

ATLANTIC ARRAY OFFSHORE WIND FARM PUBLIC CONSULTATION FEEDBACK FORM

The following feedback form has been produced by Channel Energy Ltd, a wholly owned subsidiary of RWE Npower Renewables Ltd, to help you provide feedback on the Atlantic Array Offshore Wind Farm proposal as part of the formal pre-application consultation process.

We are interested in receiving your comments and suggestions in relation to our plans.

Please note: As this is a formal consultation, we are required to register your details with your consultation response*

Name: _____

Address: _____


Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Organisation (if appropriate): _____

SECTION ONE – About the consultation


1.  How did you find out about the consultation for Atlantic Array Offshore Wind Farm?
(Please tick as many boxes as appropriate)

- Local newspaper articles
- Statement of Community Consultation (SoCC)
- Local newspaper adverts
- Local radio
- Posters
- Word of mouth
- Project website

2.  Have you found the project website helpful in informing you of the proposals and answering any questions you may have?


- Yes No Don't know Haven't visited the website

Comments:

3.  Have you found the public exhibition events helpful in informing you of the proposals and in answering any questions you may have?

- Yes No Don't know Didn't attend an event

Comments:


4.  Which of the following documents have you read/viewed before completing this form (please tick as many boxes as appropriate)

- Statement of Community Consultation (SOCC)
 Preliminary Environmental Information (PEI)
 PEI Non Technical Summary (PEI NTS)
 Public exhibition panels

5.  At this stage do you have any further comments on our public consultation?

Comments:

SECTION 2 – Questions on the offshore proposals

6.  Are there any specific environmental impacts you have concerns about from the offshore wind farm and offshore export cables?

- Yes No Don't know

If yes, please provide details below (continued from previous question):

7. **Q** Are there any specific impacts to human activities you have concerns about from the offshore wind farm and offshore export cables?

Yes No Don't know

If yes, please provide details below:

8. **Q** To enable us to assess the 'worst case' for visual impacts from the offshore wind farm, we would like to know which wind farm layout you consider will have the greatest visual effect. Which of the wind farm layouts do you consider to have the greatest visual impact?

3.6MW layout (417 wind turbines) 8MW layout (188 wind turbines) Don't know

If you are not completing this feedback form after visiting a public exhibition, two comparison wireline layouts, from 4 key viewpoints, representing the greater number of smaller turbines and the smaller number of larger turbines can be viewed in the following locations:

- Atlantic Array website: www.npower-renewables.com/atlanticarray
- Preliminary Environmental Information (PEI) Volume 1 document (Figures 12.4-12.7).

SECTION 3 – Questions on the onshore proposals


9. **Q** There are two options for the section of the proposed cable route that is located north-east of Littleham. Option one – the northern route – will cross a watercourse and an area of trees, option 2 – the southern route – will avoid these but run closer to the residential properties to the south. Out of the two options presented what is your preferred route?

Northern route Southern route No preference Don't know

Please provide details for your choice below:


If you are not completing this feedback form after visiting a public exhibition, a map of the routes described in this question can be viewed in the following locations:

- Atlantic Array website: www.npower-renewables.com/atlanticarray
- Preliminary Environmental Information Volume 2 document (Figure 5.3 Zone 5).

10.  A landscaping plan to screen the proposed substations will be submitted as part of our application. Do you have any preference for the methods used?

- Hedgebanks Native trees Bunds (areas of earth covered in grass)
 All of the above Other No preference

Please provide details for your choice below:


11.  Site surveys and desk studies have been undertaken along the cable route to establish a baseline for the existing environment. This work has included gathering information from a number of agencies. If you have any local knowledge that might impact our proposal we would welcome your comments. An example of the type information that we have already received from a landowner on the route is being made aware of underground pipes from an old brewery.

Please provide any information that you are aware of which may have a bearing on our proposal below:

SECTION 4 – General Feedback


12.  Are there any other aspects of our proposals which you are interested in? Please list in the space below:

12b.  Please use the space below to provide any comments you have on these areas:

13.  After either visiting the public exhibition event and/or viewing consultation documents at this stage I would describe myself as?

In support of the proposal Against the proposal Undecided

Please use the space below to provide more detail:

14.  Would you like a member of the project team to respond to the feedback you have provided in this form?

Yes No

If you have answered yes to the question above how would you like us to contact you? (please ensure you have provided details at the beginning of this form)

Email Post Phone

Please return you completed form:

In person: At one of the public exhibition events

By email: atlanticarray@npower-renewables.com
to email your completed form to:

By post: Atlantic Array Offshore Wind Farm
RWE npower renewables
Auckland House
Lydiard Fields
Great Western Way
Swindon
SN5 8ZT

Important: Please note section 47 public consultation on the project will start formally on **10th September 2011** and close at 5pm on the **10th November 2011**. All public feedback to the application needs to be submitted to RWE npower renewables between these dates.

* Copies of the consultation responses will be held by Channel Energy Limited.

As part of the community consultation responses will be part of the consultation report which may be made available to the public and will be submitted to the Infrastructure Planning Commission.

Your personal details will be held in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 and, subject to the above, will not be passed to any additional third parties. Your details will not be used for marketing purposes.