

### YOUR HEAPS BETTER ACTION PLAN FOR: Speeding Up The Renewables Revolution!

#### Welcome back!

Have you watched **<u>Dirty Power</u>** yet? Go now! It's only 15 minutes!

Now you understand how the fossil fuel industry does it's best to control our politics and our media... but you also know that no matter who you are and what your housing situation is, there are a bunch of things you can do to speed up the renewables revolution. Let's go!



# **STEP 1** Do your personal renewables hygiene.

#### **Own your home?**

Get solar panels on your roof! This will save you money in the long run, and won't cost the earth! There are even some companies that offer "power purchasing agreements" which means you pay \$0 upfront to put up the panels to soak up those rays.

If you live in an apartment, there are companies that can put solar panels on a shared roof, and split the energy at the meter so you only pay for what you use in your apartment. Clever idea right?

Whatever your situation, there are some great resources like **Solar Quotes** to help you get the right deal for your home.

#### **Renting?**

No worries! You can switch your electricity provider to one that buys their energy from renewable energy sources, like Enova, PowerShop or Diamond Energy.

### **STEP 2** Call on Australia's biggest businesses to REenergise!

Big businesses in Australia use a whopping 70% of all electricity in Australia! We've <u>created a website</u> where you can see the track record of Australia's biggest businesses, and contact them directly to encourage them to make the switch to 100% renewable energy. *Easy as!* 

### STEP 3

## Join or initiate a community energy project.

Ticked off steps 1 and 2 and still have some energy? Grab that power map you made from episode 1 and look at the community, school, workplace, church, whatever you're connected to, get a team around you, and together work out how you could go 100% renewable and encourage people around you to do it too!

Maybe you could get involved in a community renewable project like <u>solar gardens</u>. Need inspo? Check out <u>Haystacks Solar Garden</u>, or any of <u>these amazing projects</u>! Maybe someone in your area is already getting a project up and running.





# ...and don't forget to:

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