

BENGROVE SOLAR FARM

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WE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR YOUR VIEWS ON THE PROPOSAL AND HOW IT COULD BE IMPROVED

To find out more about the project and take part in our survey, please visit our website:

www.bengrovesolarfarm.co.uk

Alternatively, you can also email your views to our team at:

info@bengrovesolarfarm.co.uk

Dear Neighbour,

Sonnedix Bengrove Limited is consulting on plans for a new solar farm at Bengrove Farm located in the Parish of Sandhurst, Gloucestershire. The solar farm will have an approximate capacity of 15MW that will be exported to the local power grid. This will be enough to power in excess of 5,700 homes per year.

The development will have several key benefits, including but not limited to:

- The solar farm will generate clean, renewable electricity, the key to helping Tewkesbury Borough Council, which declared a climate emergency in 2019, meet its target of net-zero carbon emissions by 2030.
- Provides a contribution to Britain's energy independence and security.
- The solar farm is well contained within the existing fields and hedgerows. There is limited visibility from surrounding areas due to topography and existing vegetation. Any glimpsed views will be broken up by mature field boundary vegetation.
- There will be significant biodiversity enhancements. All existing hedgerows and trees will be retained and protected while a section of new hedgerows will be planted. A lowland meadow will also be created to increase habitat diversity.
- The panels will not require any concrete footings. Sheep will be able to graze between and underneath the panels.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully,
Sonnedix Bengrove Limited
Bengrove Solar Farm Consultation

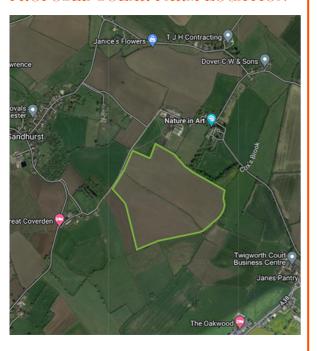


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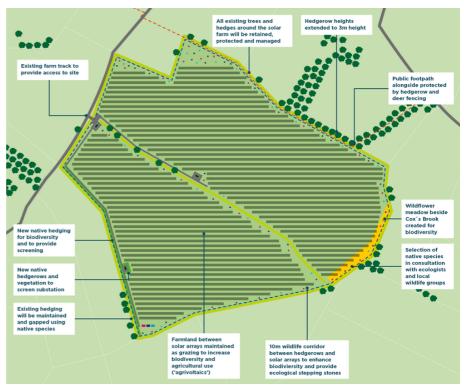
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PROPOSED SOLAR FARM LOCATION



LANDSCAPE AND BIODIVERSITY ENHANCEMENTS



SOLAR FARM - EXAMPLE

