

POWER & CONSERVATION SOLUTIONS LTD.

# The Cayman Trench and its impact on SWAC projects in the Caribbean

# New Leaf Power- Background

New Leaf Power & Conservation Solutions Limited is a full service energy solutions company serving Jamaica and the Caribbean. The Company won a Climate Change Innovation Award from the World Bank for it work developing an solar energy hub for an offshore fishing island off the cost of Jamaica on the Pedro Banks.

NLP has partnered with Bluerise to explore the development of Cooling Districts in the Northern Caribbean in general; Jamaica in particular.



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# The Cayman Trench

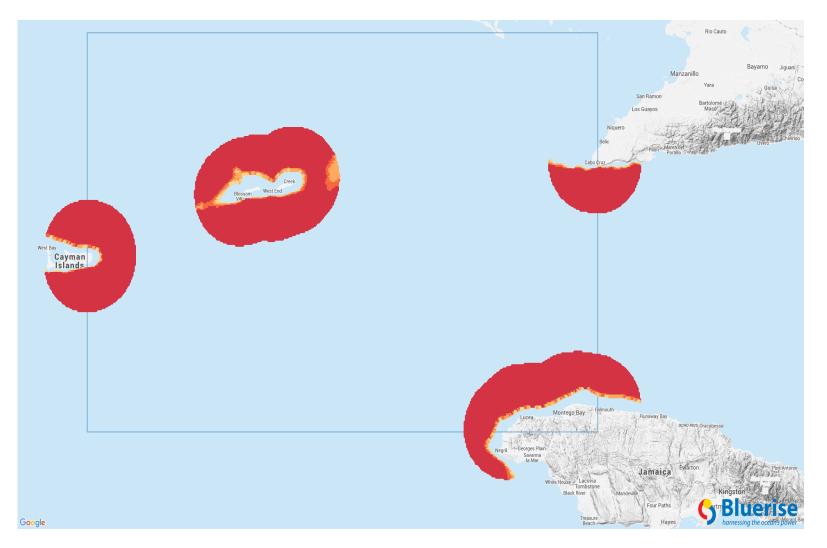
The Cayman Trench, Bartlett Deep, or Bartlett Trough is a submarine trench on the floor of the Caribbean Sea between Jamaica and the south-eastern tip of Cuba. The trough has a maximum depth of **25,216 feet (7,686 m)** with near freezing temperatures; the deepest point in the Caribbean Sea. Paradoxically, some of the world's hottest (up to 400 degrees Celsius) and deepest deep-sea vents are found in the Cayman Trench some 5 km (3.1 miles) below the surface of the sea.



# Under Water Vents – Sea Water Heating Option (SWHOP)?



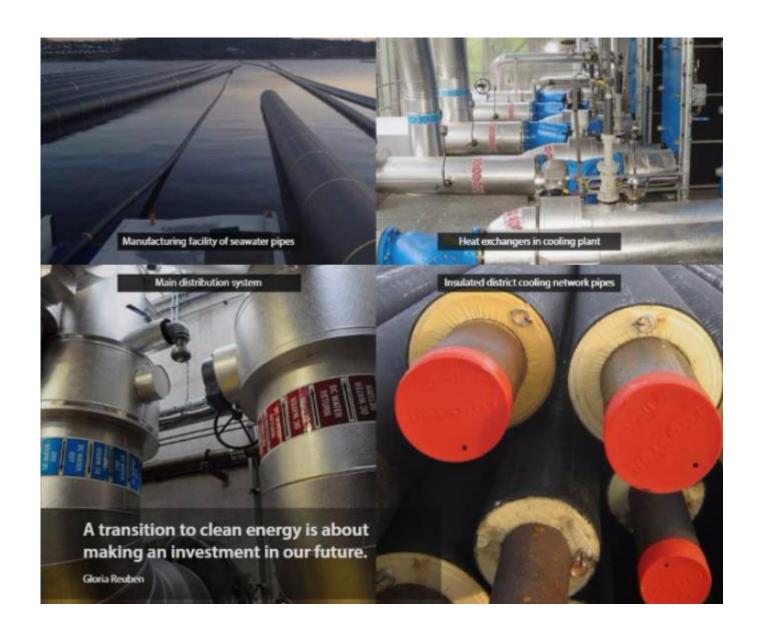
### Cooling District Opportunities in Proximity to the Cayman Trench



Jamaica, Cuba and Cayman all benefit from access to an inexhaustible source of cold deep sea water based on their proximity to the Cayman Trench.

Undersea currents brought this extremely frigid water from the Artic thousands of years ago and the Trench has the regions coldest and hottest waters.

New Leaf Power and Bluerise have partnered to pioneer the development of this capital intensive infrastructure.



### **Cooling District Benefits:**

- Lower cooling costs
- Predictable costs
- No Noise Pollution
- Reduced dependence on imported fuels which require foreign exchange
- Significantly less CO2 emissions
- Climate Change Mitigation
- Reduced emission of ozonedepleting refrigerants
- Supports protected agriculture and cold water fish farming
- Supports innovative spa and recreational facilities like ice rinks and tropical ski slopes

# Thank you for listening Any Questions?



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