Nakuru County is Kenya’s third-largest county by population.

It is the cradle of Kenya’s geothermal developments—all of Kenya’s geothermal plants installed are located in the Naivasha sub-County of Nakuru. The Olkaria geothermal power complex is the largest in Africa.

Energy access, particularly to clean cooking fuels, continues to be a challenge, but significant efforts to address this are underway. Nakuru aims to achieve universal access to electricity by 2027, promoting solar energy for off-grid applications, and integrating gender considerations.

Nakuru County is a networking region of the 100% Renewables Cities and Regions Roadmap project, and is a signatory of the 100% Renewables Cities and Regions Energy Compact and Network.