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Your Ref: EN010168

Date: 12 August 2026

Dear Sir/Madam,

[EN010168] Lime Down Solar Park – Notice of Proposed Change

Interested Party Reference number: [REDACTED]

Thank you for consulting Gloucestershire County Council (GCC) on this matter.

GCC officers have reviewed the consultation materials relating to the Lime Down Solar Park Development Consent Order (DCO) application, currently under examination by the Planning Inspectorate.

With respect to “Change 1” as outlined in the consultation letter, GCC officers request further information on any changes to access of construction traffic arising from the proposed changes in order limits.

GCC officers understand that proposed changes to order limits are mainly within Wiltshire; with some works proposed in South Gloucestershire. It would help to have the boundaries of local authorities depicted on the location map(s).

Detailed officer-level comments are as below.

Yours faithfully,

[REDACTED]
Senior Planning Officer
Gloucestershire County Council

DETAILED OFFICER COMMENTS

Economy & Growth

GCC officers have no further comments to make.

Libraries

GCC officers have no further comments to make.

Minerals and Waste Policy

GCC officers have no further comments to make.

Transport Planning

Location Plan (Change Application) EN010168/APP/2.1

Regarding **“Change 1: An extension of the order limits at Lime Down D to allow the emergency access to connect with public highway.”**

GCC officers note there are two change application areas located on junctions just off the A46 north of M4 Junction 18 that are not included or detailed in document “Change Application and Consultation Report (Revision 1) June 2026”. These are near Doddington Wood and Plough Farm College. Although this section of the A46 is outside Gloucestershire’s boundary, GCC officers would like to request further information on any access changes for construction traffic that can have impacts on the A46 local highway network in Gloucestershire.

Officers feel it would have been useful to have the borders of different local authorities on the location map with proposed changes, as it would have helped to determine more easily, what is closer to Gloucestershire’s borders.