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Subject: EAONE North and Two written comment and request to appear at a hearing - fragile cliff
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Attachments: [2020 Nov text to register AOC interest in Scottish Power Renewables to be sent by email.docx](#)

I attach a response from the Alde and Ore Community to meet the deadline of 2 November contained in the letter below. I am not sure of the status of the AOC but I think its predecessor, the AOEP, commented on earlier consultation papers.

I am currently the Temporary Honorary Secretary.

(I do have '2002' reference number for a different independent charity The Alde and Ore Association 20024792 and 20044769 one for each of the EA projects- and am writing on behalf of the Association as well and assume the numbers can only be used for the Association)

With many thanks

Alison Andrews

Partnershipinfrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk
1 To All Interested Parties and Statutory Parties invited to the Preliminary Meeting
Your Ref: Our Ref: EN010077
Date: 12 October 2020

Dear Sir/ Madam
The Planning Act 2008 – Section 89 and The Infrastructure Planning (Examination Procedure) Rules 2010 – Rule 8 etc
Application by East Anglia ONE North Limited for an Order Granting Development Consent for the East Anglia ONE North Offshore Wind Farm
Examination Timetable and procedure and notification of hearing(s)
This letter provides you with the Examination Timetable, details of the publication of the Examining Authority (ExA) Written Questions and other important information about the Examination.

Response to meet Deadline 1 of 2 November 2020
East Anglia One North and EA 2 South

PINS ref EN010077

From Alde and Ore Community Partnership
Temp Honorary Secretary Alison Andrews [REDACTED]

Issue: fragile cliff- and request for future ISH or OFH slot

The Alde and Ore Community Partnership is the guardian of the Estuary Plan for the estuary communities of the Alde and Ore area. The Partnership now involves the whole community, with every parish bordering the rivers having a seat on the Partnership, together with a County Councillor, two District Councillors, as well as business, local Internal Drainage Board and amenity organisation (Alde and Ore Association) representation. The £26 million Plan was developed to ensure that even in 2050 and taking account of sea level rise the river wall flood defences would be resilient to a 1:200 surge and so protect the area. Implementation has begun.

The AOC's main concern is the potential damage arising from works involved in getting cables onshore at Thorpeness Cliffs which lead to substantial cliff collapse and lead to consequential changes in the Suffolk's coastal erosion and sedimentation processes. If there were to be serious erosion occurring along Thorpeness Cliffs, the impact on coastal processes could affect the coast further south by loss of shingle or changed currents, so affecting the configuration and life of the coastal shingle bank of the estuary and the Aldeburgh shoreline, potentially damaging the area's local economy and habitats.

The Alde and Ore Estuary is the centre of a local economy worth over £100 million a year. Were there to be damage to the unique long shingle bank, Orfordness, caused by manmade interruption of the natural coastal processes at Thorpeness and the sea bed in the Sizewell Bay, the area could be greatly harmed.

The Scottish Power Renewables Application has a paper on coastal processes but appears to be silent on the physical nature of the cliff under which the cabling onshore is to be drilled. The ExA have asked questions on this. But the AOC would like to ask for a place to comment in the January Special Issue Hearings, should it find the responses inadequate.

If there will not be a place in the January ISH hearings, please can the AOC have a place in the additional Open Floor Hearings in the New Year.

2 November 2020