

We are delighted to write to let you know that today we have triggered our Development Consent Order, which gives the green light for the construction phase of Sizewell C.

This is a significant moment for the project and for Suffolk. While Sizewell C will be a linchpin of Britain's energy system, it's much more than a power station, especially for this region.

Entering the construction phase will be a game-changer for the area, helping to boost employment and skills, enhancing the local environment, and developing new clean technologies.

From today a £250m package for local communities will be activated – available in phases over construction period to deliver a lasting legacy for the region. Community Forums will be launched to enable local communities to have a say during the construction phase, with the first group meeting this week.

We've had a really successful year of pre-commencement works on site, and we've been working hard with local partners and organisations to ensure we're ready to take this next step for the project.



Sizewell C will be an important part of Britain's energy future, generating low-carbon power for six million homes until close to the end of this century. To mark the latest milestone for the project, Nuclear Minister, Andrew Bowie, today visited the Sizewell C construction site to meet with the project team, local business leaders, education and community leaders and representatives from the local authorities. Speaking at the meeting the Minister said: "This project and everything it brings will be brilliant for Suffolk, brilliant for the local area and fantastic for our overarching energy objectives for the UK."

We look forward to keeping you updated as the project further progresses.

Yours sincerely

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