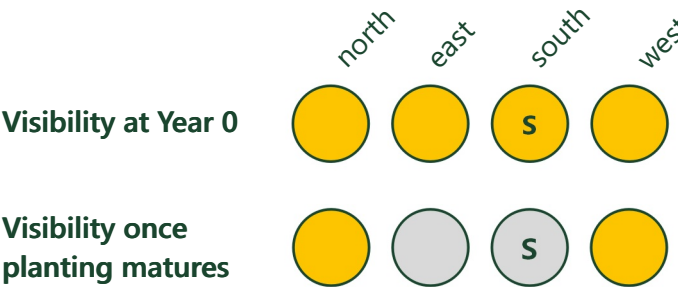


GREAT NORTH ROAD SOLAR AND BIODIVERSITY PARK

Viewpoint 55
Ossington Lane near The Grange

Cardinal views analysis:



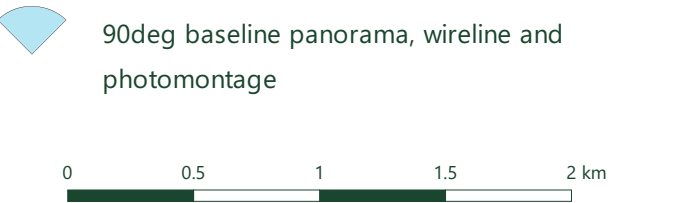
- Key**
- No solar areas visible from this viewpoint in this direction
 - Wireline indicates theoretical visibility but would not be discernible in practice
 - Visibility of solar areas in this direction during summer and winter
 - Visibility of solar areas in this direction during winter only
- S An intermediate substation is visible in this direction of the view, refer to text
- M The main 400kV substation is visible in this direction of the view
- Be The BESS is visible in this direction of the view

Existing View

This view is on a local road which is mostly hedge lined, although the location of the viewpoint has a gap in the hedge to one side. The view looks out across nearby arable fields towards relatively close skylines across fields divided by low cut hedges with occasional trees. A line of pylons crosses the view on gently rising ground to the west and northwest and woodland forms the skyline to the south with small woodlands seen in other directions.

Predicted Changes to Views

During construction and early operation, solar arrays would be seen in the field across the road above the roadside hedge. The Ossington Road substation would be visible beyond these arrays, backdropped by trees. To the northwest solar arrays would be seen in the sloping fields on the skyline. Once hedges have grown taller, the adjacent solar arrays would be largely or entirely screened, except in winter when they may be visible through the nearest section of hedge. The arrays in the fields to the northwest would remain visible and the upper parts of the substation may remain visible above the hedge. After decommissioning, the taller hedge would continue to enclose views to the east of the road.



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