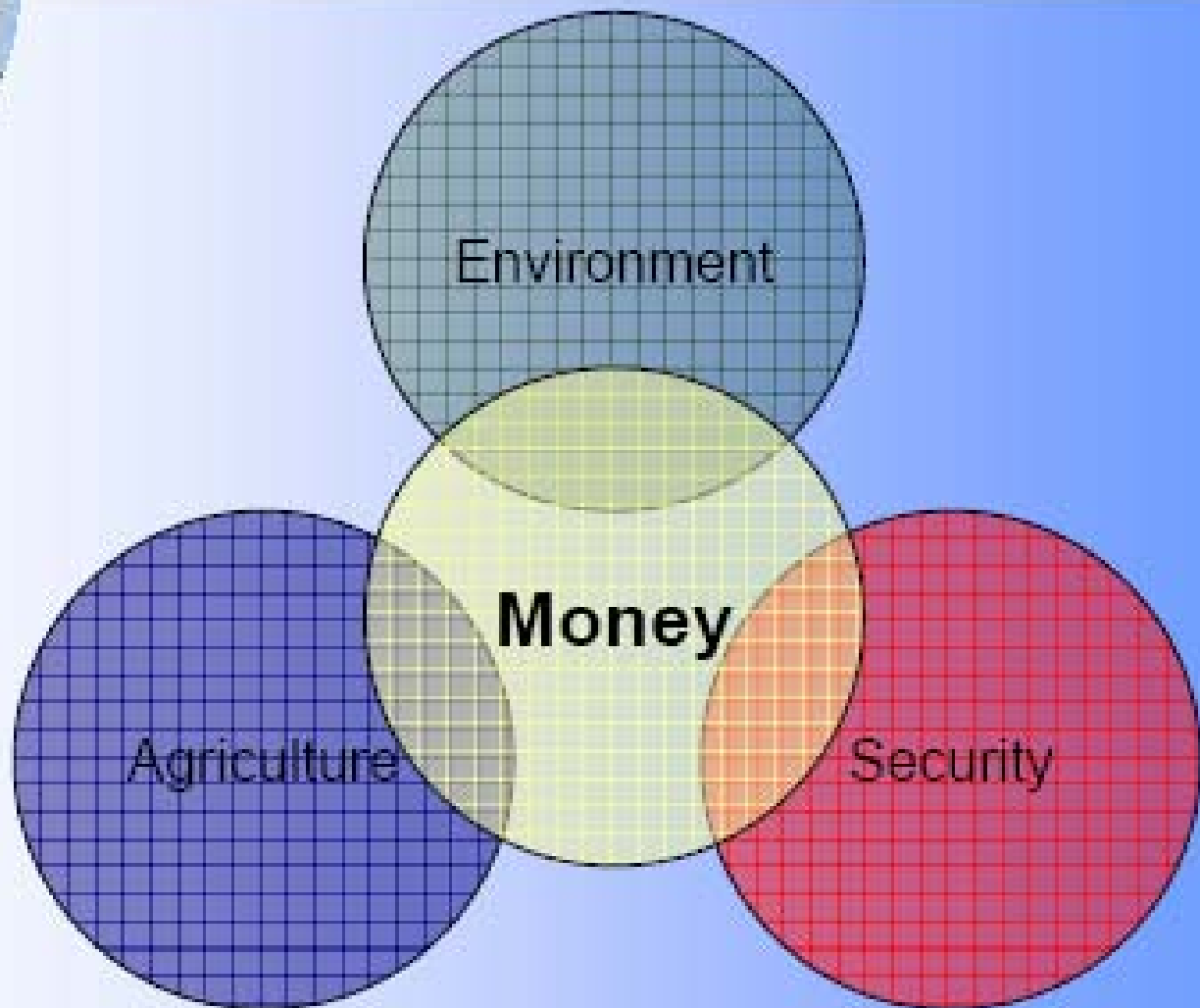


Why Renewables?



Money



Economic Development in Güssing

Location



Local Economy



- Cross border region to Hungary
- The „end of the road“
- No industry - high rate of unemployment
- High migration rate - 70% commuting
- Small scale agriculture - lack of infrastructure
- Finances – balancing the books

1991 - The problem

Cash drain on local economy for energy imports
(predominantly fossil fuels)

€ 6,2 Mio.



€ 652.700



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**€ 6.2
Million!!**

Money

Agriculture

Environment

Security



Jump or enjoy the view?



The view from the top



Heat



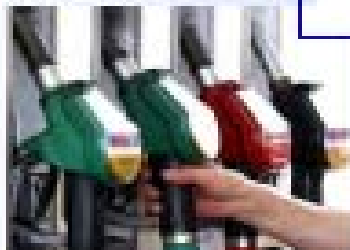
Electricity



Gas



Fuels



Sun

Waste wood

Wood chips

Grass
Maize
Clover

Rapeseed
oil
Cooking oil

Sawdust

Municipal & Domestic
Wastes

1992 – The Concept



Complete abandonment
of
fossil fuels

Phase I

Energy Savings

50%

