

# Welcome to the Desborough Airfield Solar Community Consultation Event

Innova is proposing a 99.9MW (Megawatt) solar farm and 100MW energy storage system on land at the former Desborough Airfield. This proposal will connect into the local electricity grid, and the solar array will have a generation capacity to power the equivalent of approximately 32,000 households and save approximately 18,750 tonnes in CO2 emissions per year.

This site has been selected and designed via a detailed assessment process. An important part of this process is to engage with the local community, and this event provides the opportunity for you to ask questions and provide feedback on the proposals.



## About Innova

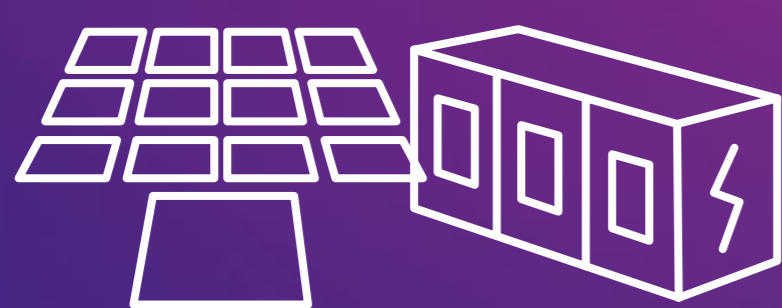
Innova is a leading UK based renewable energy consultancy who have been active in the development of renewable energy projects since 2010. Our mission is to support the delivery of utility-scale renewable energy projects in the UK, using multi-technologies fit for the transition to Net Zero.

Our in-house team of renewable energy industry experts and trusted consultants have extensive experience delivering and operating renewable energy projects across the United Kingdom.

## We look forward to discussing the proposal with you.

### Key Project Elements

- One of the first 99.9MW solar farms to be considered at Local Authority level – by North Northamptonshire Council – since the legislative change at the end of 2025. Providing the local opportunity to lead the way in delivery of key renewable energy sites.
- This site includes land which is encompassed by a previously approved 49.9MW solar park from 2015 (ref: KET/2015/0297). Through improved technology, the majority of the 99.9MW solar area can be sited within the consented developments footprint.
- Inclusion of energy storage to assist in the delivery of balancing grid infrastructure.
- Onsite delivery of Biodiversity Net Gain through an increase in habitats for local wildlife and additional planting.
- Areas of enhanced planting and habitats across the airfield to support wildlife and planting connectivity between Walter and Broad Lane Woods to Pipewell Wood.
- Delivery of permissive paths around the former airfield and enhancement of existing footpaths through landscaping.
- Potential direct and indirect employment opportunities in the local area during the construction period.
- Delivery 99.9MW of renewable energy production which would generate enough electricity to power approximately 32,000 homes, save around 18,750 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> per year.



99.9MW of renewable energy generation



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Power 32,000 homes