



Feedback form

Non-statutory consultation

Deadline for feedback: Sunday 13 April 2025

Our non-statutory consultation

Ossian is a proposed floating offshore wind farm located approximately 80km off the east coast of Scotland (referred to as the Ossian Array). It has the potential to deliver up to 3.6GW of renewable energy and, once built, will connect to the grid via the connection points National Grid have offered - at proposed substations near Spalding and Alford in Lincolnshire.

These proposals, referred to as the Ossian Transmission Infrastructure, include all the elements needed to connect the Ossian Array to the national grid in Lincolnshire.

Those elements are -

- Offshore export cables
- a Landfall location on the Lincolnshire coast
- Onshore export cables
- Onshore converter stations close to proposed National Grid substations.

Ossian has the capability of powering up to 6 million homes annually and offsetting up to 7.5 million tonnes of carbon emissions each year. This makes it vitally important in supporting the UK's target of reaching net zero by 2050.

Please note that this form is unable to address concerns or queries relating to any other proposed developments other than Ossian.

Please complete this form and return by 11.59pm on Sunday 13 April 2025.

At an event: please **hand your completed feedback form to a member of the Ossian team**, or **leave it in the feedback box provided.**

By post: **Freepost Ossian Transmission.** It's free and you don't need a stamp.

By Email: Complete the form, scan it and email to **info@ossiantransmission.com**

Your Contact details

Name:

Telephone number:

Email address:

Postal address:

Do you represent an organisation? (Yes / No) If yes, which one?

Where did you hear about this consultation (tick all that apply)?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Poster | <input type="checkbox"/> Email |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper advert | <input type="checkbox"/> Word of mouth |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Online advert | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Postcard through door | |

Climate change

In general, what is your attitude towards climate change? (select most appropriate)

- Climate Change is the most important issue we face that must be addressed
- Climate Change is real, however there are other priorities that we must focus on currently
- Climate Change is not a threat and supposed impacts are being over-stated

Climate change and role of offshore wind

In general, what is your attitude towards offshore wind projects (tick all that apply)

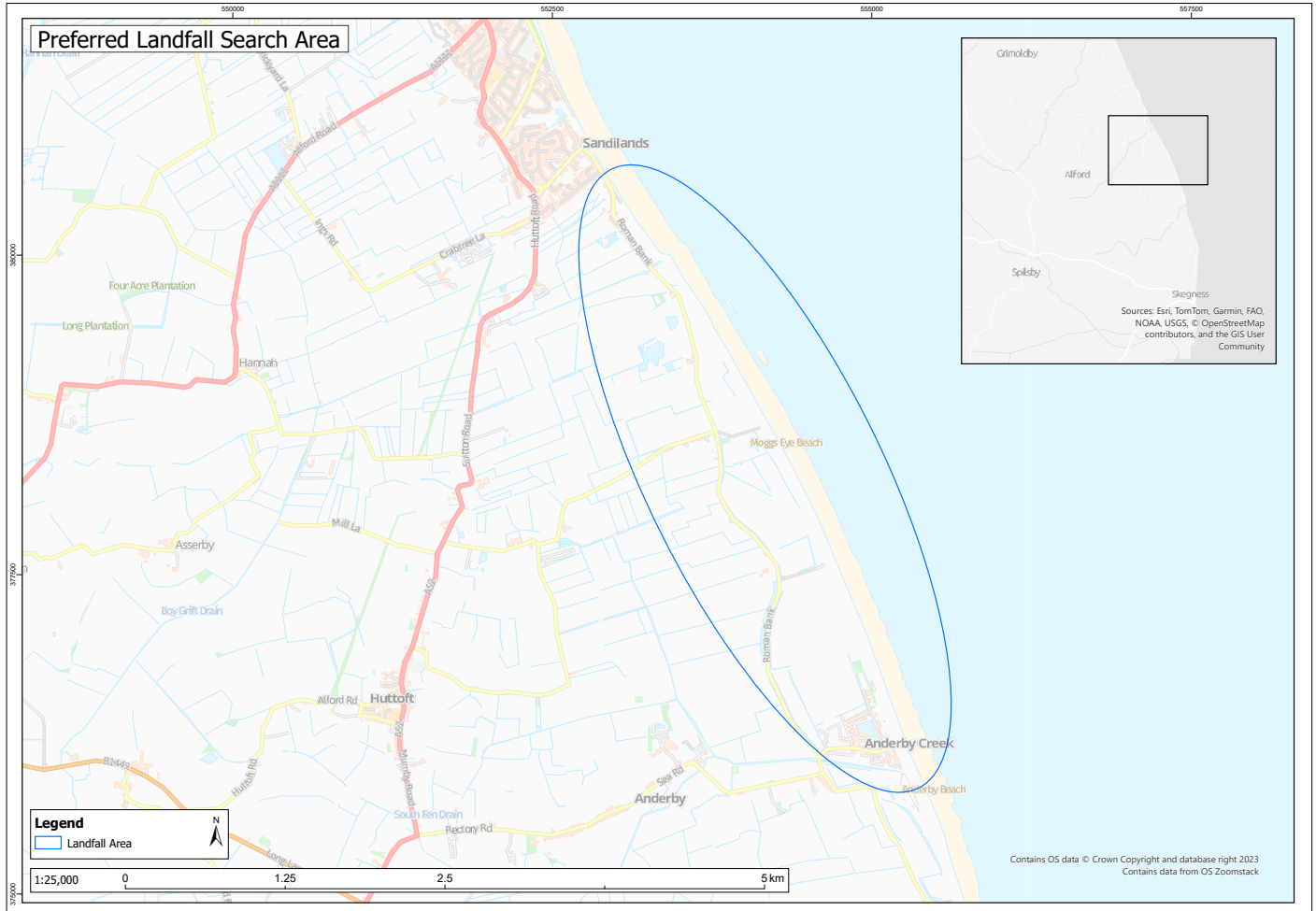
- Offshore wind will play a crucial role in addressing the worst impacts of Climate Change
- Offshore wind can bring a host of economic benefits to the UK and should be delivered.
- Offshore wind is part of the solution, but other sources of energy are also required.
- Offshore wind has no significant role to play in the future of UK energy

Any information given on this form can be used and published anonymously as part of our consultation reporting. We will always treat your data with respect, keep it secure, and never sell it to third parties or use it for purposes other than considering it to inform the development of the Ossian Wind Farm. Our privacy notice is available to view at www.ossianwindfarm.com/privacy-notice

Preferred Landfall Search Area

Offshore cables will run from the wind farm to shore at a location known as 'Landfall'.

A preferred Landfall area of search has been identified, within which the proposed Landfall would be located. This area includes the part of the coastline between the southern edge of Sandilands and Anderby Creek. We are aware of sensitive habitats and seeking to mitigate impacts where possible.



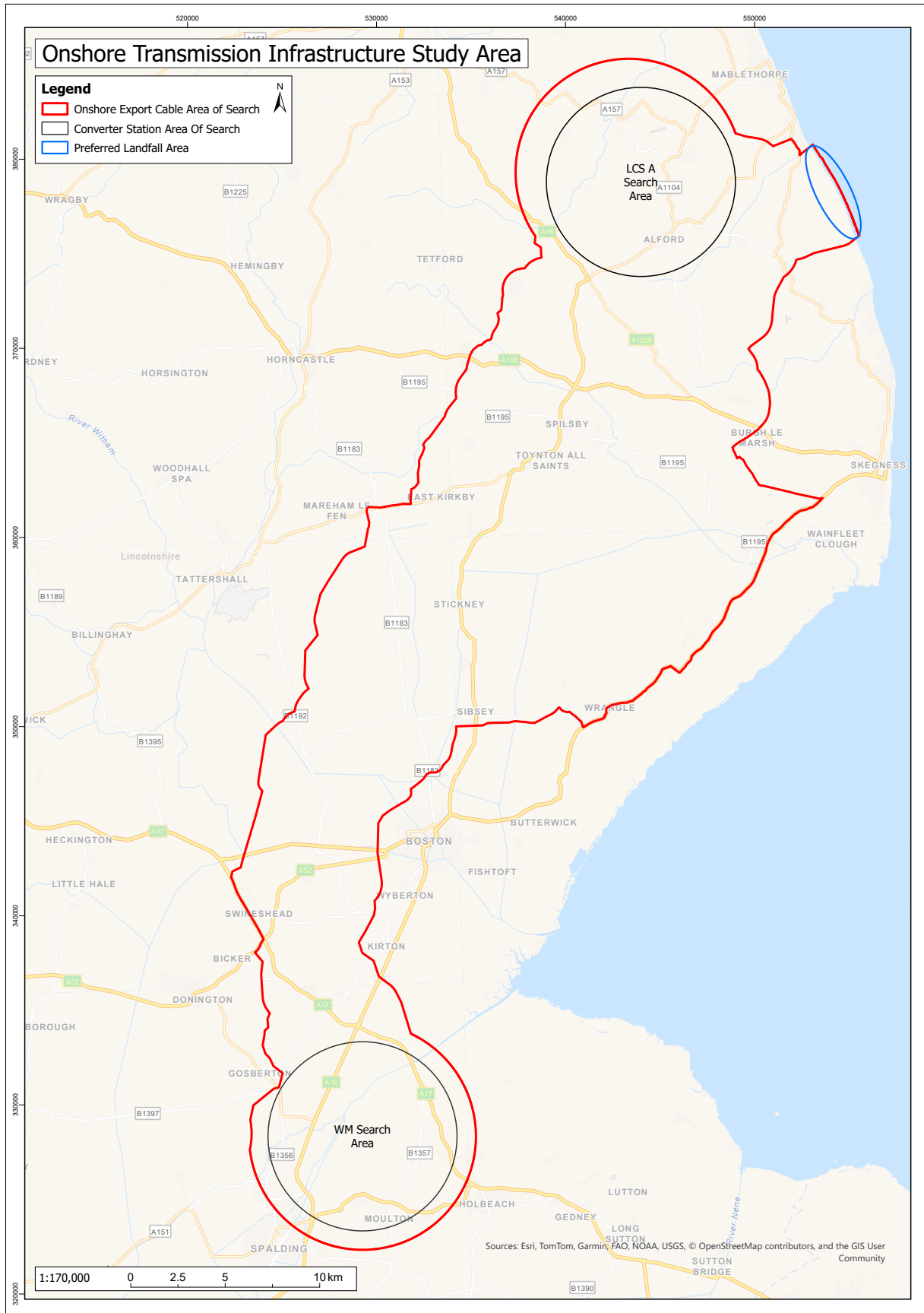
Looking at the Landfall area of search we've identified during this consultation, do you have any comments that would help us develop our proposals?

Empty response box for comments.

Onshore Cable Corridor

The onshore cable corridor will be located within the Onshore Transmission Infrastructure Study Area and will run from the Landfall to the onshore converter stations and on to the proposed National Grid substations. Onshore export cables will be installed underground along this corridor.

As we continue to refine our proposals, we will look to establish preferred cable corridor options and present this refinement as part of the next stage of our public consultation at the end of the year.



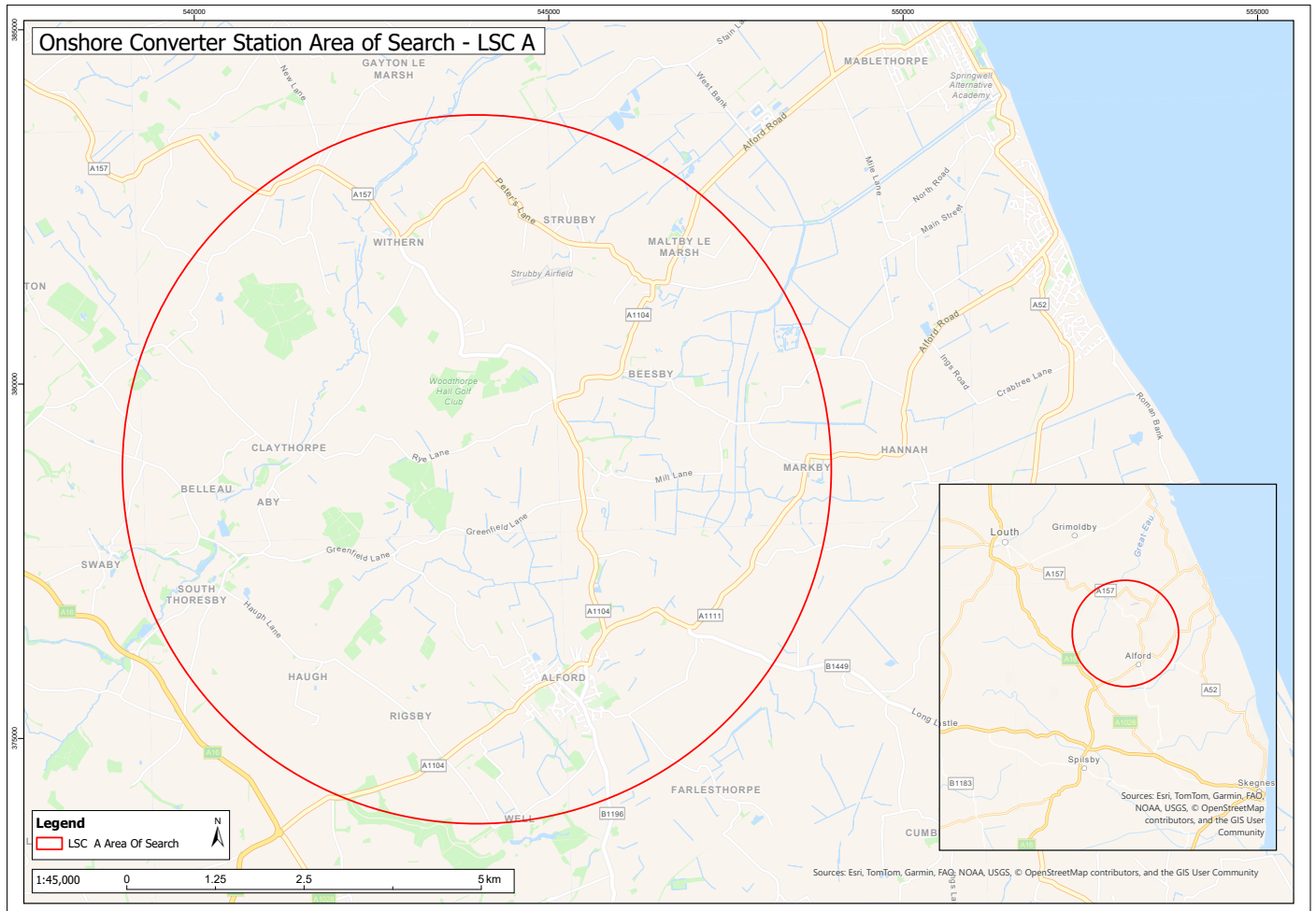
Do you have any comments on the area that will help us to identify preferred cable corridor options?

Onshore Converter Stations

As part of the Ossian Transmission Infrastructure, new onshore converter Stations are required to transform the electricity supplied by the Ossian Array from HVDC to HVAC before it can be fed into the national grid network.

This could include:

- one converter station close to National Grid's proposed Lincolnshire Connection Substation A; and



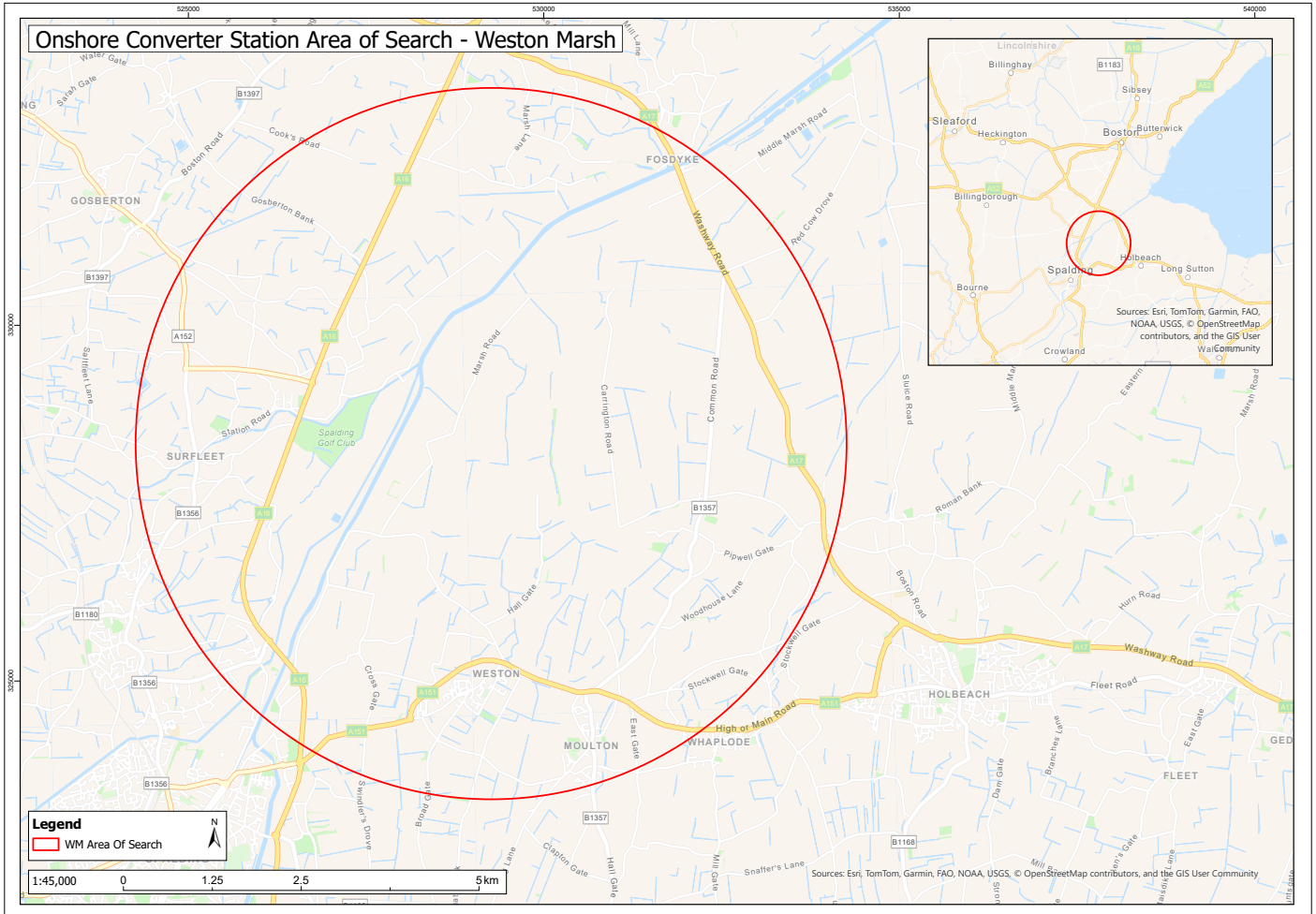
Do you have any comments on our proposals above to construct new converter stations that will help us to refine our plans?

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This could include:

- up to two converter stations close to National Grid's proposed Weston Marsh Substation.



Do you have any comments on our proposals above to construct new converter stations that will help us to refine our plans?

Landowners/Occupiers

As we continue to refine our proposals, we will look to establish preferred landfall, underground cable corridor and onshore converter site options.

What are the key concerns you as a landowner/ occupier have about the project and how do you think we can reasonably mitigate any impact on farming or other current use on the land?

Offshore Infrastructure

In addition to the onshore infrastructure we're proposing in Lincolnshire, we'll also need to install offshore export cables which will connect the offshore substation platforms, which are part of the Ossian Array, to the chosen landfall area on the Lincolnshire coast.

Offshore export cables are being proposed over approximately 500km. The cables would be installed between one and three meters below the surface of the seabed, with methods including trenching, ploughing, mass flow excavators and mechanical cutters currently being considered.

Do you have any comments on the offshore cable route search area or our approach to offshore cable installation?

As part of our project development, Ossian will engage with a range of marine users such as the fishing community, shipping industry, environmental agencies and other recreational users.

Are there any specific marine user groups you feel Ossian should identify and engage with as part of their development of offshore infrastructure?

Community Benefits

We are committed to working closely with local communities, positioning them as vital stakeholders. We have set up Ossian Energise, a programme dedicated to fostering growth in skills, employability, education, research, and innovation to help us do this.

Please provide any suggestions of initiatives you would like us to explore to help facilitate or directly deliver wider benefits to the community and / or meet local needs.

Are there any key local community groups you feel it is important that Ossian engages with?

What areas/types of activities would you like to see a Community Benefit Fund support?

Are there any means of advertising that you feel work well in the local area that we should consider for future events?

Other Comments

Do you have any further comments on the Ossian Transmission Infrastructure presented at this non-statutory consultation?

Contact details

If you have any questions on the Ossian Transmission Infrastructure, you can get in touch with the team on:



Email:

info@ossiantransmission.com



Freepost:

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Phone:

[0800 138 5407](tel:08001385407)

(this number is free from a landline, other network providers may charge and is open from 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday).



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