Key Points from Event 1 answered





This Consultation covers the second **Planning Pre-Application Consultation (PAC) Event and the Marine Licence pre-application** consultation requirements.



Quay Section Heavy Load Area



Quay Section Multi Purpose Area



Investment

Additional investment into regeneration and repurposing of Hunterston Construction Yard is generally welcomed. It is noted that Hunterston PARC is privately owned and that Peel Ports are the developer and investor.

Provision of Jobs

Commitment to full EIA

The approach to EIA has been welcomed. This will ensure that the potential environmental effects in relation to both terrestrial and marine effects can be identified, assessed, and mitigated where required.

Operational Activity

The yard will be available for activity 24/7, working in shifts and linked to vessel activity being tidally dependent. Operational environmental effects will be managed by existing environmental regulations and an adherence to best practice.

The creation of new jobs is welcomed. It is noted that the proposed construction works relating to the HCY improvements would generate in the region of 40 – 50 jobs. The number of additional jobs that could be generated at the Marine Construction Yard is operator dependent but is likely to be several hundred.

Fabrication Use

Preferred to Decommissioning. This is a reference to previous proposals relating to decommissioning of oil and gas platforms; the focus of the revised project is construction.

Use of available transport infrastructure

It is recognised that there is an opportunity to utilise the existing jetty and rail links that service Hunterston. This will help mitigate potential lorry movements on the road network.

Additional Information

This additional consultation board includes sectional design detail of the quay wall and an image that shows an indicative Gravity Base Structure design that could be constructed on site to supply the offshore renewables sector.

Have your say

Please leave comments with us today using the comments cards provided. Alternatively, comments can be made by email to the Planning Agent: info@cameronplanning.com

All comments should be made by the 24th November 2023.

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