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Mallard Pass Solar Farm

Upcoming Onsite Survey Works Update

Good afternoon,

We would like to notify you of upcoming survey works taking place onsite within the proposed boundary of the Mallard Pass Solar Farm proposals.

As Mallard Pass Solar Farm is proposed to have a generating capacity exceeding 50 megawatts (MW), it is classified as a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) and must submit a Development Consent Order (DCO) application to the Planning Inspectorate (PINS). This planning application will be determined by the Secretary of State for the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS).

Mallard Pass Solar Farm is currently in the pre-application phase of project development, seeking to submit the DCO application to PINS later this year. As part of the preparation for this application, a number of further environmental surveys will be taking place within the site area proposed for Mallard Pass. These works will be undertaken alongside our analysis of the extensive feedback we have received through both stages of public consultation, as we work to refine the final design of our proposals for submission with the application.

Please note that trial trenching will begin on Tuesday 20 September 2022 and is estimated to last four to five weeks, coming to an end in late October 2022. These onsite activities will be undertaken ensuring minimal impact to the local community and those in close proximity to the site area.

Please note, the works being undertaken are not the beginning of any construction work for Mallard Pass Solar Farm. The activities are to gather data to inform the Environmental Statement for the DCO application, which (if successful) would grant the planning permissions necessary to begin construction of Mallard Pass.

If you would like to know more about the survey works taking place or have a general enquiry about Mallard Pass Solar Farm, please do not hesitate to get in touch via the project-dedicated communications lines.

Kind regards,

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