by the MEP's. The aim is to have a lively communication and media profile showcasing work done by MEP's and members also in-between events and meetings



Working Plan for 2025 – Preliminary draft









Q1 2025
Relaunch of Energy Solution

Q2 2025 (14/5 or 23-26/6?)
Upcoming Danish EU Presidency (2H25) – by **Ambassador Søren Jacobsen (tbc)**, Danish Permanent Representation

Smaller policy sessions with Academia, Commission services & Perm Reps.

Q3 2025 (24.09.2025)
Policy Discussions
Revision of the EU's climate law – A new 2040 target of 90 pct.

Q4 2025 (05.11.2025)
Policy Discussions
The Governance regulation, Member States' NECP's and implementation of FF55

High-Level events with Commissioners/ Cabinets/ Director Generals / Directors / Ambassadors etc.; site visits.

Q2 2025
High-level event with Commissioner Dan Jørgensen – April 8th chaired by President Niels Fuglsang, MEP

Q3 2025 (15-17/7?)
High-level event with Stéphane Séjourné (tbc)
Electrification and offshore wind as a mean to decarbonization. Chaired by Vice-President Anna Stürgkh (MEP, Renew)

Q4 2025 (10.12.2025)
Energy Efficiency and renovation of buildings – Europe's secret weapon? Chaired by Vice-President Sean Kelly (MEP, EPP)

**Final event programme to be decided by the incoming presidency members and secretariat*



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