

Mynydd y Gwynt Wind Farm

Issue Specific Hearing on Landscape, Environment and Ecology

Llanidloes Community Centre, Mount Lane, Llanidloes, SY18 6EY

Wednesday March 18 2015

Doors open 9.30, Hearing starts at 10.00

Agenda

1. Welcome and introductions.
2. Landscape and visual impact considerations. To include: turbine options – has the worst case been assessed? Discussion on the Applicant's updated Cumulative Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment.
3. Impacts on cultural heritage assets, specifically impact on the setting and significance of Scheduled Ancient Monuments.
4. Ecology. To include discussion on impacts on the River Wye SAC, red kite, peat management.
5. Grid connection. NRW's view that Habitats Regulation Assessment of the whole three stages of grid connection remains necessary.
6. Public rights of way through the site.
7. Any other questions on evidence on relevant matters not already covered.
8. Concluding comments:
 - i) interested parties,
 - ii) applicant.
9. Next steps.