



Our ref ATISN 18661

26 July 2023

Dear ,

ATISN 18661 – National Development Framework Newsletters

Information requested

Thank you for your request which I received on 29 June 2023. You asked for:

1. Please may I have the breakdown of the numbers for Welsh Government's NDF Newsletters 8 & 9; how many sent, opened, unique openings etc.
2. Please may I have the breakdown of the numbers for Welsh Government's NDF Newsletters 4, 5 & 6; how many sent, opened, unique openings etc.
3. Is it possible to have a link to, or a copy of, the 'Information Leaflet' / 'leaflet-aimed at the general public-' that was mentioned in Newsletter 6.
4. Is it possible to be given the information to be provided if someone clicked on the blue 'Contact us for more information' under 'Energy Research' in Newsletter 7.
5. In Newsletter 6, under 'Get Involved', it stated: ".....you don't have to wait for formal consultations.....Just drop us an email or call us any time!". Are there records of the numbers of people who took this offer up & may I have a breakdown if there are.
6. Please may I have the breakdown of the attendance figures for the NDF public drop in sessions during May & June 2018 & where these were publicised.
7. Please may I have a copy of ARUP's acceptance to the Welsh Government to carry out Stage 2 for the Refinement of Priority Areas for Onshore Wind & Solar Energy.
8. Please may I have a list of, & links for if possible, the 'supporting documents' to the dNDF for consultation in August 2019.
9. May I have a list of, & links for if possible, the 'supporting documents' for the Senedd Members for their scrutiny of the September 2020 version of the NDF/FW2040.

Rydym yn croesawu derbyn gohebiaeth yn Gymraeg. Byddwn yn ateb gohebiaeth a dderbynnir yn Gymraeg yn Gymraeg ac ni fydd gohebu yn Gymraeg yn arwain at oedi.

We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

Our response

The information you requested is enclosed below: -

1. Newsletters 8 & 9

Newsletter 8

745 sent, 4,499 total opens, 266 unique opens.

Newsletter 9

894 sent, 1,169 total opens, 309 unique opens.

2. Newsletters 4, 5 & 6

Newsletter 4

985 sent, 2,014 total opens, 342 unique opens.

Newsletter 5

990 sent, 1,616 total opens, 343 unique opens.

Newsletter 6

616 total sent, 948 total opens, 237 unique opens.

3. Leaflet Referenced Newsletter 6

See attachment 1.

4. Information Newsletter 7

No information held.

5. Numbers of Contacts Newsletters 6

No information held.

6. Drop-In Sessions May & June 2018

Attendance Figures

No information held.

Publicity

- Newsletter
- Facebook
- Twitter
- Local Press
- Posters

7. Arup Letter

See attachment 2.

8. Supporting Documents August 2019

See attachment 3.

9. Supporting Documents September 2020

See attachment 4.

Next steps

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Information Commissioner's Office,
Wycliffe House,
Water Lane,
Wilmslow,
Cheshire,
SK9 5AF

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely