

Transition Councils

Two half day workshops

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York Way, London N1



The service

This workshop is designed to engage your officers and members with the benefits of becoming a Transition Council, and will explore how to work with Transition Initiatives in your area. It also provides you with an overview of the enormously successful Transition Towns model and practice, and an interactive engagement with some core transition tools including a peak oil 'master-class'.

The benefits

This workshop identifies ways in which you can work with the Transition Towns in your area to deliver your services better and more cost effectively, as well as fostering a truly vibrant community engagement model. Part of this workshop will be devoted to reviewing all the most up to date understandings and implications of what has been described as the most challenging issue facing our society.

We will also provide invaluable information about, and a framework for, an enhanced risk assessment procedure in all areas of council business, from strategic planning to transport infrastructure, to food and emergency planning.

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The workshops

We are offering two identical ½ day workshops. The cost is £125. The workshops are facilitated by Naresh Giangrande and Alexis Rowell. Naresh is one of the founders of Transition Town Totnes, the first Transition Town, and has been responsible for many of the structures and processes behind the enormously successful Totnes project. He's also an expert on peak oil.

As a councillor with the London Borough of Camden Alexis chaired the council's all-party Sustainability Task Force from 2006-2010. He's also the author of "Communities, councils and carbon – what we can do if governments won't", which is due to be published in October 2010.

To book contact Sasha@transitionnetwork.org

Who is this for?

The analysis and information that Transition Councils provides is vital for assessing the assumptions that underpin your strategic plans. Energy prices and availability potentially affect every aspect of your organization.

This workshop is a valuable tool for all decision makers, partners, and planners. It is also useful for climate change officers and those engaged in Resilience Forums.