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CLIMATE EMERGENCY: A PRACTICAL SOLUTION FOR LOCAL AUTHORITIES

Helping the public sector deliver a cleaner, GREENER, more cost effective world

FOOD WASTE TO BIOGAS: A NEW COLLABORATIVE MODEL TO **DE-RISK LOCAL AUTHORITIES**





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CENTRAL GOV'T POLICY DRIVERS

- UK Waste & Resources Strategy
- "We will... reduce GHG emissions by ensuring that every householder & business has a weekly separate food waste collection" (source: Waste & Resources Strategy Dec. 2018)
- "AD is the best environmental outcome for food waste. "provides BOTH low carbon renewable energy & fertiliser" (source: Waste & Resources Strategy Dec. 2018)
- "... food waste should be treated through recycling by anaerobic digestion (source: Waste & Resources Strategy Dec. 2018)
- **UK Climate Emergency declaration**
- CCC's Carbon Reduction Commitment (CRC)/5th 6th Carbon Budgets
- Paris commitments/ COP 26 in London
- **EU/UK Circular Economy Package & Action Plan**
- UK "... will ensure that by 31st December 2023 bio-waste [inc. food waste] is either collected separately or recycled at source". (source: letsrecycle.com)







THE TRIPLE FIX:

Energy, Waste & Resource Efficiency

A Renewable Energy Mix

- Reliable & stable base load energy 24/7/365
- Best use of organic waste
- Best renewable annual generation

Organic Waste Recycling

- The heaviest, muckiest fraction of waste
- Meets the Waste & Resources Strategy

Best Use of Resources

- Preserves nutrients, offsets fertilisers, improves soils quality & productivity
- Green energy from waste efficient & economic
- High Social Value Resources for Public Good & improves public engagement in local activities



Local authorities



What AD can do for you



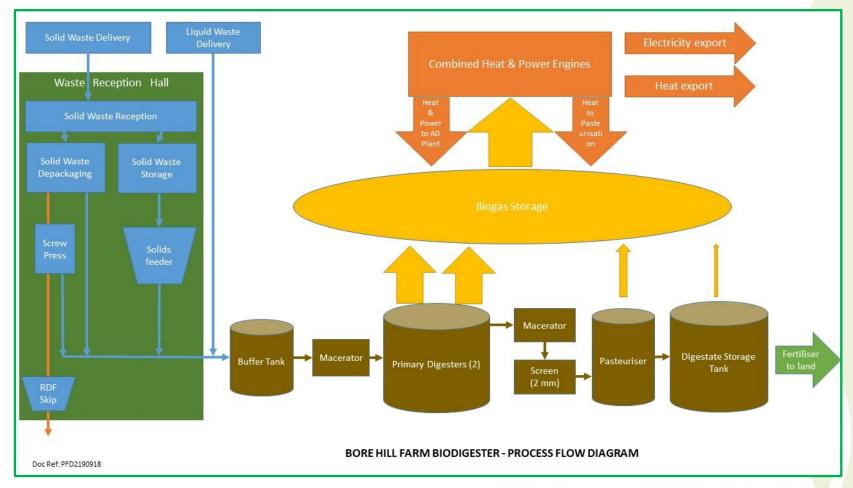
Guidance & advice: ADBA – www.adbioresources.org







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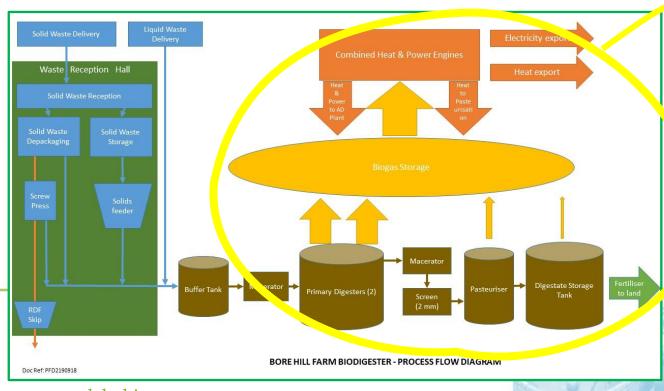








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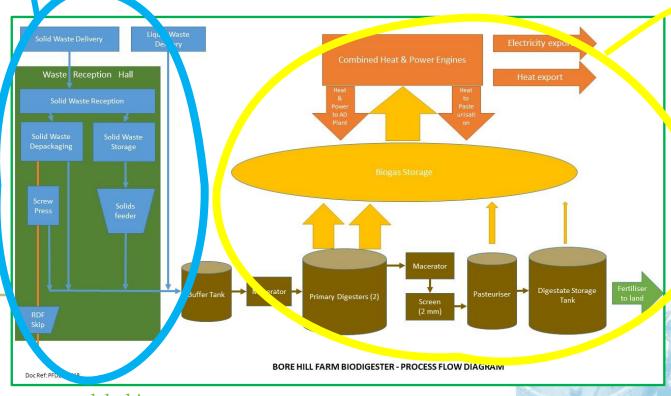
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NEW MODEL:

Remove Complexity, Reduce Risk

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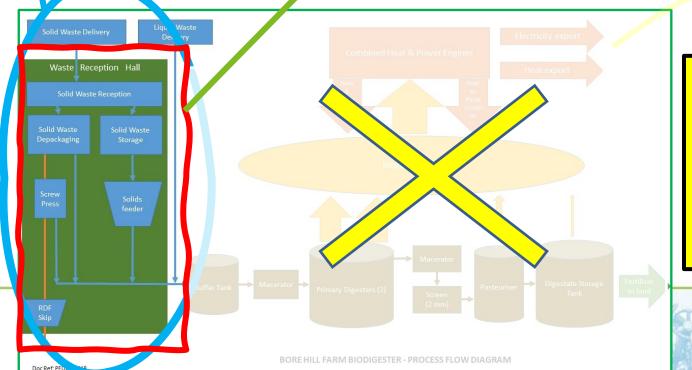
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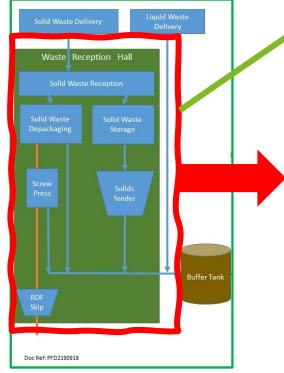
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SOLUTION

Bio specialists
manage biological
complexity;
LA waste managers
manage waste &
logistics managers to
move the waste!

NEW MODEL: Reduces Operational & Investment Risk



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2 year working model with a UK local authority (c. 6,000 tpa with design, install & logistics advice, simple performance metrics, collaborative long term contract & quality rebate. No PPP or PFI)

LA'S COLLABORATING WITH EXPERTS

- No biological process management in experienced hands
- Focus on maximising waste management time, front line services & RCV up times
- Use existing waste transfer assets facilities
- Flexible investment profiles: own & operate waste management assets / contract out / 'pay as you go' contracts
- Maximise climate mitigation, investment & risk management
- Quick & simple deployment to set up waste processing plant
- Proven model (2 years operational experience) can be adapted to site specifications, specific volumes, desired plant size and investment needs







WORK WITH EXPERIENCED PARTNERS

- 28 -35ktpa food waste
- Good road connections
- 8.5 years operation
- High profile:

Industry Leader
Expertise & Skills
Innovation & Excellence

- We always make space
- Flexible Inputs, flexible operations









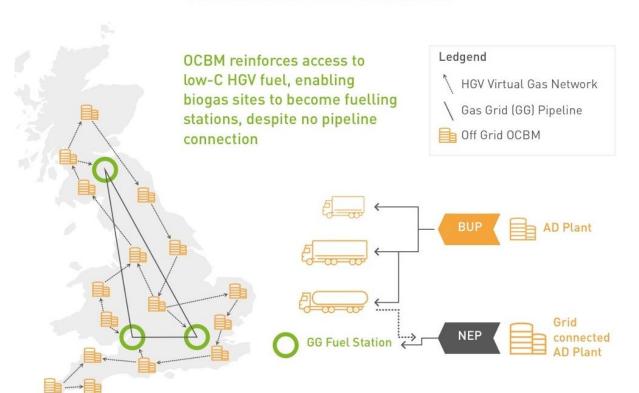


OTHER PROJECTS 1: DOMESTIC - UK

OCBM – Onsite Compressed Biomethane Providing Green Gas for Transport Fleets



The Virtual Gas Network









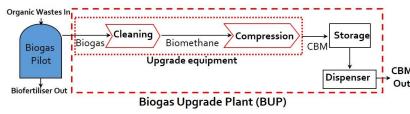
OTHER PROJECTS 2: INTERNATIONAL

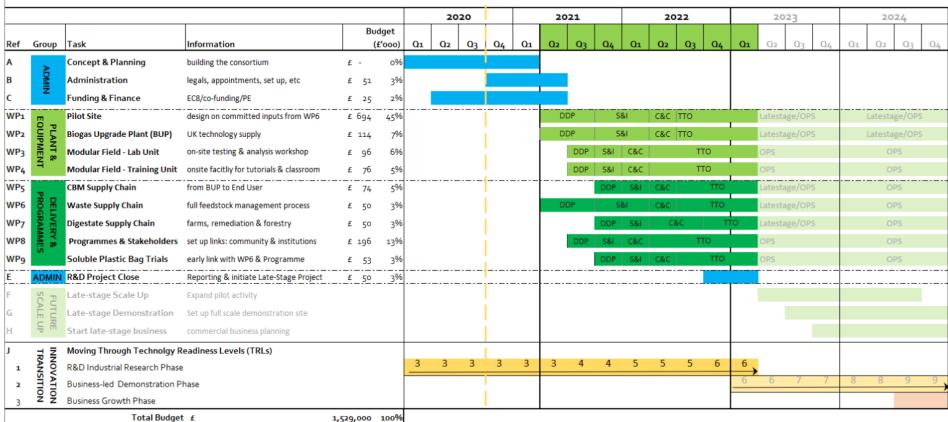
The Ghana Biogas Consortium. 3GW: Ghana Green Gas from Waste. Phase 1 (2021-2023)

Building a Biogas Ecosystem for Ghana & SSA

Ghana Green Gas from Waste (3GW) Industrial Research Programme Ghana Biogas Consortium

Using biogas from waste to replace wood cooking in Ghana & Sub-Saharan Africa





DDP: Design, Development 8-D

OPS: Normal Operations

A LOCAL AUTHORITY GREEN AUDIT: Route Map to Climate Emergency Progress

LA's should act a leaders within their communities building a sustainability culture across the organisation. Elected officials should ensure officers are tasked to become sustainable as quickly as possible - How Green is your Council? Officers provide continuity beyond the election cycle. To evaluate progress towards sustainability a simple internal audit process can be implemented focussing on delivery of ambition – Our Sustainability Audit – Steps to Delivery.

FOR ELECTED OFFICIALS

- Declare Climate Emergency ... & Deliver
- Building Green Transport Systems
- ✓ Low Carbon Working
- Council Life without Plastic
- ✓ Waste & Resources Strategy: beat targets
- ✓ Our Energy: Power, Heat & Transport
- ✓ Sustainable Front Line Services
- Investing Responsibly & Sustainably
- Supporting People: Staff & Constituents
- Better Places to Live: Air, Land & Water
- Etc

FOR COUNCIL OFFICERS

- Reduce waste & waste disposal costs
- Sustainable/Green Investments for Local Good
- Improve Services/Resources for Local Good
- Delivering the Triple Bottom Line
- Reduce carbon emissions by ?50%? by ?2030?
- **Z**ero Carbon Housing Strategies
- **✓** Low Impact Working
- ✓ Improve Education on Climate Change
- **✓** World Changing Vision supporting innovation
- Decarbonise Energy (power, heat & fuel)
- Etc







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