

Caythorpe Gas Storage Project

Liaison Committee Meeting
24th January 2010

centrica

Agenda

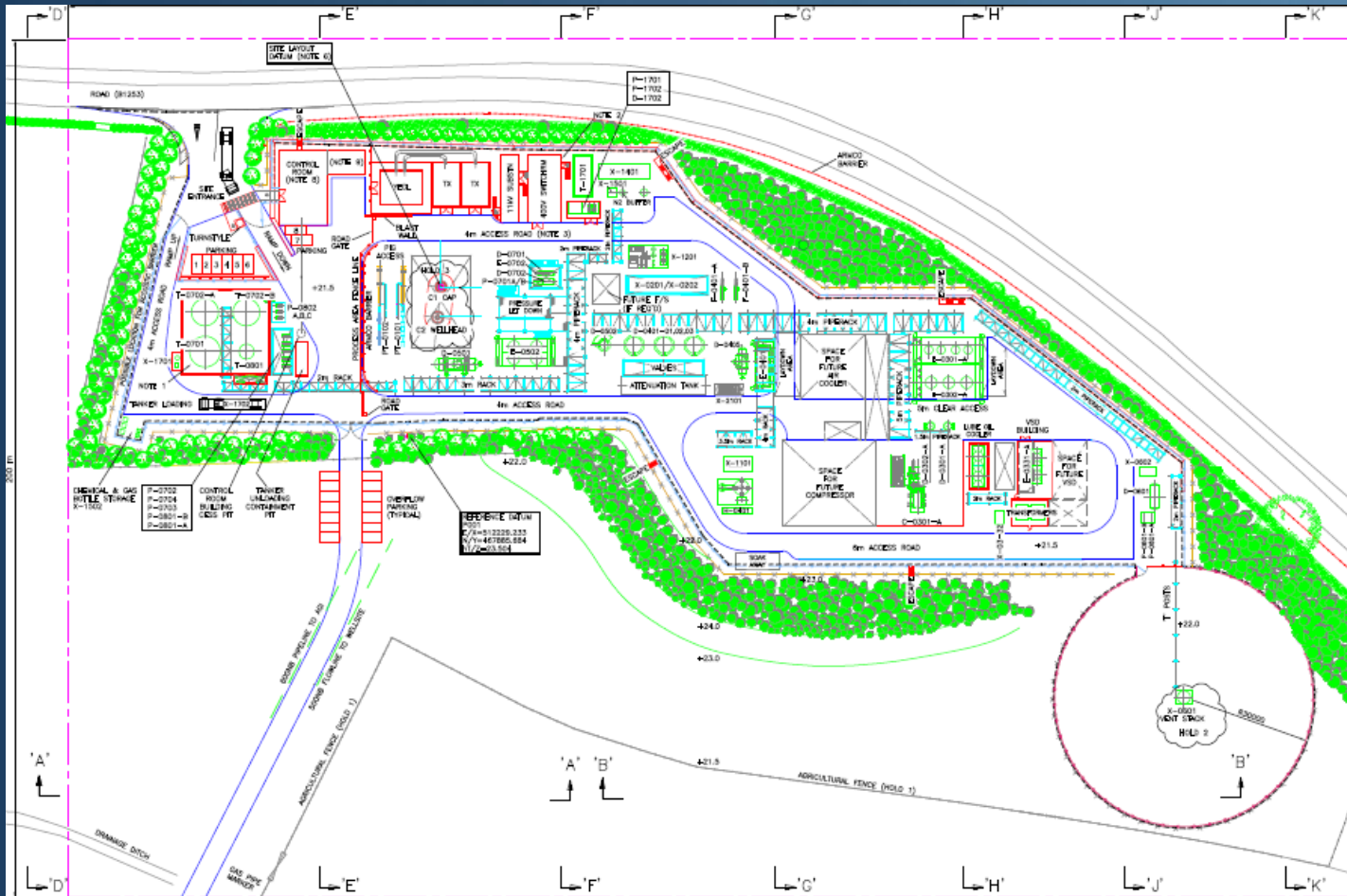
- Project Status Report
 - Progress since September 2010
 - Status at January 2011
- Update on Community & Environmental support funds
- Site activities during 2011
- Questions

Health, Safety & Environment

- Zero on or off site complaints to date.
- Zero on or off site reportable environmental impacts to date.
- Zero on or off site reportable accidents to date.
- Zero on or off site reportable incidents to date.
- Zero site reportable security issues to date.
- Environment Agency site visit on 13th January 2011. No concerns and positive feedback on site management.
- 30 mph zone to remain in force and new signs provided.

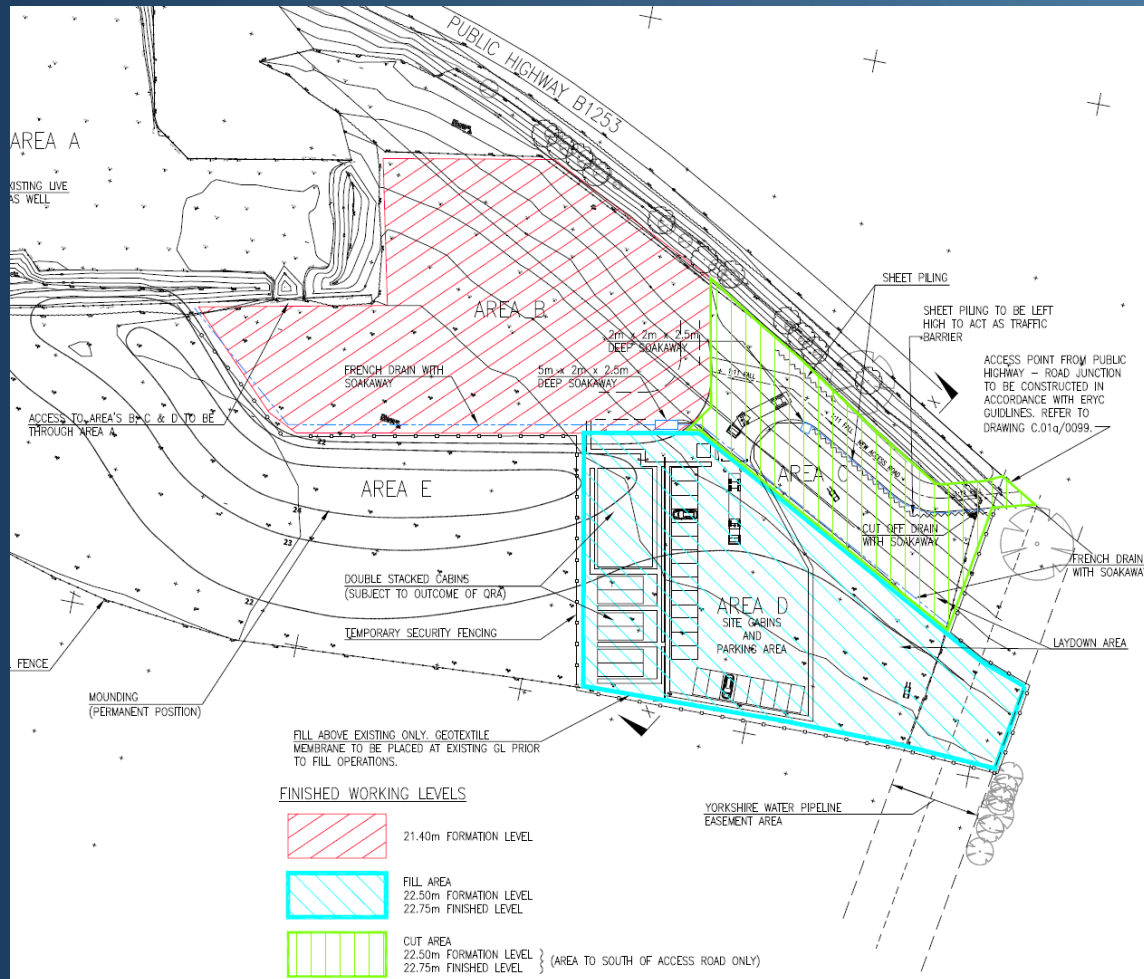
Project progress since September 2010

- Amended scheme approved by ERYC



Project progress since September 2010

- Approved by ERYC and partly implemented



Project status

- In November 2010 Centrica announced that the project would not be going ahead at present due to the prospect of reduced market volatility and higher than anticipated construction costs and because not all of the project consents required have been secured.
- Compulsory Purchase Order (CPO) Public Inquiry anticipated in May 2011.
- Centrica continues to believe that the UK needs to build more gas storage facilities and that projects such as Caythorpe will have a valuable role to play in the energy mix going forward.
- Centrica will keep the project under review as circumstances change in the energy market. Assuming the uncertainties above are resolved satisfactorily the project is likely to be reviewed towards the end of 2011/early 2012.

Recent site work

- Installation on Gypsy Race bridge



Recent site work

- Installation of access road to Wellsite



Recent site work

- Site Extension, Temporary Compound including access



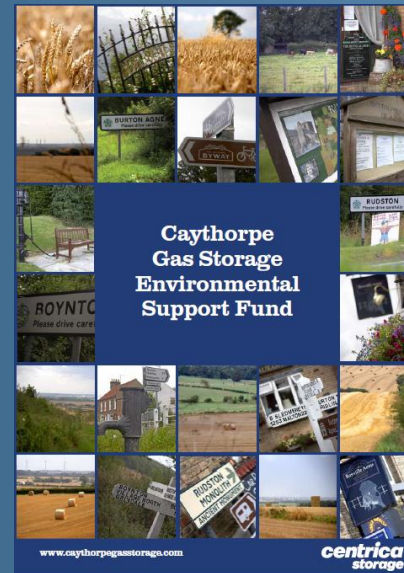
Archaeological Site Investigation

- Completed final part of investigation.



Community & Environmental Support Funds

- Three projects supported through the Community Fund (total value £152,000) to be implemented in 2011:
 - Boynton Village Hall
 - Rudston Play Park
 - Burton Agnes Sports Club
- Three projects supported through the Environmental Fund (£5,000):
 - East Yorkshire Chalk Rivers Trust
 - Rudston Newsletter
 - Country Mile Project – Rudston Verge Nature Reserves
- 2011 Environmental Fund open for applications on 31st January



Site work planned for Spring-Summer 2011

- Complete access road and remove surplus material
- Complete drainage
- Backfill and level areas of archaeological investigation
- Remove pipeline/road corridor fencing and reinstate topsoil
- Minor works to bridge
- Make good on B1253 around access

Points of contact

General project issues

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- Next Liaison Meeting planned for May 2011.
- Questions?