Ireland's Energy Transition: Wind

Building Community Engagement and Social Support

4 Tools for Renewable Energy Community Engagement

1 The substantive agenda around which engagement must occur

2 Required processes of inclusive community engagement that can both shape and share local value

3 The engagement and resourcing to enable actors and certified intermediary organisations to bring expertise, facilitate exploration and support execution of renewable-energy possibilities in a local area

4 Linking locally negotiated agreed outcomes such as plans and settlements to a key national institution such as Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland (SEAI) in a way that validates local agreements as well as creating a process of benchmarking and learning