

Environmental considerations

Peat

Initial peat depth surveys and assessments have been undertaken across the site to inform the early site layout. This work has been carried out in accordance with the current Scottish Government and NatureScot's good practice guidance on wind farm construction.

A further phase of more detailed peat surveys is proposed following further refinement of the infrastructure layout and a Peatland Condition Assessment and Peat Management Plan will be developed over the coming months.

This approach to peat will aim to avoid impacts and, where this is not possible, will seek appropriate re-use options to minimise any impacts, and facilitate habitat restoration or enhancement where possible.

Cultural Heritage

The cultural heritage of an area comprises archaeological sites, historic buildings, inventoried gardens and designed landscapes, inventoried battlefields and other historic environment features.

All cultural heritage within the site boundary and within 10km of the proposed wind turbines will be assessed to identify whether it is likely that their cultural significance could be affected as a result of the wind farm proposal.



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