

Non-statutory consultation on the Tarchon project.

PUBLIC EVENTS TAKING PLACE FROM MONDAY 17 MARCH TO THURSDAY 20 MARCH 2025

The Tarchon interconnector project is proposed to create a direct power link between Essex in Great Britain, and a landing site at Niederlangen, in Lower Saxony, Germany. It will connect the two countries' energy markets, increasing the security and reliability of their electrical systems in addition to facilitating the integration of renewable energy sources.

The interconnector will be a combination of land and subsea cables approximately 750km in length and will allow 1.4GW of electricity to move in either direction.



ABOUT TARCHON

Tarchon is being developed by Copenhagen Infrastructure Partners (CIP), a global leader in renewable energy investments committed to making significant and meaningful contributions to the green transition, with support from a broad array of experts in their fields.

CIP manages 12 funds and has to date raised approximately EUR 31 billion for investments in energy and associated infrastructure from more than 180 international institutional investors.

Volta Partners has a minority ownership stake in Tarchon Energy Limited. The company was formed by senior financial advisors with expertise in power project development.

The Volta team has experience developing transmission lines and interconnectors, including the 1.4GW NeuConnect interconnector between Great Britain and Germany.



A word from Jonathan Wood, Project Director for Tarchon

- "We want to hear the views of all of those who are interested in or may be affected by the Tarchon project, such as residents, community groups, farmers, fishers, businesses and other stakeholders. This newsletter explains how you can take part in our consultation and share your thoughts and views on our plans.
- "Following our non-statutory consultation, the proposals for the Tarchon project will be refined, with the feedback received considered wherever possible. A further phase of statutory consultation is planned for 2026."

OUR NON-STATUTORY CONSULTATION: **HOW TO TAKE PART**

We are holding a non-statutory consultation to hear and understand the views of local stakeholders on the Tarchon project, which we will consider as our proposals progress.

The consultation will take place from 10am on Monday 10th March 2025, lasting 4 weeks until 10am on Monday 7th April 2025. Public information events will be held as follows:

Venue	Date	Time
Ardleigh Village Hall, Station Road, Ardleigh, Essex CO7 7RS	Monday 17 March 2025	18:30 - 21:30
Wix Village Hall, Clay Cottage, Harwich Road, Wix, Essex CO11 2RY	Tuesday 18 March 2025	14:00 - 20:00
Venture Centre 2000, Bromley Road, Lawford, Manningtree CO11 2JE	Wednesday 19 March 2025	13:00 - 17:00
Harwich & Dovercourt Golf Club, Station Road, Parkeston CO12 4NZ	Thursday 20 March 2025	14:00 - 20:00

Information about the project and upcoming events can be found on the Tarchon website.

LOCATION

The Tarchon project will come onshore in the Tendring Peninsula, with a proposed landfall zone being considered south of Harwich. Underground cables will take the power from the landfall zone to connect with the proposed Tarchon converter station which will transfer the HVDC power to HVAC power which can be accepted into the grid. The Tarchon converter station will then connect to the proposed National Grid East Anglia Connection Node (EACN) substation, also via underground cabling.

During the consultation we will share information about our site selection processes and feasibility as well as plans for our 2025 activities. We will share more information about the types of environmental surveys that will take place and how we conduct them to ensure minimal disruption to the local area.

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