

SZC FORUM

TERMS OF REFERENCE

On or before Commencement, SZC Co shall establish the SZC Forum which shall exist until the first anniversary of the end of the Construction Period.

The SZC Forum shall comprise:

one representative to be nominated by East Suffolk Council to represent the Aldeburgh and Leiston Ward;
one East Suffolk Council cabinet member to be nominated by East Suffolk Council;
one representative to be nominated by Suffolk County Council to represent the Leiston division;
one Suffolk County Council cabinet member to be nominated by Suffolk County Council;
relevant representatives of the Project Team to be nominated by SZC Co;
one elected councillor or clerk from each of the parish and town councils within East Suffolk and any parish or town council outside of East Suffolk where any mitigation, improvement measures, or construction in relation to the Project are to be carried out pursuant to obligations in the Deed;
and one representative of the Suffolk Association of Local Councils.

The SZC Forum shall invite representatives from the Office of Nuclear Regulation and the Environment Agency and any other statutory authorities to attend meeting of the SZC Forum.

The SZC Forum shall:

be chaired by an independent chair recruited and appointed by SZC Co;
The role of chair will be reviewed every two years from commencement of appointment.

To meet at least annually either virtually or in a convenient location in East Suffolk or Ipswich to be identified by SZC Co from time to time in consultation with the Suffolk Association of Local Councils; and meet no later than three months after the Commencement Date.

SZC Co shall be responsible for the administration of conveying and holding meetings of the SZC Forum.

The SZC Forum may make such further administrative arrangements and terms of reference as it considers appropriate for the proper and efficient functioning of the SZC Forum from time to time.

Meetings of the SZC Forum shall be held in public with members of the public permitted to attend as observers but with members of the public having no right to speak at such meetings.

The purpose of the SZC Forum shall be for SZC Co to present updates on project progress during the Construction Period and to provide an opportunity for representatives from communities located in East Suffolk to ask questions, raise issues of concern and receive relevant project information. The SZC Forum will update representatives on the work of the Main Development Site Forum, the Southern Transport Forum and the Northern Transport Forum. The SZC Forum will discuss key issues affecting the local communities

in East Suffolk and ways to minimise the impacts and maximise the benefits of the Project to those living and working nearby.