

20th February 2025

Dear Granborough Parish Council,

### **Proposals for Longbreach Solar Farm**

I am writing on behalf of Noventum Power to inform you that we are developing proposals for a 49.9MW solar farm on a 65-hectare site located west of Marston Road and south of Hogshaw Road, Granborough. Please find a site location plan enclosed.

Noventum Power is a British renewable energy company that contributes to the country's transition to clean, sustainable energy by developing over 6GW of solar, wind and energy storage projects across the UK. We are committed to working closely with local communities, ensuring that our projects provide both environmental and local benefits. You can read more about us by visiting: [noventumpower.co.uk](https://noventumpower.co.uk)

If built, our proposals would:

- Generate 49.9MW of clean, renewable electricity powering approximately 20,500 homes every year;
- Assist our transition to net zero and reduce carbon emissions, saving approximately 29,900 tonnes of carbon over its 40-year lifespan;
- Deliver biodiversity enhancements through proactively managed sections of the site and additional planting ensuring a biodiversity net gain;
- Enable the land to remain in agricultural use, with sheep grazing throughout its operation and restoration to its original agricultural use following decommission; and
- Provide community benefit through the establishment of a community benefit fund.

We are holding a public consultation on our proposals prior to the submission of a planning application to provide an opportunity for stakeholders and residents to learn more about the project, ask questions and share feedback.

**Public Consultation:** Monday 3 March to Sunday 16 March 2025

**Public Exhibition:** Saturday 8 March, 12.00 – 17.00, Granborough Village Hall, 3-5 Church Lane Granborough, MK18 3NN

**Online:** Visit the consultation website at [noventumpower.co.uk/projects/longbreach-solar-farm/](https://noventumpower.co.uk/projects/longbreach-solar-farm/) and submit feedback

As a parish councillor, we would like to invite you to a preview session ahead of the public exhibition between **11:00am - 12:00pm**. Alternatively, you are of course welcome to attend the public session above.

We would also like to invite you to meet with us in advance of the consultation should you wish to do so. To arrange a time to meet, or if you require anything further at this stage, please email [noventumsolar@eqcommunications.co.uk](mailto:noventumsolar@eqcommunications.co.uk) or call us on 020 3617 6359.

Yours faithfully



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## Location plan

