

**A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project
TR010062**

**4.4 Consultation Report
Annex I: S42 letters and enclosures
with date**

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Annex I relates to Chapter 5: Statutory consultation approach of the Consultation Report.

1 S42(1)(a) prescribed consultee statutory consultation letter



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Dear Sir or Madam

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STATUTORY CONSULTATION – 24 September to 6 November 2021
PLANNING ACT 2008 SECTION 42: DUTY TO CONSULT ON A PROPOSED
APPLICATION
INFRASTRUCTURE PLANNING (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT)
REGULATIONS 2017 REGULATION 13: PRE-APPLICATION PUBLICITY UNDER
SECTION 48 (DUTY TO PUBLICISE)**

I am writing to you regarding Highways England's proposed A66 Northern Trans-Pennine project which involves dualling the remaining single carriageway sections of the A66 between the M6 junction 40 at Penrith and the A1(M) junction 53 at Scotch Corner ("the project").

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During the pre-application process, we must consult with a variety of persons and organisations about our proposed application in accordance with the requirements of the 2008 Act. You have been identified as a prescribed consultee for the purposes of Section 42(1)(a) of the 2008 Act and Regulation 3 of the Infrastructure Planning (Applications: Prescribed Forms and Procedure) Regulations 2009 (as amended) ('APFP Regulations').

This letter is notice of Highways England's **statutory consultation from 24 September to 6 November 2021.**

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consultation, as this is intended to be the last round of consultation before submission of the DCO application. This will enable us to take your views into account in developing and refining our proposals in advance of submitting our DCO application to the Inspectorate.

The project is an Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) development as it falls within Schedule 1 of the EIA Regulations. We have therefore prepared, and provided, a Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR) to help you understand the likely significant environmental effects of our proposals.

To view the full suite of consultation documents listed below, please visit the project website at www.highwaysengland.co.uk/A66-NTP. Please let us know as soon as possible using the contact details below if you are unable to access the documents via this link. These documents are listed below and provided to help you understand the proposals and inform your views:

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 - Local Traffic Report,
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In accordance with Regulation 13 of the EIA Regulations, a copy of the Section 48 Notice is enclosed which provides formal notification of the application as prescribed by Regulation 4 of the APFP Regulations. The notice provides details of the availability of consultation materials on the project website and free of charge in hard copy at deposit locations as well as the dates times and locations on consultation events.

If you require hard copy materials or accessible versions of consultation materials, then please **call us on 0333 090 1192 as soon as possible** to order your copy of the materials in time. Our phone lines are open Monday to Friday between 9am-5pm or leave us a message and we'll call you back (standard call rate applies). Alternatively, you can order your copy of the materials by emailing us at A66NTP@highwaysengland.co.uk |

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Should you have any queries about this correspondence, the proposed project or the consultation, please do not hesitate to contact me using the details provided below.

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2 S42(1)(b) local authority statutory consultation letter



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I am writing to you because we want to obtain your feedback on our proposals. This is particularly important because we understand that you have what we refer to in this letter as an "interest" in land¹ that is proposed to be acquired and / or otherwise used for the project. This could mean:

- You have a "Category 1" interest in land in the area of the project under section 44(1) of the Planning Act 2008 (the 2008 Act). This means that we believe that you are an owner, lessee, tenant or occupier of this land; and/or
- You have a "Category 2" interest in land in the area of the project under section 44(2) of the 2008 Act. This means that we believe that you have another type of

¹ We refer to "land" throughout this letter, and this extends to property e.g. buildings

interest in this land (not covered by Category 1), or have power to sell and convey it, or to release it.

[The land in which we understand you have an interest is registered at HM Land Registry under title number [INSERT TITLE NUMBER(S)] [PM1][KS2]

[OR]

[The land in which we understand you have an interest is not registered at HM Land Registry.]

Where your land may be needed temporarily or permanently for the construction and/or operation of the project, we are looking to reach voluntary agreement through conversations with you. Where we cannot reach agreement, to allow construction and ongoing operation of the project, we may need to seek legal powers to compulsorily acquire your land, or rights over land or other interests in the land. We may also need to seek powers to take temporary possession of your land. Following the statutory consultation, we will be in touch with affected landowners to begin negotiations.

To obtain powers of compulsory acquisition / temporary possession and to receive planning consent to build the project, we must make an application for a DCO that gives us this planning consent and powers to acquire and possess land. The application will be made to the Inspectorate, who will appoint an Examining Authority to examine the application. After the examination the Examining Authority will make a recommendation to the Secretary of State, who will ultimately decide whether the application is granted permission and whether we are able to use compulsory acquisition / temporary possession powers. As mentioned above, we intend to make our application for a DCO in spring 2022.

In accordance with sections 42(1)(d) and 44 of the 2008 Act we are required to consult people and organisations who have an interest in land. We are holding a **public consultation from 24 September to 6 November 2021**. We are sending this letter to you to notify you of our consultation and to invite you to look at our consultation materials and provide feedback to us **by 11.59pm on 6 November 2021**.

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We want to use this consultation to allow you to tell us about the potential impacts that our project may have on your land or your interest in land. We also want to work with you to see if there are any ways in which any potential impacts could be reduced further. We can do that more effectively if we fully understand how you use the land and how our project will affect that use. You may also wish to consider whether your interests in any surrounding land which is not proposed to be acquired / used for the project will be affected. Please refer to the consultation documents and use the contact details provided near the end of this letter, to give us your comments.

Our consultation documents

As you have an interest in the affected land, we are using this consultation to develop our understanding of how our proposals impact you and how we could try to mitigate that. For this reason, we are enclosing documents listed below in hard copy to help you understand our proposals and share your views with us. Please use or refer to these documents where possible in your consultation response to ensure we know about impacts on your interests, whether they lie within the boundary of the proposed project or outside it.

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Compensation and additional documents relevant to you

Whilst you may be entitled to compensation if your land or interests are acquired, or if temporary possession is taken, this is not a matter relevant to this consultation. The amount of compensation due will be a matter to be determined at a later stage through discussions with you, and any disputes will be determined by the Lands Tribunal (Upper Chamber) not by the Planning Inspectorate or Secretary of State.

We have produced the following guidance about compulsory acquisition and compensation:

- Your property and [Highways England road proposals](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-compensation-or-mitigation-for-the-effects-of-our-road-proposals)
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-compensation-or-mitigation-for-the-effects-of-our-road-proposals>
- Your property and discretionary purchase
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-discretionary-purchase>
- Your property and compulsory purchase
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-compulsory-purchase-by-highways-england>
- Your property and blight
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-blight>

How to get involved

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Copies of consultation documents will be made available to view at the deposit locations, for further details please refer to Appendix B. We advise those interested in viewing documents in person at a deposit point to phone the deposit point to confirm that it is open, materials are available prior to visiting and whether an appointment is required. All hours of operation were correct at time of writing.

We also invite you to meet with our project team for further discussion at one of the events listed below. You can arrange an appointment with the project team or if none of these events are suitable, please contact us on 0333 090 1192 or A66NTP@highwaysengland.co.uk. Please let us know if you would like to discuss any specific issues.

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The planning process

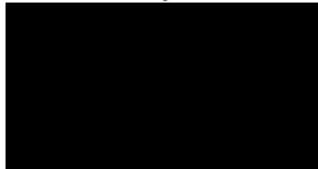
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- Hardcopy of Consultation brochure
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- Appendix A: List of consultation events
- Appendix B: List of deposit locations

Appendix A: List of Consultation Events

The former Llama Karma Kafe
Brougham, CA10 2AB
Sunday 26 September, 2pm-6pm
Thursday 30 September, 2pm-6pm

Haydock Centre
26 Drovers Lane, Penrith, CA11 9EN
Monday 27 September, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 28 September, 10am-4pm
Wednesday 29 September, 8am-2pm

Dalton and Gayles Village Hall
Dalton, DL11 7HS
Monday 27 September, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 28 September, 10am-4pm

Kirkby Thore Memorial Hall
Kirkby Thore, Penrith, CA10 1UE
Friday 1 October, Midday-8pm
Saturday 2 October, 9am-4pm

Bowes Village Hall
2 The Wynd, Barnard Castle, DL12 9HR
Friday 1 October, Midday-8pm
Saturday 2 October, 9am-4pm

Warcop Parish Hall
Warcop CA16 6NX

Monday 4 October, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 5 October, 10am-4pm
Wednesday 6 October, 8am-2pm

Appleby Hub
Chapel Street, Appleby-in-Westmorland, CA16 6QR
Saturday 9 October, 3pm-8pm
Sunday 10 October, 10am-4pm
Monday 11 October, 8am-2pm

The Witham
3 Horse Market, Barnard Castle DL12 8LY
Saturday 9 October, 3pm-8pm
Sunday 10 October, 10am-4pm
Monday 11 October, 8am-2pm

Kirkby Stephen Sports & Social Club
Market Street, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4QN
Wednesday 13 October, 3pm-8pm
Thursday 14 October, 10am-4pm

Gilling West Village Hall
76 High Street, Gilling West DL10 5JJ
Monday 4 October, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 5 October, 10am-4pm

Appendix B: Deposit locations

Penrith Library, St Andrews Churchyard, Penrith, Cumbria, CA11 7YA
Hours of operation Monday to Friday 9.30am-12.30pm and 1.30pm-5pm

St Michaels Church, 2 Church Gate, Kirkby ~~Thore~~, Penrith CA10 1UR
Hours of operation Monday to Sunday 10am-4pm

The former Llama Karma ~~Kafe~~, Brougham CA10 2AB
Hours of operation Mondays and Fridays 12pm-6pm and Thursdays 2pm-8pm

Appleby Library, Low ~~Wiend~~, Appleby-in-Westmorland, CA16 6QP
Hours of operation Monday and Friday 10am- 12.30pm and 1.30-5pm

Kirkby Stephen Library, Old Grammar School, Vicarage Lane, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4QX
Hours of operation Monday and Wednesday 10am-12pm and 1pm-3pm, Saturdays 10am-1pm

Brough Castle Ice Cream Parlour and Tea Room, Brough Castle Farm, Brough, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4EJ
*Hours of operation Monday to Sunday 10am to 5pm **until 10 October***

Brough Memorial Hall, New Road, Brough, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4AS
*Hours of operation Tuesday, ~~Wednesday~~ and Friday 1pm – 6pm **from 11 October***

Barnard Castle Library, Witham Building, 2 Hall Street, Barnard Castle, DL12 8JB
Hours of operation Monday, ~~Tuesday~~ and Friday 09.30am -4.30pm, Wednesdays 09.30am – 5.30pm, Saturdays 09.30am-12.30pm

Cross Lanes Organic Farm, Cross Lanes, Barnard Castle, DL12 9RT
Hours of operation Monday, ~~Wednesday~~ and Thursday 9am- 4.30pm, Tuesdays – closed, Friday and Saturdays: 9am-5pm, Sundays 10am-4pm

~~Mainsgill~~ Farm Shop, East Layton, Richmond, DL11 7PN
Hours of operation Monday – Sunday 9am – 5pm

Richmond Library, 10A Queen's Road, Richmond, DL10 4AE
Hours of operation Monday through Friday 10am–1pm and 2pm–5pm, Saturdays 10am – 1pm

~~Clayport~~ Library, 8 Millennium Pl, Durham DH1 1WA
Hours of operation Monday, Thursday through Saturday 9.30am-4.30pm, Tuesday and Wednesday 9.30am-5.30pm

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In accordance with section 42(1)(d) and section 44 of the 2008 Act we are required to consult people who may be entitled to make what is known as a "relevant claim" as a result of the DCO for the project being granted and the project being fully constructed and operated. We are writing to you because we believe that you may be entitled to make a relevant claim for compensation due to the effects of the project, either during its construction or when it is in use. We are holding a **public consultation from 24 September to 6 November 2021.** We are sending this letter to you to notify you of our consultation and to invite you to look at our consultation materials and provide feedback to us by **11.59pm on 6 November 2021.**

You may be able to claim compensation under section 152(3) of the 2008 Act; under section 10 of the Compulsory Purchase Act 1965; or, under Part 1 of the Land Compensation Act 1973. Compensation may be claimed if the value of your property is adversely affected by the construction works being carried out for the project, or if you own and occupy property the value of which is diminished by physical factors arising from the use or operation of the project. The relevant physical factors are noise, vibration, smell, fumes, smoke, artificial lighting and the discharge of any solid or liquid substance on to the property the subject of the claim.

[The land in which we understand you have an interest is registered at HM Land Registry under title number [INSERT TITLE NUMBER(S)].^{[PM1][KS2]}

[OR]

[The land in which we understand you have an interest is not registered at HM Land Registry.]

Compensation and additional documents relevant to you

We are consulting you about the project because, at this stage, we consider that you may be entitled to make a claim for compensation if the project comes forward as currently proposed. Our approach at this stage does not confirm your entitlement to compensation in the future. Entitlement to compensation is assessed by our professional valuers at the time that a claim is made. We recommend that you take professional advice before making a claim.

We have produced the following guidance about compulsory acquisition and compensation:

- Your property and [Highways England road proposals](https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-compensation-or-mitigation-for-the-effects-of-our-road-proposals)
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-compensation-or-mitigation-for-the-effects-of-our-road-proposals>
- Your property and discretionary purchase
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-discretionary-purchase>
- Your property and compulsory purchase
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-compulsory-purchase-by-highways-england>
- Your property and blight
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/your-property-and-blight>

This letter is notice of Highways England's **statutory consultation from 24 September to 6 November 2021.**

This statutory consultation is an opportunity for you to share your views on our proposals. We strongly encourage you to provide your views to us through this statutory consultation, as this is intended to be the last round of consultation before submission of the DCO application. This will enable us to take your views into account in developing and refining our proposals in advance of submitting our application to the Inspectorate.

The project is an Environmental Impact Assessment ('EIA') development as it falls within Schedule 1 of the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017 ('the EIA Regulations'). We have therefore prepared, and provided, a Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR) to help you understand the likely significant environmental effects of our proposals.

Our consultation documents

Consultation documents enclosed in hard copy:

- The consultation brochure
- The consultation feedback form (with freepost envelope)
- Consultation plans and drawings as set out in the map book

To view the full suite of consultation documents listed below, please visit the project website at www.highwaysengland.co.uk/A66-NTP. Please let us know as soon as possible using the contact details below if you are unable to access the documents via this link.

- The consultation brochure
- The consultation feedback form
- Consultation plans and drawings as set out in the map book
- Statement of Community Consultation (SoCC)
- The PEIR accompanied by a Non-Technical Summary and an Outline Environmental Management Plan
- Technical Reports:
 - Local Traffic Report,
 - Project Design Report,
 - Route Development Report
 - Construction Method and Management Statement

If you require hard copy materials or accessible versions of consultation materials, then please call us on 0333 090 1192 as soon as possible to order your copy of the materials in time. Our phone lines are open Monday to Friday between 9am-5pm or leave us a message and we'll call you back (standard call rate applies). Alternatively, you can order your copy of the materials by emailing us at A66NTP@highwaysengland.co.uk.

How to get involved

During the consultation period a series of public consultation events will be held where you can speak with the project team, these are detailed in Appendix A. These events may have to be moved/cancelled as a result of unforeseen circumstances or because of Covid-19 Government guidance and regulations. If an event has to be moved/cancelled, the latest information will be published on the project webpage or can be requested by phoning the project telephone number 0333 090 1192.

Copies of consultation documents will be made available at the deposit locations, for further details please refer to Appendix B. We advise those interested in viewing documents in person at a deposit point to phone the deposit point to confirm that it is open, materials are available prior to visiting and whether an appointment is required. All hours of operation were correct at time of writing.

We also invite you to meet with our project team for further discussion at one of the events listed below. You can also arrange an appointment with the project team or if none of these events are suitable, please contact us on 0333 090 1192 or A66NTP@highwaysengland.co.uk. Please let us know if you would like to discuss any specific issues.

A consultation feedback form and Freepost envelope are available as part of the consultation materials in hard copy and online. All responses must be made in writing by:

- Email: A66NTP@highwaysengland.co.uk
- Postal address: Freepost A66 NORTHERN TRANS-PENNINE PROJECT
- Webpage: www.highwaysengland.co.uk/A66-NTP
- Attending a consultation event

- Requesting a hard copy of the feedback form via telephone on 0333 090 1192 and sending it to us using the Freepost address.

To allow us time to collect and assess all responses to this consultation before finalising our application, please ensure your response reaches us by **11.59pm on 6 November 2021**.

The planning process

You can find out more about the 2008 Act process and Development Consent Orders on the Inspectorate's National Infrastructure Planning website:

<https://infrastructure.planninginspectorate.gov.uk>

Navigate to the "Guidance and Advice" tab, then "Advice Notes" from the [drop down](#) menu and scroll down to Advice Note 8: Overview of the nationally significant infrastructure planning process for members of the public and others.

Should you have any queries about this correspondence, the proposed [scheme](#) or the consultation, please do not hesitate to contact me using the details provided below.

Yours sincerely,



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- Hardcopy of Consultation brochure
- Hardcopy of Consultation response form and Freepost envelope
- Hardcopy of map book
- Appendix A: List of consultation events
- Appendix B: List of deposit locations

Appendix A: List of Consultation Events

The former Llama Karma Kafe
Brougham, CA10 2AB
Sunday 26 September, 2pm-6pm
Thursday 30 September, 2pm-6pm

Haydock Centre
26 Drovers Lane, Penrith, CA11 9EN
Monday 27 September, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 28 September, 10am-4pm
Wednesday 29 September, 8am-2pm

Dalton and Gayles Village Hall
Dalton, DL11 7HS
Monday 27 September, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 28 September, 10am-4pm

Kirkby Thore Memorial Hall
Kirkby Thore, Penrith, CA10 1UE
Friday 1 October, Midday-8pm
Saturday 2 October, 9am-4pm

Bowes Village Hall
2 The Wynd, Barnard Castle, DL12
9HR
Friday 1 October, Midday-8pm
Saturday 2 October, 9am-4pm

Warcop Parish Hall
Warcop CA16 6NX

Monday 4 October, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 5 October, 10am-4pm
Wednesday 6 October, 8am-2pm

Appleby Hub
Chapel Street, Appleby-in-Westmorland,
CA16 6QR
Saturday 9 October, 3pm-8pm
Sunday 10 October, 10am-4pm
Monday 11 October, 8am-2pm

The Witham
3 Horse Market, Barnard Castle DL12
8LY
Saturday 9 October, 3pm-8pm
Sunday 10 October, 10am-4pm
Monday 11 October, 8am-2pm

Kirkby Stephen Sports & Social Club
Market Street, Kirkby Stephen CA17
4QN
Wednesday 13 October, 3pm-8pm
Thursday 14 October, 10am-4pm

Gilling West Village Hall
76 High Street, Gilling West DL10 5JJ
Monday 4 October, 3pm-8pm
Tuesday 5 October, 10am-4pm

Appendix B: Deposit locations

Penrith Library, St Andrews Churchyard, Penrith, Cumbria, CA11 7YA
Hours of operation Monday to Friday 9.30am-12.30pm and 1.30pm-5pm

St Michaels Church, 2 Church Gate, Kirkby Thore, Penrith CA10 1UR
Hours of operation Monday to Sunday 10am-4pm

The former Llama Karma Kafe, Brougham CA10 2AB
Hours of operation Mondays and Fridays 12pm-6pm and Thursdays 2pm-8pm

Appleby Library, Low Wiend, Appleby-in-Westmorland, CA16 6QP
Hours of operation Monday and Friday 10am- 12.30pm and 1.30-5pm

Kirkby Stephen Library, Old Grammar School, Vicarage Lane, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4QX
Hours of operation Monday and Wednesday 10am-12pm and 1pm-3pm, Saturdays 10am-1pm

Brough Castle Ice Cream Parlour and Tea Room, Brough Castle Farm, Brough, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4EJ
*Hours of operation Monday to Sunday 10am to 5pm **until 10 October***

Brough Memorial Hall, New Road, Brough, Kirkby Stephen CA17 4AS
*Hours of operation Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 1pm – 6pm **from 11 October***

Barnard Castle Library, Witham Building, 2 Hall Street, Barnard Castle, DL12 8JB
Hours of operation Monday, Tuesday and Friday 09.30am -4.30pm, Wednesdays 09.30am – 5.30pm, Saturdays 09.30am-12.30pm

Cross Lanes Organic Farm, Cross Lanes, Barnard Castle, DL12 9RT
Hours of operation Monday, Wednesday and Thursday 9am- 4.30pm, Tuesdays – closed, Friday and Saturdays: 9am-5pm, Sundays 10am-4pm

Mainsill Farm Shop, East Layton, Richmond, DL11 7PN
Hours of operation Monday – Sunday 9am – 5pm

Richmond Library, 10A Queen's Road, Richmond, DL10 4AE
Hours of operation Monday through Friday 10am–1pm and 2pm–5pm, Saturdays 10am – 1pm

Clayport Library, 8 Millennium Pl, Durham DH1 1WA
Hours of operation Monday, Thursday through Saturday 9.30am-4.30pm, Tuesday and Wednesday 9.30am-5.30pm