



Addressing energy poverty through EU funded projects

SocialWatt Final Event

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LIFE - Clean Energy Transition



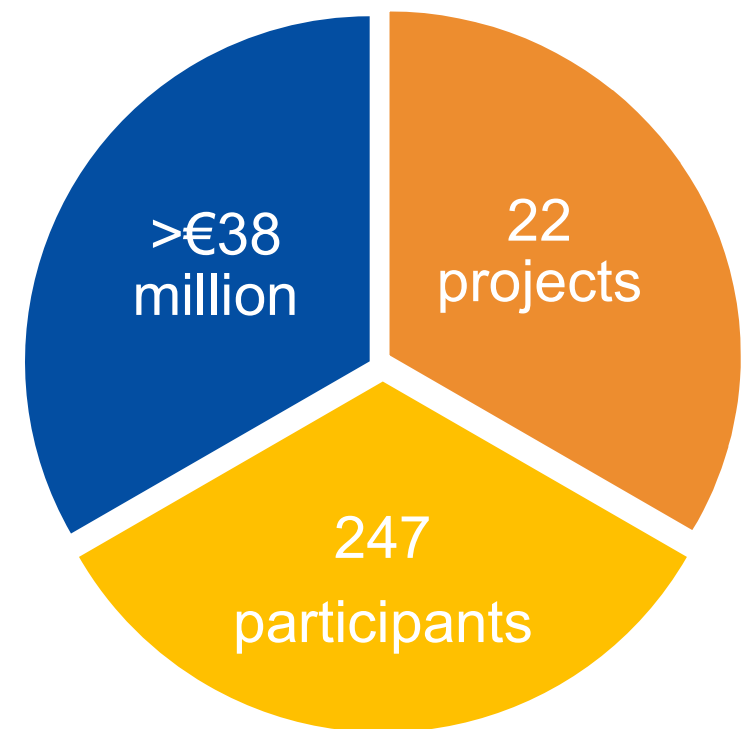
- **Key programme for EU clean energy policy**, nearly €1 billion funding 2021-2027
- **Builds on Horizon 2020 Energy Efficiency**
- **Strong market uptake features:**
 - ✓ Remove market barriers, change fundamentals
 - ✓ Build capacity, improve skills and governance
 - ✓ Mobilise investments and access to finance
- **Policy links** are essential part of programme management

Mitigating energy poverty under H2020 & LIFE CET

Pilot schemes and approaches to address acute energy affordability challenge in Europe

Support the **implementation of provisions related to vulnerable households** (Fit for 55 package, Renovation Wave, Commission Recommendation on Energy Poverty)

Ensure knowledge-sharing & local level support with the Energy Poverty Advisory Hub



Energy poverty actions under Horizon 2020

Facilitate behavior change and low cost EE measures

Transform inefficient housing stock (multi-apartment buildings)

Support obligated parties under Art 7 EED to mitigate energy poverty

Collective approaches

OSS and advice centers

Foster collaboration between actors and build capacity

Best practices and policy recommendations

Consortia with energy agencies, local and regional authorities, societal organisations, utilities, energy service companies, academia, consultancies and housing companies or associations



Transform vulnerable districts under LIFE CET

Develop &
implement
renovation
roadmaps

Roll out holistic,
industrialised deep
renovation solutions

EE measures in
multi-apartment
buildings

Build capacity and
foster collaboration
between actors

- REVERTER: Develop 9 district **renovation roadmaps** for worst-performing buildings and a digital OSS
- RENOVERTY: Design **scalable renovation roadmaps** in 17 rural and peri-urban areas
- EP-0: Scale up **deep energy retrofits** in vulnerable districts following the EnergieSprong model
- +3 more from 2022 call



Some past and ongoing projects



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Enabling obligated parties under Art. 7 of EED to develop, adopt, test and spread innovative energy poverty schemes across Europe

Developing and providing utilities and energy suppliers with tools to identify and tackle energy poverty

Engagement of utilities and energy companies as partners

At least two schemes implemented by each utility (one of them innovative) triggering EE/RES investments



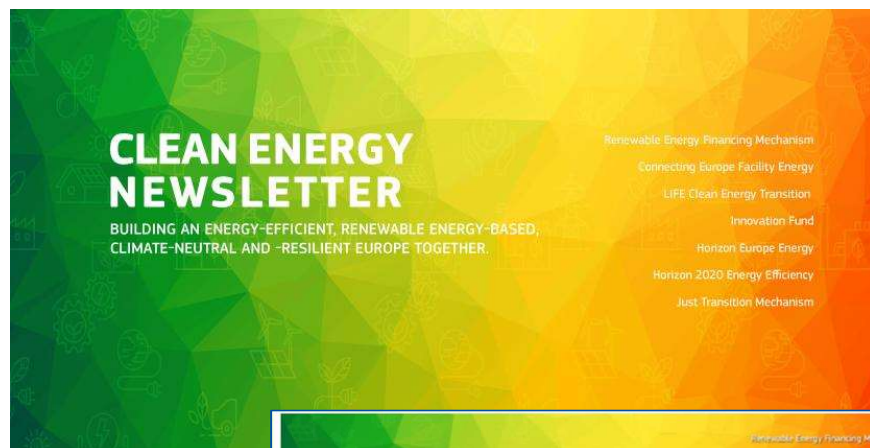
LIFE CET Call 2023

Publication in May (deadline November)

- Delivering **policy support** to key legislation EED, RES, EPBD, Products
- **Building** a national, regional and local **policy framework**
- Supporting transformation for a **clean and smart European building stock**, upskilling of building professionals, smartness & services, heating & cooling, businesses
- **Supporting** development of local and regional **investment** projects
- **Attracting private finance** for sustainable energy
- **Empowering and involving citizens** in the clean energy transition
 - Supporting vulnerable consumers
 - Energy communities



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