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Dear Councillors,

Chatteris Wind Farm and Redmere Wind Farm proposals

We are writing to you regarding two proposed onshore wind projects, Chatteris Wind Farm and Redmere Wind Farm, that Vattenfall is in the early stages of developing. The site boundary of Redmere Wind Farm lies partly within the north-eastern corner of your council area.

Both proposals will be classed as Nationally Significant Infrastructure Projects (NSIPs), with a generating capacity of over 100 megawatts (MW), as follows:

- Chatteris Wind Farm: the early design comprises up to 15 turbines and would be capable of generating up to 126 (MW) of electricity.
- Redmere Wind Farm: the early design comprises up to 32 turbines and would be capable of generating up to 303 (MW) of electricity.

As the projects are at an early stage of development, detailed design information is not yet available. However, we are keen to engage with local communities and stakeholders early to introduce the projects, discuss any questions that people may have, and gather feedback that can help inform the development of the design.

The proposals

Chatteris Wind Farm is proposed on land located to the south of Chatteris, near Mepal, Sutton and Somersham, while Redmere Wind Farm is proposed on land located near Littleport, Feltwell and Lakenheath. The sites are approximately 20 kilometres apart and we have included a map showing the respective site boundaries with this letter.

While they are separate projects and will each require separate Development Consent Order (DCO) applications, we are introducing them together because we recognise that some local communities and representatives may have an interest in both.

We are currently initiating detailed site surveys and studies which will build our understanding of the site constraints over the coming months and inform the design of each project. The locations of the turbines and other infrastructure at this stage are indicative and the design will continue to develop as the site survey work progresses. We will also be submitting a Scoping Report to the Planning Inspectorate (PINS) shortly; this will initiate a consultation process with key consultees, managed by PINS, which seeks feedback on the proposal scope of Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) work.

Early engagement

We would like to invite parish councils and local communities to engage with us on the proposals at an early stage and we are planning local drop-in events next month to begin this process.

Local households will shortly receive a letter introducing these two projects and confirming details of the drop-in events. We will advertise the events in the Ely Standard and via our project websites (details below). In addition, we have attached a copy of an information poster which you may wish to share on your online channels and in the local area; please let us know if you would like us to send you hard copies of these posters.

Local drop-in events

The drop-in events will provide people with an opportunity to learn more about the proposals at this early stage, to meet the project team and ask any questions that they may have. A range of information will be available including maps and information about the studies and assessments being carried out.

We are also keen to gather feedback from local residents in order to understand local priorities, identify the issues that need to be considered as the proposals are developed, and check how residents would like to be involved as the projects progress. Residents are welcome to drop in at any time during the events.

Location	Date	Time
Feltwell Royal British Legion Hall 6 Long Lane Feltwell Thetford IP26 4BJ	Tuesday 13th October	4pm to 8pm
Mepal Village Hall School Lane Mepal Ely CB6 2AJ	Wednesday 14th October	4pm to 8pm
Littleport Leisure Community Centre Camel Road Littleport Ely CB6 1EW	Thursday 15th October	4pm to 8pm

All the information presented at the drop-in events will also be available online via the project websites from Tuesday 13th October.

Consultation events will be held in early 2027, where we will share more detailed information including visualisations from specific viewpoints.

Your feedback

If you would like to share your views on the proposals at this early stage you can do so by completing a feedback form.

Feedback forms will be available at the drop-in events and also on our project websites from Tuesday 13th October. All early feedback from local residents should be submitted in writing by Monday 9th November. The feedback provided will be reviewed by the project team and used to inform the ongoing development of the proposals.

Project websites

Information about both proposals will be available on the respective project websites. These websites will be updated regularly as the projects progress and more information becomes available. They will also provide details of future engagement activities and opportunities to comment on the proposals.

We want everyone to be able to access information about the projects and would encourage people to contact us if they require any of the materials in an alternative format.

Chatteris Wind Farm	Redmere Wind Farm
www.vattenfall.co.uk/chatteris	www.vattenfall.co.uk/redmere

Contacting the project team

If you have any questions before the drop-in events or would like to contact the project team, please use the contact details below:

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We look forward to meeting you and your local community and hearing your views as these projects develop. We would also like to offer to join one of your scheduled upcoming parish council meetings, if you feel this would be helpful, and would welcome an ongoing constructive dialogue with you.

Kind regards

Vattenfall Project Team