

# LAUNCH OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION FOR LLŶR 1

#### **HAPPY NEW YEAR**

I hope everyone enjoyed the Christmas festivities and you are now looking forward to a happy and healthy new year.

Here at Floventis Energy, we are gearing up for a busy period as consultation on Llŷr 1 will start on Monday 15 January and run through to Sunday 11 February 2024.

This consultation follows a series of Public Awareness Days which we held over the course of last summer as well as our attendance at a number of community events across the region. Thank you to all who visited us, these events have really helped us to shape our approach to the consultation which opens this month.

We will be hosting consultation events at various locations across the region alongside hosting our virtual exhibition which will be open to all on the Llŷr website, <a href="https://www.llyrwind.com">www.llyrwind.com</a>.

Given the importance of the consultation, this newsletter is focused solely on our approach, why we are consulting and how you can get involved or encourage others to do so.

We would love to see you at any of the events so please do come along. We will be pleased to answer any questions that you might have.

With my best wishes,

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Tessa Blazey

Director of Policy and External Relations



Floventis Team at Future Energy Wales Conference.

# PUBLIC CONSULTATION 15 JANUARY TO 11 FEBRUARY 2024

As you will be aware, we have been engaging with local residents, businesses and community organisations across the region for the last two years about our two innovative floating offshore wind farm developments in the Celtic Sea, known as Llŷr 1 and Llŷr 2.

These will be amongst the first floating offshore wind test and demonstration projects to be developed and constructed in the UK, showcasing the next generation in clean renewable offshore renewable energy technology. Both projects will set a new standard for cost reduction pathways for large scale floating offshore wind developments, they will:

- Act as a pathfinder to accelerating floating offshore wind development.
- Provide the opportunity not only to better understand the benefits and challenges but also to identify opportunities to enhance the local environment.
- Maximise the local supply chain and employment opportunities thereby contributing to the local and regional economy.

The consultation on our proposals for Llŷr 1 will be held between **15 January and 11 February 2024**. This consultation will focus on proposals for Llŷr 1, consultation for Llŷr 2 will follow once we have further developed our proposals.

We will also be writing to local residents, businesses and community groups to let them know how they can share their views on the development from 15 January 2024.



Members of Milford Youth Matters at a July Public Awareness Day.

### WHY ARE WE CONSULTING?

We are committed to consulting with the community and stakeholders before we submit our applications for consent. The feedback received during this consultation will inform our detailed design of Llŷr 1. We would like to know if residents and stakeholders think that there are any factors we should consider – both offshore and onshore – as part of this work.

This follows a series of Public Awareness Days that we held in July 2023, aimed at introducing our projects and raising awareness regarding our proposals to residents and interested parties across the region.



One of our Public Awareness Days at Ty Hotel.

#### **VIEW OUR PROPOSALS**

To find out more:



View our **virtual exhibition** where you can view all our consultation materials – available from 15th January 2024 at <u>www.llyrwind.com</u>.



Attend one of our **in-person exhibitions** where you can view our consultation materials and speak to members of our team:

- Pembroke Dock Community Learning Centre,
   Albion Square, SA72 6XF Thursday 25 January
   12:00 – 16:00
- Foundry House,
   Orange Way,
   Pembroke, SA71 4DR
   Friday 26 January
   11:00-15:00
- Hundleton Sports Pavilion, Hundleton, SA71 5RD
   Tuesday 30 January 15:00-19:00

Visit one of the below locations during their usual opening hours to collect a copy of our brochure and feedback form:

- Pembroke Dock Library, Water Street, Pembroke Dock, SA72 6DW
- Pembroke Library and Information Centre, Commons Road, Pembrokeshire, SA71 4EA

## SHARING YOUR FEEDBACK

Feedback can be provided in one of the following ways:



Online – fill in our response form at www.llyrwind.com.



In person – fill in our response form one of our consultation events.



Email – write to us or send your completed response form to our project email: info@llyrwind.com.



Post – write to us or send your response form to: Office 20, Bridge Innovation Centre, Pembrokeshire Science and Technology Park, Pembroke Dock SA72 6UN.

Your views are important to help us better understand the local area and any potential impacts our scheme may have on you and your community. All responses to the public consultation will be recorded in a consultation report, which will form part of our applications for consent.



The Milford Youth Matters Dyfodol Launch.

We will be promoting public consultation on our website and social media channels, as well as via the local media. You're very welcome to attend all of the events, and it would be very helpful if you could also encourage others to come along to.

#### **CLOSING DATE**



The closing date for feedback is **23:59 on 11 February 2024**, so please provide any responses before then.

#### **CONTACT US**

If you have any questions, would like a briefing from the team or require a hard copy of our consultation documents, please contact us via email on <a href="mailto:info@llyrwind.com">info@llyrwind.com</a>, or phone us on <a href="mailto:01646-689275">01646-689275</a> to discuss alternative ways to view our proposals and share your feedback.