

DAG MÅNED ÅR

Danish Marine Conservation Fund

Green Power Denmark (Energy Association)

Introduction to Marine Conservation Fund

- ↪ Coined in 2023 political agreement regarding the tender frameworks for 6 GW offshore wind (price only)
- ↪ Two-sided purpose:
 1. *Marine Nature Restoration*
 2. *Co-existence between OFW and nature*
- ↪ Political culture in Denmark: The Danish Society for Nature Conservation, Ocean institute and Energy Association started bridging ideas for fund construction



Marine Conservation Fund: The Basics

- ↪ 500 mio. kroner (approx 70 mio. EUR)
- ↪ Funded by the state until 2030
- ↪ Revisit financing in 2028

- ↪ Anchored in the Ministry of Environment in a secretariat within the Danish Environmental Protection Agency.

- ↪ The Fund is being written into law

- ↪ Wish for financial flow from multiple stakeholders with an effect on marine environment (not part of the agreement)



Three Pillars

Data - Digital Infrastructure

10 mio. EUR

Nature Restoration

60 mio. EUR

Co-existence between
Nature and OW

Testing of specific methods and trials, contribute new knowledge about nature-enhancing initiatives related to renewable energy and possibilities for coexistence