# **Community Energy Champion**

**Up to £120 per week (dependent on outcomes achieved)**

**Part-time, home-based**

Repowering London are looking for two new members of our Fuel Poverty team, who are committed to making a difference to local communities in Lambeth.

The role is to engage and inspire members of your local community, by making them aware of the services that Repowering can offer to help reduce household energy bills.

As a Community Energy Champion, you will play a fundamental role in ensuring that Repowering is able to reach and support those most in need.

Ideally, you will live in Lambeth and will be responsible for engaging in activities to identify and engage with vulnerable people living locally, who are most likely to be impacted by the effects of fuel poverty. You will then refer them to Repowering for specialist support to enable them to stay warm and well in their home.

While receiving guidance from Repowering, you will be expected to use your initiative and contacts to develop ways in which you can reach out to people eligible for support.

The successful candidates will be paid on a results-basis, in addition to an hourly rate, with maximum weekly earnings of £120.

***The role will include the following responsibilities:***

* Community engagement – using your initiative to make contact with and arrange to attend local community groups, tenants’ meetings, religious groups, etc. to speak about Repowering’s work.
* Actively identifying people eligible for support and referring them to Repowering.
* Arranging appointments for home visits by Repowering’s Technical Team.
* Providing an ongoing point of contact for Repowering with local residents and organisations

***Essential person specification:***

* Strong network of local contacts
* Excellent verbal communication skills, conveying information clearly and simply
* Patient, empathetic and unflappable
* Understand excellent customer service
* Ability to use initiative to achieve targets
* Ability to work to targets
* Ability to work independently

***Desirable skills/experience:***

* Community engagement experience
* Experience of working with vulnerable adults
* Valid DBS check
* Multiple languages spoken

***Details:***

* Location: Home-based/in your local community
* Line manager: The role will report to Repowering’s Fuel Poverty Programme Co-ordinator
* Terms of employment: Part-time, self-employed basis
* Payment terms:
  + 4 hours per week per Community Energy Champion, paid at an hourly rate of £10/h.
  + An additional bonus payment of £20 per successful home visit appointment booking.
  + Maximum of 4 bookings per week/total remuneration up to £120 per week.
  + Failure to secure a minimum number of 2 bookings per week for 2 consecutive weeks will result in a warning; failure to do so for 4 consecutive weeks will result in termination of contract. Full terms and conditions will be shared with applicants.
  + Alternative payment terms for specific projects may be arranged by mutual agreement.
* Hours: Flexible working hours, some evening/weekend work may be required.
* Offer of employment will be subject to a satisfactory Disclosure and Barring Service Check.
* Application: CV and cover letter to Jack Dangerfield at [jack.dangerfield@repowering.org.uk](mailto:jack.dangerfield@repowering.org.uk)
* Deadline: Midnight, 9th December 2018