FAQ ENERGY CENTRES

1. What are Energy Centres?

Energy Centres are the technical outreach arms of Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation (REREC) in the promotion of renewable energy and technologies through; training, sensitization, demonstration and extension services to raise awareness and support in adoption of sustainable energy solutions.

2. Where are your Energy Centres located?

S/No.	Energy Centre	County	Location
1	Bukura	Kakamega	Next to Bukura Agricultural Training Centre
			(ATC), along Bukura – Shibuli Road
2	Busia	Busia	Busia town, next to Busia open market
3	Garissa	Garissa	Along Garissa - Sankuri Road
4	Jamhuri	Nairobi	Within Agricultural Society of Kenya (ASK)
			Grounds, opposite Jamhuri Sports Centre
5	Kericho	Kericho	Off Kisumu Road, next to Highlands University,
			Kericho
6	Kisii	Kisii	At the Kisii Agricultural Training Centre (ATC),
			Kisii
7	Kitui	Kitui	Next to Kitui High School, off Kitui - Kibwezi
			Road
8	Lodwar	Turkana	Along Lodwar - Lorgun road, 11 km from Lodwar
			town
9	Marsabit	Marsabit	Within Marsabit County Commissioners Offices
10	Migori	Migori	Migori town, near County Headquarters
11	Mirangine	Nyandarua	Within Mirangine centre
12	Mitunguu	Meru	Mitunguu market, near Mitunguu Technical
			Training Institute
13	Mtwapa	Kilifi	Majengo, Mtwapa area (opposite Umoja Shoe
			Company), off Mtwapa - Kilifi Road
14	Uasin Gishu	Uasin Gishu	Eldoret next to Kiplombe Cemetry
15	Wajir	Wajir	Located within Wajir town
16	Wambugu	Nyeri	Within Wambugu Farm, along Nyeri - Karatina
			road

3. Counties of Coverage by the Energy Centres?

S/No.	Energy Centre	County	Counties of Coverage
1	Bukura	Kakamega	Kakamega, Kisumu, Vihiga and part of Bungoma
2	Busia	Busia	Busia, Siaya and part of Bungoma
3	Garissa	Garissa	Garissa and Tana River
4	Jamhuri	Nairobi	Nairobi, Kiambu, Kajiado, Machakos and Narok

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5	Kericho	Kericho	Bomet and Kericho
6	Kisii	Kisii	Kisii and Nyamira
7	Kitui	Kitui	Machakos, Makueni and Kitui
8	Lodwar	Turkana	Turkana and West Pokot
9	Marsabit	Marsabit	Marsabit
10	Migori	Migori	Migori, Homa Bay and part of Narok (Kilgoris)
11	Mirangine	Nyandarua	Nyandarua, Nakuru and parts of Laikipia (West &
			North)
12	Mitunguu	Meru	Meru, Embu, Tharaka Nithi and Isiolo
13	Mtwapa	Kilifi	Mombasa, Lamu, Tana River, Kwale and Taita
			Taveta
14	Uasin Gishu	Uasin	Uasin Gishu, Trans-Nzoia, Nandi, Baringo and
		Gishu	Elgeyo Marakwet
15	Wajir	Wajir	Wajir and parts of Mandera
16	Wambugu	Nyeri	Nyeri, Muranga, Kirinyaga & parts of Laikipia (East
			& Central)

4. What types of renewable energy technologies are covered at the Center?

The center covers various renewable energy technologies including; solar energy, bioenergy, improved cooking solutions, wind energy, waste to energy and agroforestry.

5. Who can benefit from the Center's services?

The center's services are available to a wide range of audiences, including individuals, businesses, policymakers, educators, students, and community organizations interested in renewable energy and sustainability.

6. What types of training programs are offered?

We offer various training programs, including extension services and hands-on training experience on renewable energy technologies and sustainable practices.

7. How can I schedule a training program?

You can schedule a training program by contacting any of our offices, or attending one of our outreach events.

8. Are there any fees for the training programs?

Currently, we do not charge any fees for our training programs.

9. What demonstration projects are available at the center?

The center hosts various demonstration projects showcasing renewable energy systems, such as solar panels, wind turbines, biomass systems, and energy-efficient appliances. These projects demonstrate the practical applications and benefits of these technologies.

10. Can I visit the center to see the demonstration projects?

Yes, the center is open to visitors interested in learning about renewable energy technologies. We offer guided tours and interactive exhibits to help visitors understand how these systems work.

11. Do you provide extension services for businesses and communities?

Yes, we offer extension services, including technical assistance, site assessments, feasibility studies, and customized solutions to help businesses and communities implement renewable energy projects.

12. Are there opportunities for collaboration and partnerships?

We welcome partnerships with educational institutions, businesses, government agencies, and non-profits. Collaboration opportunities include joint research, project development, and community outreach initiatives.

13. How can I stay informed about upcoming events and programs?

You can stay updated by subscribing to our newsletter, following us on social media, or regularly checking our website for announcements and updates.

14. What are the operating hours of the Energy Center?

The center is open 7.30am to 4.30pm, Monday through Friday. Special events and weekend hours are announced separately.

15. How can I contact the Energy Center?

You can contact us via email at info@rerec.co.ke, phone at 0709193000/0709193600, or by visiting any of the REREC offices for direction and guidance.