

**Joint Local Authority Group**

Friday 21 December 2.00pm

Deben Conference Room, East Suffolk House

ATTENDEES: Cllr Geoff Holdcroft (Chairman), Cllr Richard Smith (Vice-Chairman), Cllr Tony Fryatt, Cllr Ray Herring, Cllr Andy Smith, Cllr Susan Geater, Cllr Graham Newman, Cllr Tony Goldson, Cllr Alexander Nicoll, Therese Coffey MP.

Officers: Lisa Chandler (Energy Projects Manager SCDC), Nicole Rickard (Head of Communities SCDC), Nick Khan (Strategic Director SCDC), Paul Wood (Head of Economic Development SCDC), Philip Ridley (Head of Planning & Coastal Management SCDC), Bryn Griffiths (AD Infrastructure & Waste / SZC Senior Responsible Officer SCC), Michael Moll (SCC Sizewell C Programme Director), Ian Mallet (Group Commander Public Protection SCC), John Pitchford (Head of Planning SCC), Steve Merry (Highways Authority SCC), Michael Gray (Skills SCC), Charlotte Granger (Energy Projects Co-Ordinator), Sharon Bleese (SCDC Engagement Manager), Naomi Goold (Senior Energy Projects Officer SCDC)

SCDC staff work jointly for Suffolk Coastal District Council and Waveney District Council.

APOLOGIES: Andy Osman (Emergency Planning), Cllr Russ Rainger, Cllr Tony Cooper, Cllr Andrew Reid.

1	Welcome and Introductions	14:00
2	Notes of last meeting 16 November 2018 - Approved.	14:05
3	<p>Planning Aid England – Town &amp; Parish Council support during Stage 3</p> <p>Planning Aid England part of RTP1 and a history of the organisation was given.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. PAE Direct - website advice for the general public - online service can e-mail asking for advice from a national panel of 30 volunteers - the aim is to reply within 5 working days.</li> <li>2. PAE Support - local communities ask for help for example with local plans, or if the LA's ask for there to be independent advice. Same with neighbourhood plans and examinations - volunteers go to the area and help with drops in and community engagement to enable the communities to understand the process.</li> <li>3. PAE Consultants - Support Community engagement – as part of EDF Energy's Stage 3 public consultation they are about to help Town and Parish councils to in turn help their communities, also help the different groups within their communities.</li> </ol> <p>Also advise on how to respond and format but not the content.</p> <p>No one at PAE has expressed any view on the SZC processes whether positive or negative; the volunteers will be from outside the area.</p>	14:10

	(Brian Whiteley/Sue Manns, Planning Aid England)	
4	<p>Timeline for Stage 3</p> <p>Key dates for JLAG members discussed. SZC Stage consultation documents – there are only going to be a few hard copies. The proposal will be on USB stick and will also be able to download from EDF Energy website from 9.00am on 4 January 2019. Additional USB sticks will be requested from EDF Energy for sharing with Cllrs if required.</p> <p>(Lisa Chandler)</p>	14:35
5	<p>Workshop updates since last meeting incl. BLF and Ecology.</p> <p>There has been one ecology workshop on the topic of Marsh Harriers and that included no new data since 2016 which was disappointing. There has been a short workshop on the SSSI crossing with no documents provided or hydrological data. There has been very little information provided in relation to spoil management.</p> <p>Changes to the proposed Beach Landing Facility (BLF) were discussed briefly.</p> <p>(Lisa Chandler/Michael Moll)</p> <p>PAE left the meeting after this item.</p>	14:40
6	<p>Sizewell C – Associated Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Freight Management Facility A Freight Management Facility was discussed at Stage 1 but not included at Stage 2, we requested in our response at Stage 2 for a freight management facility to be considered. It is understood that there will be two options for a freight management facility at Stage 3, both to be sited east of the Orwell Bridge.</li> <li>• Park &amp; Rides Darsham Park &amp; Ride preferred option as per Stage 2, there is a potential long term legacy with part of the site being retained for additional parking at the train station, - an application for this would have to come through the Town &amp; Country planning process to the LPA.</li> </ul> <p>Wickham Market Park &amp; Ride- there will be traffic incident management area on the site that is separate from the freight management facility.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accommodation Campus SCDC and SCC discussed the accommodation campus at Stage 2 - the Councils had requested full justification for EDF Energy's preferred site. EDF Energy have responded with a Technical Note issued to the two Council's in August 2018 response. The Councils position on this matter for Stage 3 has not yet been determined.</li> </ul> <p>(Philip Ridley/Lisa Chandler/Michael Moll/John Pitchford/Steve Merry)</p>	15:00

7	<p>AOB</p> <p>Transport Issues - discussed SEGway and if there is a possibility of it being linked with any mitigation for transport proposals from SZC.</p> <p>Meeting adjourned at 16:30</p> <p>Next meeting 18 January 2019</p>	16:00