Flaxlands Solar Farm Feedback Form

We want to understand your views on our proposal for a new solar farm and battery energy storage system at Flaxlands, west of the village of Hook, Wiltshire. Please read our consultation materials to help inform your responses to the questions in this form. These are available online at <u>www.flaxlandssolar.co.uk</u>.

The consultation on our proposals will take place from **Tuesday 5 November until 23:59 on Tuesday 3 December 2024** and will include a drop-in event at:

Hook, Greatfield and Greenhill Village Hall on **Tuesday 19 November** from **2pm to 7pm**.

You can feedback to the consultation via:

- Completing and submitting a feedback form online at <u>www.flaxlandssolar.co.uk</u>
- Emailing your completed form to flaxlands-solar@aecom.com
- Posting a printed copy of the form to Freepost ASE
- Filling in a hard copy form at our consultation event and giving it to a member of the project team.

If you would like this response form or any of the consultation materials in an alternative format, including large print, braille, audio or in another language, please contact us using the details above.

ABOUT THIS FORM.

The feedback form will ask for your views on the proposal. You can respond to all the questions, or just those you feel are relevant to you.

If you need additional space to complete your answers to any of the questions, please enclose additional sheets and include references to make it clear which questions the additional sheets relate to.

Our Proposal

- 1. To what extent do you support renewable energy in the UK?
 - □ Strongly support
 - □ Slightly support
 - □ Neutral
 - □ Slightly oppose
 - □ Strongly oppose
 - Don't know
- 2. To what extent do you support our proposal for a new solar farm and battery energy storage system at Flaxlands?
 - □ Strongly support
 - □ Slightly support
 - □ Neutral
 - □ Slightly oppose
 - □ Strongly oppose
 - Don't know
- 3. As part of our proposal, we are proposing to divert Public Right of Way (PRoW) LTRE 28 and sections of PRoW LTRE 26. Details about the diversion can be found in our consultation materials. The diversion will not make the PRoWs significantly longer and will enable us to actively manage the PRoW to ensure it remains accessible and clearly sign posted all year round. To what extent do you support this proposal?
 - □ Strongly support
 - □ Slightly support
 - □ Neutral
 - □ Slightly oppose
 - □ Strongly oppose
 - Don't know

- 4. During construction, there is likely to be more traffic due to materials being delivered to the site. Access to the site will be via the M4 J16, then following the A3102, before heading north on Greatfield Lane past the village of Hook, before turning left on Flaxlands Lane. We want to understand how this route is used locally. How often do you use Flaxlands Lane?
 - □ Very often
 - □ Fairly often
 - □ Occasionally
 - □ Not very often
 - □ Never
 - □ Don't know
- 5. Please use the space below to provide any comments to explain your answers to questions 2, 3 and 4.

6. We are exploring ways in which our proposal can generate benefits for the local community, and some details about our ideas are given in our consultation materials. Please use the space below to provide any other suggestions on how we can support the community as part of the proposal.

7. Please include anything further you think we should consider when developing our proposal in the box below.

About the Consultation

To help us improve how we consult in future, we would be grateful if you could answer the questions below.

- 1. How did you hear about the consultation? (tick all that apply)
 - □ Social media (Facebook, Twitter, etc.)
 - □ Word of mouth
 - Postcard received in the post
 - □ Local newspaper
 - □ Local radio
 - □ Local ward or parish councillor
 - Other (please specify) _____
- 2. How useful did you find our consultation materials in helping you understand the scheme?
 - □ Very useful
 - □ Somewhat useful
 - □ Neutral
 - □ Not very useful
 - □ Not useful at all
 - Undecided / don't know

3. Do you have any comments on how we can improve our consultation materials? For example, is there anything else you think we should be including?

About you

The questions in this section will help us to understand the audience reached by the consultation. Your answers will only be used for the purpose of informing the analysis of this survey and will be treated confidentially.

- 1. What is your connection to the scheme? (please select as many as apply)
 - \Box I live in the area
 - \Box I work in the area
 - □ Local ward or parish councillor
 - Other (please specify)
 - □ Prefer not to say
- 2. Are you responding on behalf of an organisation or business?
 - □ Yes (please specify) _____
 - □ No
- 3. Please provide your home or organisation/business postcode: (Full UK postcodes only)

Thank you for completing this response form.