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To: [East Anglia ONE North](#); [East Anglia Two](#)
Subject: Re: East Anglia ONE North and East Anglia TWO Projects: Update on requests to speak at October Open Floor Hearings
Date: 29 September 2020 17:50:54

Thank you for your email of 28th.

I don't understand why you cannot allocate sufficient time to allow all objectors to speak now, when it's most important, rather than delay until January which is much too late in the process.

It cannot be difficult to rearrange your diaries - if you have time in January you can simply extend the current hearings and move the rest of your work back to use the free time in January.

I look forward to hearing that you will change the arrangements to allow us all to speak now.

Tony Morley

Sent from my iPad

On 28 Sep 2020, at 13:48, East Anglia ONE North
<EastAngliaOneNorth@planninginspectorate.gov.uk> wrote:

Dear Sir/Madam

The Examining Authorities have reviewed all submitted Open Floor Hearing Involvement Forms (OFHIF) and would like to thank you for confirming your request/interest to speak at the Open Floor Hearings scheduled for 7-9 October 2020.

The Examining Authorities has today published the [Agenda including Annexes](#) for these events to the East Anglia ONE North and East Anglia TWO Offshore Wind Farm National Infrastructure project pages. We have received a substantial number of requests to speak at the OFHs scheduled for October, however there is not sufficient time to provide all parties an opportunity to speak across these scheduled dates.

As a result, we regretfully have to confirm that on this occasion and for these events, you will not have an opportunity to speak. However you have been prioritised to speak at the Open Floor Hearings reserved in January 2021. There will be no need for you to confirm your wish to speak at any future hearings or confirm this in writing by Deadline 1.

We would encourage you to review Annex B of the OFH Agenda, which provides further explanation and advice regarding this matter.

We trust you find this response satisfactory, however please be advised that this decision to defer your speaking request to later hearings in January is not a consequence of the need to hold virtual events. Whether they are held in person or virtually, all hearings have limits in the numbers who can be heard and on their duration, to ensure that speakers can participate fairly and effectively.

Please be advised that you will still be able to observe all three OFH, which will be broadcast via a Livestream on **Wednesday 7th, Thursday 8th and Friday 9th October 2020**. Please refer to the OFH Agenda to confirm the start time for each of these events.

If you wish to observe via the internet on a computer or smart phone please follow this link:

[Observe the EA1N and EA2 Offshore Windfarm Open Floor Hearings.](#)

Yours faithfully,

East Anglia ONE North and East Anglia TWO Case Teams

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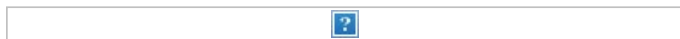
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