

# newsletter

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Welcome to the first VASO newsletter of 2026. We hope you've all had a great start to the year.

2026 is set to be another exciting year in the evolution of VASO. With growing momentum, new partnerships, and the continued rollout of our industrialised construction inspired composite panel system, we're poised to drive real transformation in how homes, buildings and infrastructure are delivered across the UK.



## VASO Battery Energy Storage System Unit

Battery energy storage is now recognised as a cornerstone of the UK's net zero transition - essential for capturing surplus renewable power, stabilising the grid and enabling clean energy to be delivered reliably and affordably.

VASO was delighted to design, deliver and install a bespoke BESS unit for a client in December 2025. The VASO BESS unit is a custom-engineered solution featuring integrated thermal management, swift deployment capabilities, and a structural design with a reduced carbon footprint compared to conventional containerised systems.

This project demonstrates how the innovative VASO BESS solution can unlock more renewable generation opportunities.

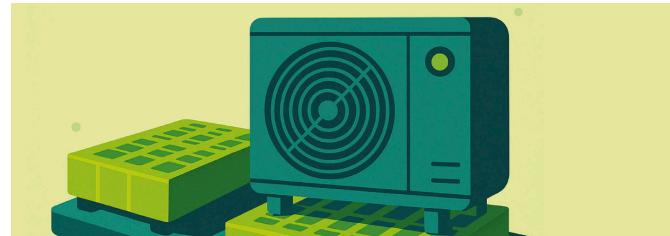
[Read more here](#)



## Closeburn Project Planning Application

Nith Valley Leaf Trust, in partnership with South of Scotland Community Housing, has formally submitted a planning application to Dumfries and Galloway Council for the [Closeburn community led housing project](#).

This represents a major milestone in progressing the proposals developed through the feasibility study, which explored site potential at Firmuir Avenue, Closeburn.



## VASO Heat Pump Base Panel

VASO's composite technology continues to evolve beyond building structures. This month, we highlight our collaboration with the [Centre for Net Zero High Density Buildings](#) to advance the [VASO Heat Pump Base Panel](#) - an engineered, non concrete alternative designed to support faster, higher quality heat pump installations.

With UK targets of 600,000 installations per year by 2028, the product aligns directly with the Heat Pump Ready Programme's focus on deployment efficiency and installation quality.



## Shaking up the Construction Sector

VASO is pleased to announce we have been invited to participate as a pitching company at [Sustainable Solutions Match 2026](#), a major European virtual event running from 16-27 March 2026 that empowers businesses on their path toward a sustainable and circular economy.

As part of the session "Shaking up the construction sector: innovative solutions to watch out for", VASO will join a curated group of forward thinking solution providers presenting ready to apply innovations addressing the future of construction.



## Housing and Workforce Questionnaire

The housing crisis reduces affordable living options, making it harder to attract and retain staff. Long commutes and housing stress lower employee satisfaction and productivity. We want to understand if this issue is affecting your organisation, [please scan the QR code to complete our questionnaire](#).