

CUMNOR PARISH COUNCIL

Planning Inspectorate

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BOTLEY WEST SOLAR FARM (BWSF) REF: EN010147

Cumnor Parish Council's Comments on suggested locations for Accompanied Site Inspections (ASI)

Introduction

1. Of the 1,418ha of land for the three solar power stations proposed by PVDP, 81ha - comprising the whole of the applicant's southern power station and the applicant's southern part of cable routes between the central and southern power stations - is located in Cumnor Parish, which in turn sits within the administrative area of the Vale of White Horse District Council (VWHDC).
2. This submission, and its related documents, constitutes Cumnor Parish Council's (CPC) comments on suggested locations for Accompanied Site Inspections (ASI).

It should be read in combination with CPC's own Deadline 2 submission requesting an ASI in the Parish. **(EN010147-001137-Cumnor Parish Council - Nominations for any locations for an Accompanied Site Inspection (ASI), including the information requested in Annex B of the Rule 6 documentation, under 'Site Inspections').**

CPC documents submitted to the Planning Inspectorate (PINS) for Deadlines 1 and 2 can be found at the end of this document in Appendices 1 and 2 respectively.

Cumnor Parish Council's comments

3. CPC supports the two Cumnor residents requests for an ASI. To save the ExA from making repeated journeys or detours CPC would like to offer to find a way of integrating these ASI requests into CPC proposed ASI .

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Appendix 1

List of relevant documents supplied as email attachments to PINS by Deadline 1 (June 4th 2025)

1. This document (Cumnor Parish Council Written Representation Ref EN010147 30th May 2025.pdf)
2. Cumnor Parish Council - Submission to PINS OFH Session 1 Tuesday 13th May 2025.pdf
3. Cumnor-Parish-Neighbourhood-Development-Plan-v7.0-07072021-min.pdf
4. Cumnor-Parish-Neighbourhood-Plan-Important-Views-v1.5-16022021.pdf
5. Cumnor-Parish-Neighbourhood-Plan-Flood-Risk-Assessment-September-2020.pdf
6. 2025-03-28 Response TVP Designing Out Crime Officer.pdf
7. Farmoor-Character-Assessment-Final.pdf
8. Cumnor-Village-Character-Assessments-Final-v2-Jan-2019.pdf
9. Cumnor-Parish-Character-Assessment-September-2020.pdf
10. Cumnor-Neighbourhood-Plan-Landscape-Character-Assessment-September-2020.pdf

Appendix 2

List of relevant documents supplied as email attachments to PINS by Deadline 2 (July 1st 2025)

1. EN010147-001137-Cumnor Parish Council - Nominations for any locations for an Accompanied Site Inspection (ASI), including the information requested in Annex B of the Rule 6 documentation, under 'Site Inspections.pdf
2. EN010147-001136-Cumnor Parish Council - Responses to Examining Authority's First Written Questions (ExQ1).pdf