

gustav / July 25, 2009 05:32PM

[\[Sci-Tech Policy\]\[Green Energy\] Taiwan Will Build Low-Carbon Model Community in One of the Offshore Islands](#)
[Sci-Tech Policy][Green Energy] Taiwan Will Build Low-Carbon Model Community in One of the Offshore Islands
([Chinese Version](#))

China Times E-paper and udn.com (2009/07/19) Premier Chao-shiuan LIU announced on 18th-Jul. that Executive Yuan will select one offshore island to build a low-carbon model community which meets the standard of low-carbon communities in the advanced countries. The model community will reach the goal of recycled energy taking fifty percent of its total consumption. Later on, the experience of building this model community will be promoted to other communities. The government is making the Low-Carbon Community Plan, which will be announced before the end of September.

Chao-shiuan LIU said, the government will set "Low-Carbon Island Plan" which will integrate materials and resources in fields of techniques, equipments, policies, social behaviors, demonstrations and novel inventions etc. forming a green-energy and resource-recycle system. Concrete objectives include solar power, wind power, LED illumination, electric vehicles, green transportation, green architecture, resource recycle infrastructure etc. At least fifty percent of the total energy consumption of this community is supported by reused energy. In order to encourage people's participation, in the initial stage the government will offer subsidies. Penghu is presently the first choice, but it could also be another offshore isle or one small-scaled inland area. The location of the model community will be announced once it is decided.

Reference:

[China Times E-paper 2009/07/19](#) (Chinese)

[udn.com 2009/07/19](#) (Chinese)

Edited 1 time(s). Last edit at 07/25/2009 05:48PM by gustav.
