

Community Liaison Group Meeting Cable North

Wainfleet

March 2025

Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Terms of reference
3. Project Update
 - a) Examination progress
 - b) Survey Updates
4. Outer Dowsing in the Community
5. Supply Chain and Collaboration
6. AOB

1. Introductions

2. Terms of Reference

Terms of Reference and Aims

Our Aims ...

To involve key local stakeholders in the design and development of the Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind project (landfall, onshore cable route and substation) through presentations, discussions and planned workshop activities.

To act as a two-way communication channel between local communities and the project team.

To help foster local involvement and ownership of the project.

To facilitate focused discussions and ensure attendees can make the most out of the CLG's – it is intended for these groups to be focused on concerns/ issues / thoughts relative to their specific local area.



Approval of previous minutes



Any comments or queries prior to the meeting?



Declaration of Conflicts of Interests.

3. Project Update



Project Timeline

Hearings
completed,
examination
ends April 10th



Preferred
bidder
status
secured
2021



Seabed
rights
awarded
Jan 2023



Grid
Connection
confirmed for
2030
Aug 2023



DCO
application
accepted
Q1 2024



Consent
granted
2025

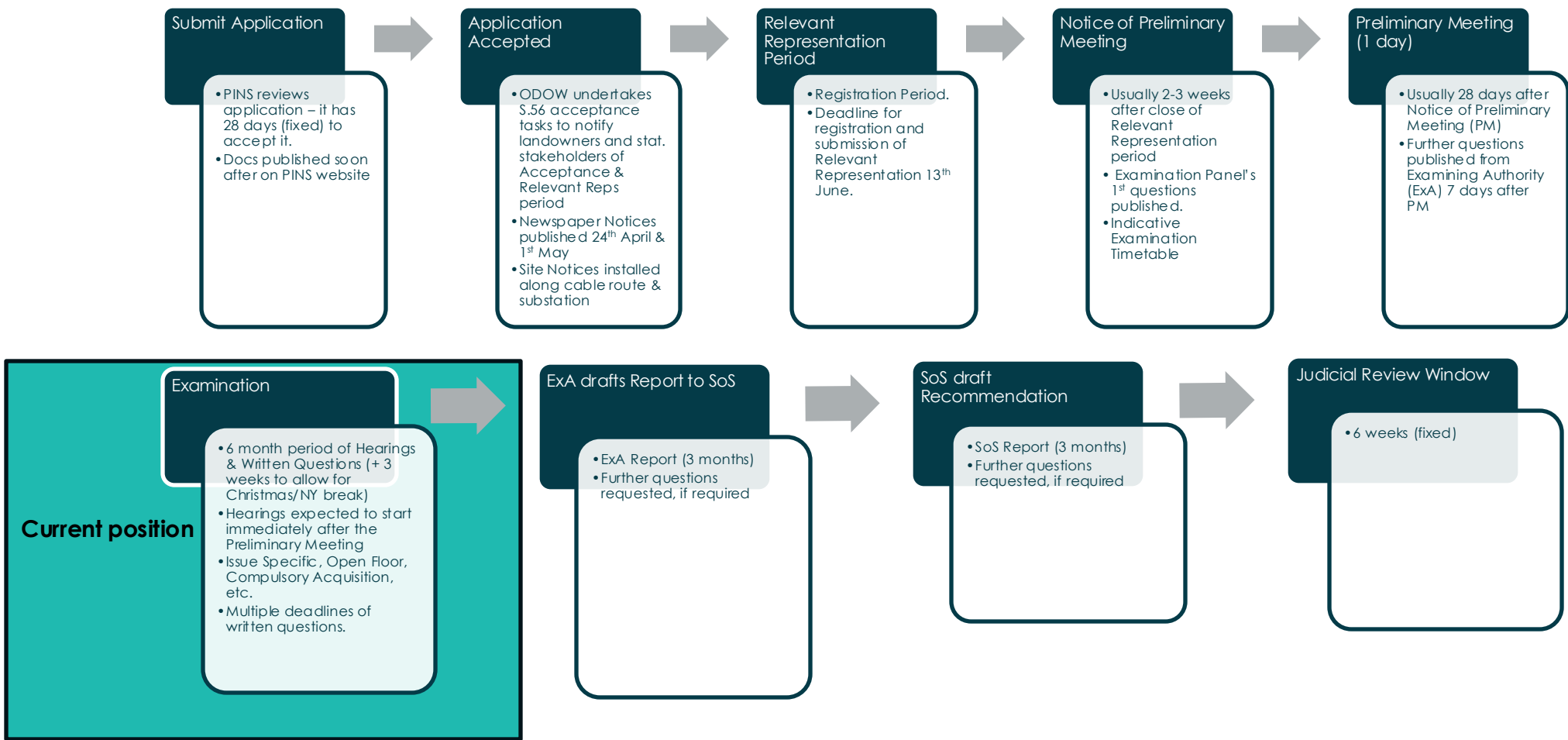


Construction
2027



COD
2030

Examination progress




Examination Process ends April 10th 2025

Examination progress

Planning Inspectorate Webpage – all application and Examination updated documents available for download.

<https://national-infrastructure-consenting.planninginspectorate.gov.uk/projects/EN010130>





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Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind (Generating Station)

Documents

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[Rule 17 Letter - Request for further information - 21 March 2025 \(PDF, 235KB\)](#)

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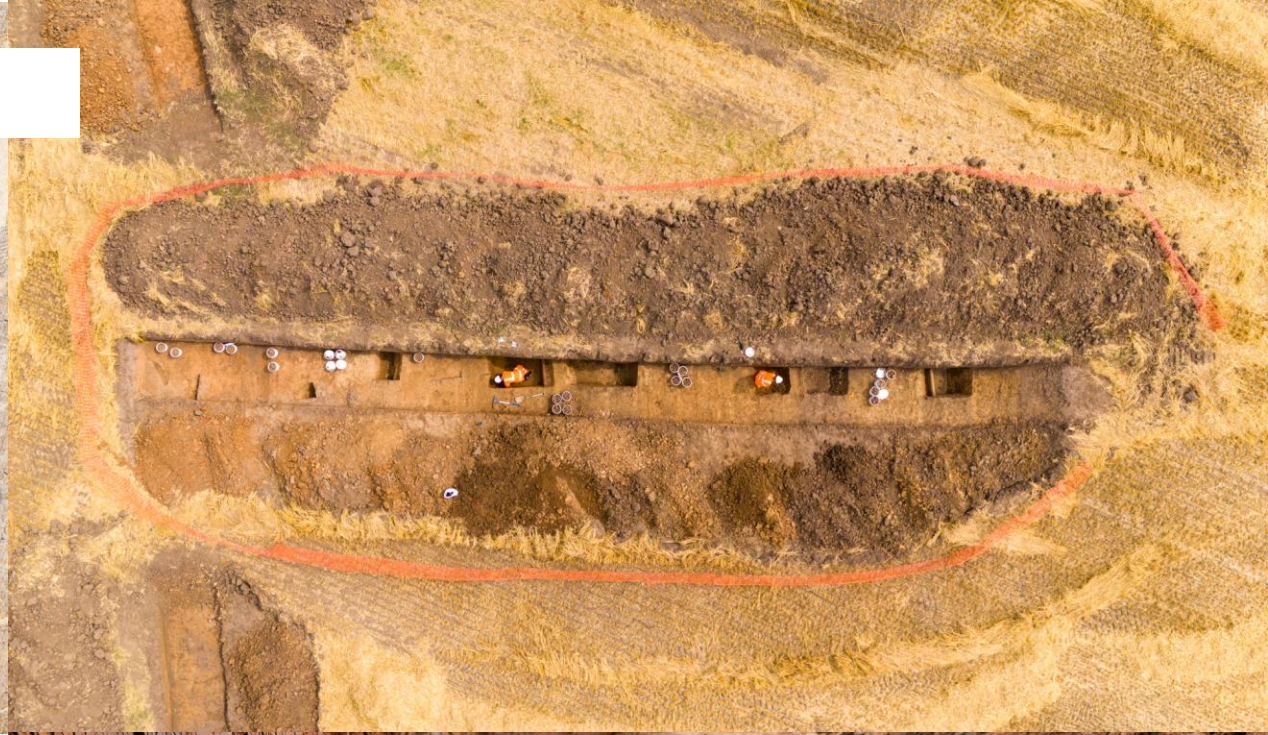
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Future Surveys 2025

Activity	Location	Timing and Duration
Offshore geotechnical survey (boreholes and CPTs)	Array and offshore cable route	28th April and 08th August 2025
Nearshore geophysical survey (seismic refraction)	Off the coast from Anderby Creek	July 2025
Onshore Archaeology Excavation Est. 200 trenches Focusing on anomalies from geophys walkovers and 2024 trench works	Onshore Cable Route	April-August 2025



2024 Archaeological Surveys



2024 Archaeological Surveys

A total of 74 trenches were found to contain archaeological remains including:

- Pottery shards/ Ceramic fragments/ brooch
- Industrial debris
- Evidence of Late Iron Age and Romano-British enclosure
- Burnt (animal) bone

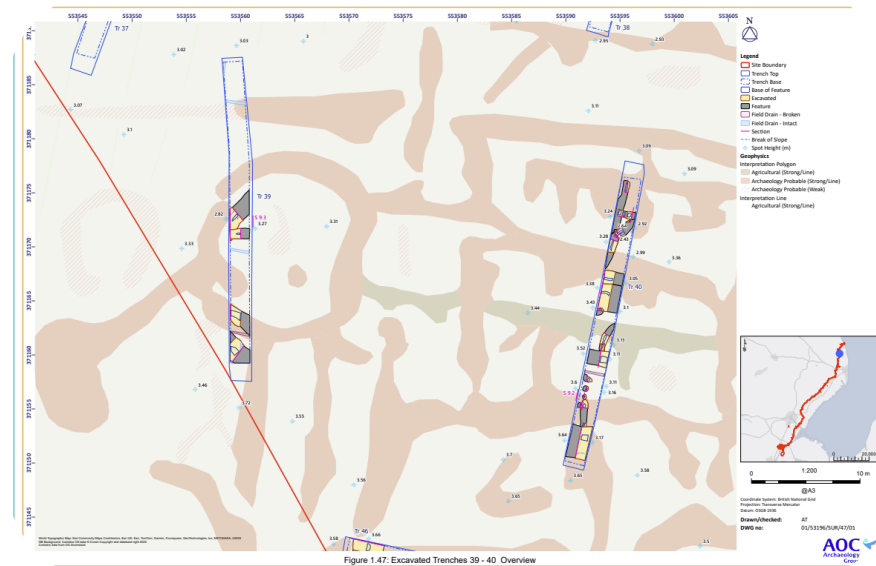


Figure 1.47: Excavated Trenches 39 - 40 Overview

4. Outer Dowsing in the community

Careers outreach

Attended Careers Fair at
Thomas Middlecott Academy
in Kirton as part of National
Careers week



Presented to Year 7&8
year groups and 6th form
Engineering and Business
students at University of
Lincoln Academy
Holbeach



Community Projects

Main community benefit fund to launch after financial close in 2027

In the interim we are funding projects that fall within our criteria to help support local communities.

Organisations must have own bank account, pass due diligence checks and project must fit within themes:

- STEM Skills
- Community health
- Nature positive
- Sustainable enterprise

Funded first aid training for Emergency response volunteers to help launch the Lincolnshire Resilience Forum in Sutterton, Algakirk and Fosdyke



Funded mental health first aid training for Young Farmers in partnership with LRSN



5. Supply Chain and Collaboration

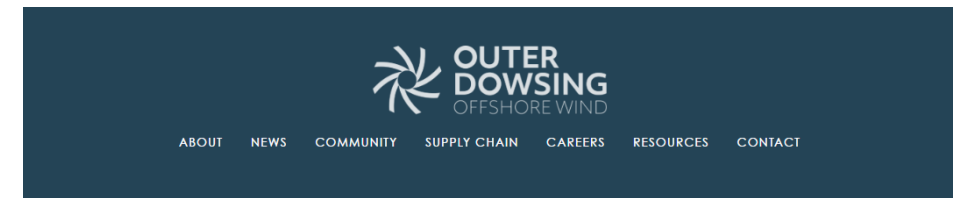


Investing in the UK

We will work to Maximize investment in the UK supply chain and create skilled jobs

- Over **£2billion** estimated investment in the UK
- Over **1000 UK-based** skilled jobs during construction
- Over **400 UK-based** skilled jobs during operations for 35 years
- Member of **Humber Offshore Wind Cluster** working to bring economic growth to the region
- **Launched supplier portal** - please spread the word

<https://www.outerdowsing.com/supplychain/>



OUTER DOWSING SUPPLIER PORTAL

Thank you for your interest in the Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind project. We are in the early stages of our project but are keen when the time comes to maximise local value through our supply chain.

Please complete the form below in English. Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind (GT R4 Ltd) will store your personal data (name, title, email and contact phone) in our database of potential suppliers with a view to contacting you in the event we wish to explore new contracts. Registering via this portal does not pre-qualify your company, it is simply an expression of interest. By submitting your information you also accept on behalf of your company or organisation that Outer Dowsing Offshore Wind (GT R4 Ltd) or our affiliates can contact you about opportunities to work on Outer Dowsing.

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6. AOB

