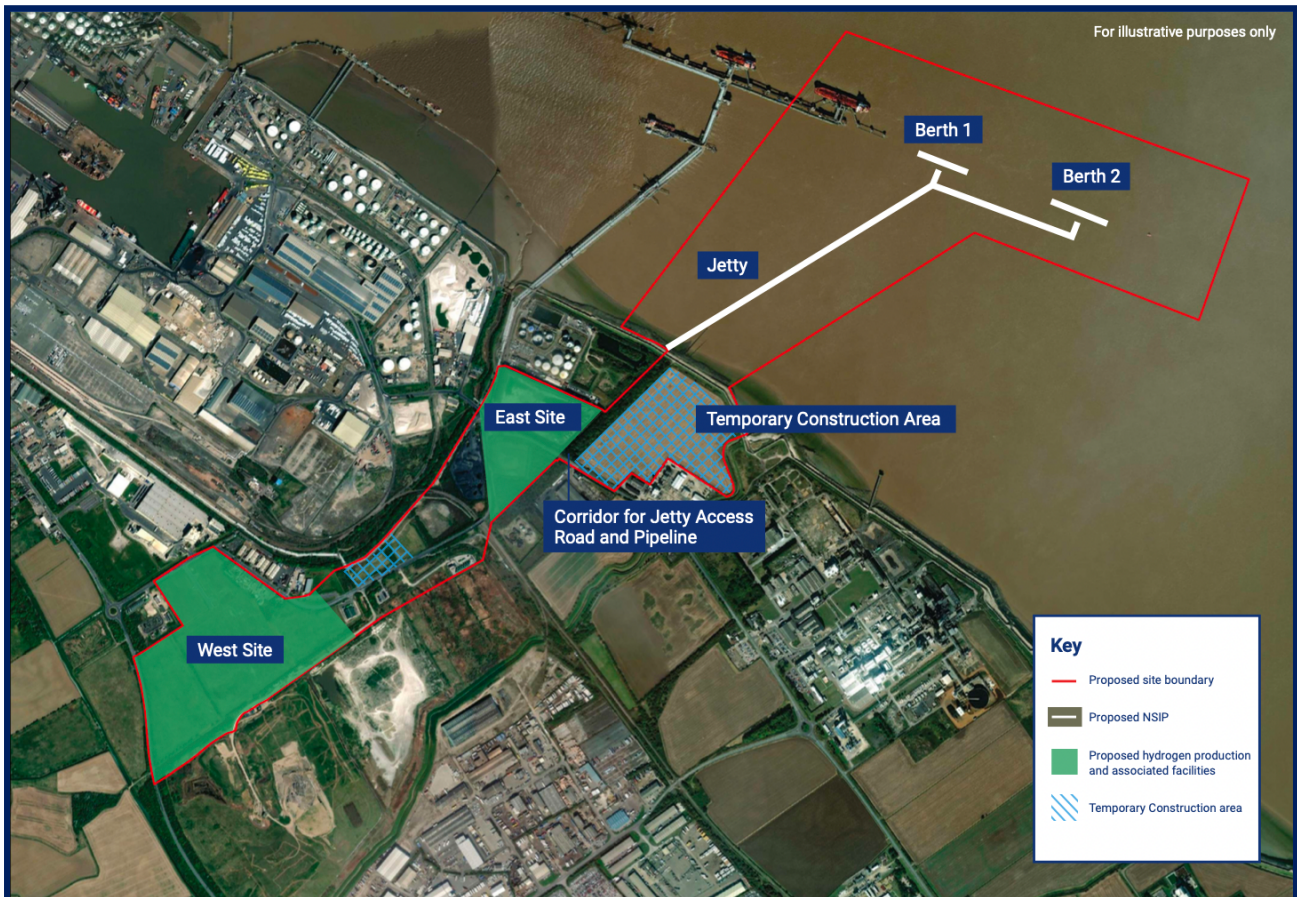


Have your say

Statutory Consultation Monday 9 January 2023 – Monday 20 February 2023



Indicative boundary for the proposed Immingham Green Energy Terminal (IGET) project

Introduction

Associated British Ports (ABP) are seeking to construct, operate and maintain a new multi-user liquid bulk green energy terminal located on the eastern side of the Port of Immingham.

The proposed development also includes the construction and operation of a hydrogen production facility by Air Products.

This briefing note provides an overview of the proposals and the Statutory Consultation process, which is taking place from Monday 9 January 2023 to 23:59 on Monday 20 February 2023.

This brochure contains information on the following topics:

- Overview of the IGET proposals
- Environmental Impact Assessment and the Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR)
- Project Launch
- Statutory Consultation
- How to have your say
- Next Steps

The Proposals

The development proposals constitute a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) and associated development, which must be authorised by a Development Consent Order.

The proposed new facility at the Port of Immingham would comprise:

On the marine side (the NSIP):

- A jetty, consisting of an approach trestle, approximately 1.1km in length, leading to up to two berths, including loading platforms and berthing and mooring dolphins with link walkways; and
- Topside infrastructure on the jetty for the handling of bulk liquids, including loading arms and pipelines.

On the land side (the Associated Development):

- An access road to the jetty;
- Two operational sites supporting hydrogen production facilities (an East Site and a West Site)
- Pipework, pipelines and utilities
 - (i) between the jetty and the green hydrogen production facility on the East Site and
 - (ii) between the two green hydrogen production facility sites and
 - (iii) between buildings and plant within the production operation facilities;
- Refrigerated ammonia storage tank (on the East Site);
- Hydrogen production units that convert ammonia to produce the green hydrogen (on both East and West Sites);
- Hydrogen liquefiers (on both East and West Sites) to liquify the hydrogen for temporary storage (on the West Site);
- Loading bays to fill road tankers with liquified hydrogen which would then be distributed to hydrogen filling stations throughout the UK (on the West Site);
- Ancillary buildings and works;
- Access from the public highway to the two hydrogen production sites; and
- Temporary construction areas.



The proposed Jetty and East Site, looking towards the Humber



Aerial view of IGET proposals (terminal)



Proposed West Site, including hydrogen processing facility



Proposed East Site, including hydrogen processing facility and temporary construction area in the foreground

Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA)

The scale of IGET means that the DCO application must be subject to an Environmental Impact Assessment in accordance with the Infrastructure Planning (Environmental Impact Assessment) Regulations 2017.

ABP is, therefore, required to assess the likely significant effects of the project on the environment. The Environmental Impact Assessment will identify any such effects likely to arise in the context of the construction and operation of both the marine and landside elements of the proposals.

ABP will be submitting an Environmental Statement as part of its application for a DCO which summarises the conclusions of the Environmental Impact Assessment.

Preliminary Environmental Information Report (PEIR)

For the purposes of the Statutory Consultation, a PEIR has been prepared.

This PEIR sets out information on the likely effects of the development on a wide range of topics that has been gathered to date, as well indicating, albeit at this preliminary stage, how we intend to manage impacts on the local communities and the natural environment both when we build IGET and when the terminal is in use.

The Statutory Consultation period is, therefore, very important for you as it is your chance to review our proposals and tell us about any issues or areas that you feel we have missed or which require additional information.

The PEIR and related consultation documents will be available to view and download from **Monday 9 January 2023 at:**

www.imminghamget.co.uk



August 2022: Project Launch

A Scoping Report for the IGET development was submitted to the Secretary of State via the Planning Inspectorate (PINS), which identified the topics which ABP proposed to include within its environmental assessment of the IGET project.

The IGET team also introduced the project to the owners and occupiers of properties and stakeholders located closest to the site through correspondence and a series of meetings held from August to December 2022.

January 2023: Statutory Consultation

Formal consultation with the local community and key stakeholders is integral to the preparation of DCO applications and to the EIA process.

This is known as the Statutory Consultation as certain requirements for it are set out in legislation. **It begins on Monday 9 January 2023 and will run until 23:59 on Monday 20 February 2023.**

The Statutory Consultation is an important part of the timeline for the project because it is ABP and Air Products' chance to share details about the proposals and your opportunity to give your views on our proposals.

Further details about how to respond to the Statutory Consultation are provided below.

Consultation Events

ABP will be holding the following in-person exhibitions at the **Immingham Civic Centre, Pelham Road, Immingham, DN40 1QF**, which you can attend to find out more about the proposals:

Burton Hall at Immingham Civic Centre:

- **Wednesday 18 January 2023, 08:00-12:00**
- **Thursday 19 January 2023, 15:30-19:30**
- **Wednesday 1 February 2023, 08:00-12:00**
- **Thursday 2 February 2023, 15:30-19:30**

Old Library Building at Immingham Civic Centre:

- **Friday 17 February 2023, 12:00-16:00**
- **Saturday 18 February 2023, 10:00-14:00**

If for whatever reason these dates or times change, those changes will be posted on

www.imminghamget.co.uk

Getting Involved

Below are details about how you can get involved with the Statutory Consultation.

- **In person public exhibitions:** you can attend these events (dates, times and venues outlined above) to view hard copies of the consultation documents and plans in person.
- **Consultation website:** all details on the proposals, the consultation activities, documents, feedback questionnaire and how to submit your comments are available on our website **www.imminghamGET.co.uk**
- **Webinar:** if there is demand, we will host a webinar so that people can engage with the proposals from home. If you would be interested in attending a webinar on these proposals, please email us at **enquiries@imminghamget.co.uk** and if there is demand we will arrange a suitable time and date for those interested.
- **Consultation documents:** all the consultation documents and materials are available to view and download online (free of charge) on the consultation website.

For those who would like hard copies, the documents and consultation materials that are on the consultation website can be made available on request. There may be a copying charge for certain documents, including the PEIR, of up to a maximum of £300. We will also be able to provide the consultation documents and materials on USB sticks for those who have access to a computer but not to the internet. You can contact us to arrange for copies of the information you require, or to discuss your information needs, by sending an email to **enquiries@imminghamget.co.uk** or by calling Freephone **0808 175 3233**.

Hard copies of the consultation documents will also be available to view at Immingham Civic Centre, Pelham Road, Immingham, DN40 1QF (Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm) and at North East Lincolnshire Council Offices, Municipal Offices, Town Hall Sq, Grimsby DN31 1HU (Mon-Fri, 8:45am-4pm) from Monday 9 January 2023.



Have your say

A feedback questionnaire has been produced to help you provide comments on the Proposals. An online version is available on the consultation website at **www.imminghamget.co.uk**

Alternatively, you can submit your views on the IGET development to us by:

Emailing enquiries@imminghamget.co.uk

Writing to:

IGET, PO Box 76780, London WC1A 9SJ

Calling: Freephone **0808 175 3233** (Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm) to request a hard copy feedback questionnaire and/or a pre-paid stamped addressed envelope be sent to you (free of charge) and then returning the completed questionnaire to us.

Responses & Next Steps

All responses must be received by us **in writing before 23:59 on Monday 20 February 2023**.

We will consider all responses received in this time, which will inform our application documents submitted to PINS with our DCO application.

For more information about the project or Statutory Consultation please visit **www.imminghamget.co.uk**

Timeline

October 2022: The Planning Inspectorate provided a Scoping Opinion, which commented on ABP's EIA Scoping Report and indicated which topics, in its opinion, should be assessed and which could effectively be 'scoped out.'

9 January 2023: Statutory Consultation period begins. This will run until for six weeks and will give interested parties an opportunity to learn more about the proposals and share their thoughts with the project team.

20 February 2023: Statutory Consultation period ends, and feedback will be considered.

Summer 2023: Proposed submission of the DCO application.

Winter 2023/24: Expected start of the DCO examination period.

Autumn 2024: Construction likely to commence