



Green Hill Solar Farm

EN010170

The Applicant's Cover Letter for Deadline 4 Submissions

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Dear Ryan,

Green Hill Solar Project – Deadline 4 Submissions

Application Ref: EN010170

This letter sets out the documents which are submitted by Green Hill Solar Farm Limited ('the Applicant') for Deadline 4 of the Examination of Green Hill Solar Farm DCO.

These documents have been provided in response to the requests made in the Rule 8 Letter of 28 October 2025 [PD-006] and made at Issue Specific Hearing 2 on the 9 December 2025, Compulsory Acquisition Hearing 1 on the 10 December 2025 and Open Floor Hearings 1 and 2 on the 9 and 12 December 2025.

In addition, these submissions provide a number of minor clarifications and corrections which are set out in the Schedule of Changes in the individual documents.

Submitted Documents

Note: For revised documents, clean and tracked changes versions of each are submitted when appropriate

Ref or plan/ drawing number	Document Title
Application Information	
EX4/GH1.3_E	Guide to the Application (Revision E)
Environmental Statement	
EX4/GH6.3.9.8_B	ES Appendix 9.8: Breeding Bird Surveys (Revision B)
EX4/GH6.3.12.6_A	ES Appendix 12.6: Archaeological Mitigation Strategy (Revision A)



Other Documents	
EX4/GH7.2_B	Outline Operational Environmental Management Plan (Revision B)
EX4/GH7.5_B	Outline Ecological Protection and Mitigation Strategy (Revision B)
EX4/GH7.15_B	Planning Statement (Revision B)
EX4/GH7.23_B	Policy Compliance Document (Revision B)
Examination Submissions	
EX4/GH8.1.16_B	Statement of Commonality (Revision B)
EX4/GH8.1.25	Applicant Cover Letter for Deadline 4 Submissions
EX4/GH8.1.26	Applicant Responses to Local Impact Report Responses
EX4/GH8.1.27	Applicant Comments on Responses to ExA Second Written Questions
EX4/GH8.1.28	Applicant Responses to Written Representations at Deadline 3
EX4/GH8.1.29	Applicant Responses to Stop Green Hill Solar
EX4/GH8.1.30	Applicant Responses to Deadline 3 Submissions
EX4/GH8.2.7	Signposting Document for Matters Raised at Issue Specific Hearings
EX4/GH8.2.8	Public Rights of Way and Permissive Paths Plan
EX4/GH8.2.9	North Northamptonshire Local Highways Glint and Glare
EX4/GH8.2.10	Green Hill G: Access 1 – Revised General Arrangement
EX4/GH8.3.1_A	North Northamptonshire Council Statement of Common Ground_DRAFT (Revision A)
EX4/GH8.3.2_A	West Northamptonshire Council Statement of Common Ground_DRAFT (Revision A)
EX4/GH8.3.3_A	Milton Keynes City Council Statement of Common Ground_DRAFT (Revision A)
EX4/GH8.3.5_A	Environment Agency Statement of Common Ground_DRAFT (Revision A)

Issue Specific Hearing 3 Action Points

Action Point 4: The Applicant held a meeting with representatives of the Lead Local Flood Authorities (LLFA) from each of the Host Authorities on 8 January 2026 to discuss the disapplication of provisions of the Land Drainage Act 1991. The Applicant is preparing a draft set of protective provisions to share with each of the LLFA's to allow for their agreement to the disapplication. The Applicant will provide a further update at Deadline 5.



Action Point 15: The Applicant is assessing whether a greater than 10% gain in habitat units can be secured and will provide a further update at Deadline 5.

Action Point 16: The Applicant is seeking clarification from Natural England on whether there are any additional requirements where it considers it should be a named consultee. The Applicant sent a follow up email to them on 7 January 2026 but is yet to receive a response. The Applicant will provide a further update at Deadline 5.

Please do not hesitate to contact us using the details provided below if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

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