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Appendix 8.3 Consultation Record and Responses Relevant to Cultural Heritage

- 1.1.1. This Appendix presents a summary of all consultation undertaken to date with stakeholders for the Proposed Development.
- 1.1.2. Matters raised during consultation in relation to cultural heritage, as well as how and where matters have been addressed within the EIA and ES is outlined in Table 1.

Table 1 Key Matters Raised during Consultation in Relation to Cultural Heritage

Consultee	Date of Consultation	Main Matter Raised	Where is the Matter Addressed in the ES
Ms Chloe Cronogue-Freeman, Leicestershire County Council acting on behalf of Rutland Council	18-11-2021 (video call meeting)	Proposed scope of the desk-based assessment, key sources of information, proposed scope / extent / timings of the geophysical survey. In regard to the specifics of the desk-based assessment references were made to the need for a review of the historic environment record, lidar analysis, historic map regression, review of data from the Portable Antiquities Scheme.	Addressed within Section 8.2 in Chapter 8: Cultural Heritage [EN010127/APP/6.1] of the ES and in greater detail in Appendix 8.4: Desk Based Assessment [EN010127/APP/6.2]
Ms Denise Drury, Heritage Lincolnshire, acting on behalf of South Kesteven District Council			

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Ms Jan Allen and Mr Matthew Adams, Lincolnshire County Council			
Lincolnshire County Council	4 th March 2022	EIA Scoping Response: concerns raised regarding the 'scoping out' of cultural heritage (buried archaeology and built heritage). Specific comments on the scope of the assessment.	Buried archaeology and built heritage now scoped in and the assessment is presented in Chapter 8: Cultural Heritage.
		Written response to the PEIR: confirming the requirements for the detailed assessment and	Addressed within Section 8.4 in Chapter 8: Cultural Heritage of the ES and in greater detail in

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		submission, reaffirming the details identified above during the initial consultation.	<i>Appendix 8.4: Desk Based Assessment.</i>
	Consultations had during September and October 2022	The required scope and quantum of archaeological trial trenching.	<p>The Applicant considers that its approach to this matter is robust and sufficient for the purposes of the ES. In the interim results of the work are reported in <i>Appendix 8.6: Trial Trenching Report</i> of the ES.</p> <p>A Written Scheme of Investigation (method statement) for the work was submitted to and approved by LCC; notwithstanding their maintained</p>

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			position that additional trenching would be required
Rutland County Council	7 th March 2022	Written response to the EIA Scoping Response: concerns raised regarding the ‘scoping out’ of cultural heritage (buried archaeology).	Buried archaeology and built heritage now scoped in and the assessment is presented in Chapter 8: Cultural Heritage.
		Written response to the PEIR: no issues raised.	N/A
	Late August and Early September 2022	Telephone and email correspondence on the matter of archaeological trial trenching (with Mr	Reported within Appendix 8.6: Trial Trenching Report of the ES.

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		Richard Clarke of Leicestershire County Council, advising RCC).	Trial trenching completed within Rutland (see Appendix 8.6: Trial Trenching Report of the ES for details).
South Kesteven District Council	7 th March 2022	Written response to the EIA Scoping: concerns raised regarding the 'scoping out' of cultural heritage (buried archaeology).	Buried archaeology and built heritage now scoped in and the assessment is presented in Chapter 8: Cultural Heritage .
		Written response to the PEIR: no issues raised.	N/A
Historic England (Mr Tim Allen)	24 th November 2021	Written response to Stage 1 consultation: general points raised with no specific issues.	N/A

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	7 th March 2022	Written response on the EIA Scoping: general points raised welcoming the assessment approach taken to date and the design regarding 'setting issues'.	N/A
	28 th July 2022	Written response to the PEIR: general comments regarding the scope of the assessment and potential mitigation	N/A
	October and November 2022	Email, video call and site visit to discuss the scope of the assessment undertaken and to engage on the matter of the scope and quantum of the trial trenching.	Reported within Appendix 8.6: Trial Trenching Report of the ES.

