

# Hinkley Point C:

## Consultation on Preferred Proposals

### This Consultation



#### This is Stage 2 of EDF Energy's pre-application consultation on plans for a new nuclear power station at Hinkley Point C.

Comments received during our 'Initial Proposals and Options' consultation have been considered, and we have carried out further studies and refined our plans.

Our 'Preferred Proposals' consultation, from 9 July to 4 October 2010, will seek your views on:

- Development of the main power station at Hinkley Point and on-site associated development
- Off-site associated development necessary to support the construction and operation of the power station
- Our approach to key issues such as transport, accommodation, freight logistics, health, storage of spent fuel and waste
- Proposed planning requirements and obligations

We are holding a number of public exhibitions at key locations in the area. Our Preferred Proposals: Summary document has been prepared to give detailed information on the proposals. Copies are available at this exhibition or you can download it from 9 July from our website [www.edfconsultation.info](http://www.edfconsultation.info) along with the rest of the supporting consultation documents.

From 20 July, the exhibition boards will be available to download and to view at our Bridgwater office at 14 King Square during normal office hours.

#### Making Your Views Known

Let us know your views by filling in and returning your questionnaire by **4 October 2010**.

You can do this in a number of ways:

- Online via our website [www.edfconsultation.info](http://www.edfconsultation.info)
- Online at the computer terminal at this exhibition

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*Indicative illustration of Hinkley Point C*

- By hand at this exhibition, posting it into the comments box
- By hand at home, posting it to us in an envelope marked FREEPOST CONSULTATION RESPONSE (no stamp or full address required)

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### Community: Our Commitments



**We are developing a range of related actions to mitigate the impact of building the power station and to support communities in Somerset.**

#### Economic Development

We expect the Hinkley Point C development to provide:

- 5,000 construction jobs at peak
- 700 operational jobs in the plant with up to an additional 200 contract staff
- About £100m per annum to the local economy during construction
- Around £40m per annum to the local economy during the operational phase

We are taking action to help maximise opportunities for local businesses, including setting up a Somerset Business Database and appointing a Supply Chain Officer in Bridgwater.

We will hold events for local businesses, similar to the Bridgwater Suppliers Forum held on 6 July 2010.

#### Low Carbon Future

We will help to promote a low carbon future for the area by:

- Supporting the establishment of a Low Carbon Business Cluster
- Supporting delivery of EDF Energy's existing programmes to improve energy efficiency and reduce carbon emissions
- Marketing Hinkley Point C, to improve understanding of nuclear technology and promoting Somerset as a great place to live work and visit.



*EDF Energy Chief Executive Vincent de Rivaz visiting Hinkley Point B*

#### Education, Employment and Skills

We will maximise employment opportunities for local people, by:

- Developing and implementing a Hinkley Skills Charter
- Establishing an employment brokerage so people can access jobs
- Investing in a construction skills centre in Sedgemoor, which will support local people to access the training they need to get a job during construction.
- Running an annual Apprenticeship Fair so local people can find out more about the opportunities available.
- Investing in apprenticeships in West Somerset.
- Implementing a range of curriculum linked activities to focus on raising the aspirations of young people and encourage them to follow careers in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics

#### Housing/Accommodation

We intend to:

- Develop a database of local accommodation opportunities to match worker needs
- Phase campuses at Hinkley Point and Bridgwater to match demand

- Explore opportunities with housing agencies and other potential partners, including new housing with an affordable legacy
- Consider possible legacy use of associated developments

#### Community Wellbeing

Our objectives are to:

- Take a holistic approach to community health and wellbeing, including a financial contribution to support health service provision
- Liaise with local service providers to support emergency services planning, including a financial contribution for police
- Establish a Community Fund to mitigate against residual impacts
- Explore opportunities for shared access to leisure facilities
- Introduce good neighbour initiatives during the construction work, including a 24 hour helpline and community liaison managers.



*Tree planting initiative*