

Public consultation: Bramford - Twinstead project

As their proposals evolve and develop National Grid would like to hear the views of communities and interested parties in the area. They will use this feedback to shape their plans and proposals where possible.

Consultation stages

The main consultation stages are described below along with a number of ways in which you can express your views on the project and route corridor options.

Stage One: Consultation on route corridor options (October 2009 - February 2010)

National Grid welcome the feedback of local communities and interested parties about the route corridor options (stretches of land in which an overhead line could be sited). There are a number of ways in which you can do this: at public exhibitions, by calling our free project helpline number, by sending them an email, writing to them or using the online form which will be available on their website.

<http://www.nationalgrid.com/uk/Electricity/MajorProjects/BramfordTwinstead/ConsultationInformation.htm>

Public exhibitions

National Grid are holding a series of exhibitions where you will be able to view their proposals, talk to project team representatives and record your comments:

- **Hadleigh, Tuesday 27 October 2009 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Hadleigh Town Hall, The Guildhall, Hadleigh, Ipswich, IP7 5DT
- **Hadleigh, Saturday 07 November 2009 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Hadleigh Town Hall, The Guildhall, Hadleigh, Ipswich, IP7 5DT
- **Whatfield, Monday 09 November 2009 (2pm to 9pm)**
Whatfield Village Hall, Rectory Road, Whatfield, Ipswich, IP7 6QU
- **Twinstead, Thursday 12 November 2009 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Twinstead Village Hall, Church Road, Twinstead, Sudbury, CO10 7NA
- **Hadleigh, Tuesday 17 November 2009 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Hadleigh Town Hall, The Guildhall, Hadleigh, Ipswich, IP7 5DT
- **Bures, Thursday 26 November 2009 (2pm to 9pm)**
Bures Community Hall, Nayland Road, Bures, CO8 5BX
- **Hintlesham, Thursday 03 December 2009 (12 noon to 6pm)**
Hintlesham and Chattisham Village Hall, George Street, Hintlesham, Ipswich, IP8 3NH
- **Somersham, Friday 11 December 2009 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Somersham Village Hall, Main Road, Lower Somersham, Ipswich, IP8 4QA
- **Burstall, Saturday 12 December 2009 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Burstall Village Hall, The Street, Burstall, Ipswich, IP8 3DN
- **Wickham St Paul, Tuesday 05 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Wickham St. Paul Village Hall, The Green, Wickham St Paul, Halstead, CO9 2PT
- **Boxford, Friday 08 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Boxford Village Hall, Stone Street Road, Boxford, Sudbury, CO10 5NP
- **Assington, Friday 15 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Assington Village Hall, The Street, Assington, CO10 5LW
- **Leavenheath, Saturday 16 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Leavenheath Village Hall, Wrights Way, Leavenheath, Colchester, CO6 4NR
- **Great Waldingfield, Tuesday 19 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Great Waldingfield Village Hall, Lavenham Road, Great Waldingfield, Sudbury, CO10 0SE

- **Newton, Wednesday 20 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Newton Village Hall, The Green, Newton, CO10 0QR
- **Bildeston, Thursday 21 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Chamberlin Hall, Chamberlin Close, Bildeston, Ipswich, IP7 7ES
- **Monks Eleigh, Monday 25 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Monks Eleigh Coronation Hall, Church Field, Monks Eleigh, Ipswich, IP7 7JH
- **Kersey, Tuesday 26 January 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Kersey Village Hall, The Green, Kersey, Ipswich, IP7 6EB
- **Castle Hedingham, Thursday 11 February 2010 (12 noon to 9pm)**
Castle Hedingham Memorial Hall, Pye Corner, Castle Hedingham, Halstead, CO9 3DF

You can email to:

bramford-twinstead@uk.ngrid.com

You can write to the following freepost address:

Bramford to Twinstead 400kV Overhead Line Project
Consultation Response
Freepost RRKX/EBGK/XXHT
PO Box 5689
London
W1A 4FG

You can call National Grid's freephone number:

0800 377 7340 (lines open 7.30am-7.30pm Monday to Friday and 7.30am-1pm Saturday)

You can complete their online feedback form, available at :

The online feedback form will be available on their website from 27 October 2009.

Stage Two: Consultation on route alignment

Following feedback from Stage One of the public consultation on the route corridor options, National Grid will show how people's views have been taken into account in deciding on a preferred route corridor option. National Grid will then develop a preferred route alignment - a specific potential route for the proposed overhead line - within the preferred route corridor.

National Grid will then carry out a further consultation and environmental surveys.