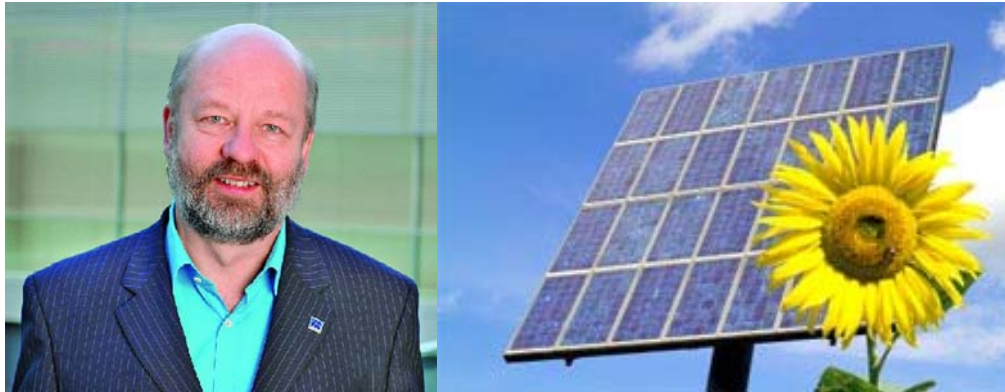


Renewable Energy Policy that Works

An Evening with Green Party German Parliamentarian

Hans-Josef Fell

Co-author of the feed-in tariff policy that has resulted in Germany becoming number one in solar PV installations



Tuesday, July 13th

6:30pm, Doors open for reception and light refreshments

7pm - 9pm, program

Glaser Center, 547 Mendocino Avenue, Santa Rosa

Hans-Josef Fell is a member of the German Parliament (Bundestag) who co-wrote the German renewable energy legislation known as feed-in tariffs in 2000. It resulted in a decade long boom in the solar market in Germany, making Germany number one in solar photovoltaic installations. The policy requires large utilities to pay small local clean power generators for the electricity they feed into the grid.

Mr. Fell, a Green Party member and spokesman on energy policy for the German Green Alliance, has won numerous awards for his work and has travelled to many countries to promote clean energy. Following his visit to Turkey, plans for a nuclear power plant were stopped, and the Prime Minister declared that his government would pursue renewable technologies. In Taiwan, following Fell's television appearances and talks with policy makers, the government announced the withdrawal of its plans to build the country's fourth nuclear power plant, and its intent to phase out nuclear power by 2020.

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