Renewable energy is better for BOTTOM UP development – it allows for direct COMMUNITY involvement

START A JUST TRANSITION TO SUSTAINABLE ENERGY!

Conventional energy: 75% less employment in the electricity sector since 1980

Renewable energy needs people: One million new energy jobs possible by 2020

Sustainable energy brings MORE jobs!

We have the SUN but we DON'T have the JOBS!

Direct jobs per unit of electricity
(jobs for every 10 GigaWatt/hours generated)

Conventional energy technology		Renewable energy technology	
Coal (current):	3 jobs	Solar thermal:	104 jobs
Coal (future):	1 job	Solar panels:	620 jobs
Nuclear:	1 job	Wind:	126 jobs
Pebble bed modular reactor:	2 jobs	Biomass:	56 jobs
Gas:	1 job	Landfills:	230 jobs

Renewable Energy is Peoples' Power

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Wind POWER for the people!

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