

# MANAGING CONSULTATION

## Community Engagement and Stakeholder Management



RES Offshore provides Consultation and Stakeholder Management Services to offshore renewable energy projects.

We understand that delivering high standards of consultation during project development leads to co-operative stakeholder relations, positive consenting environments and better developed applications.

With more than 30 years experience in the wind industry and a decade developing offshore projects, we have the expertise to manage project consultation, ensuring compliance with regulatory requirements, bringing mutual benefit to developers, communities and stakeholders.

Our consultation and stakeholder management services can be delivered either alongside our development and technical services, or as a tailored package designed to support the work of our client's project team by delivering consultation activity within budget and programme parameters.

### Consultation management services include:

- Stakeholder mapping, communications and engagement strategies;
- Managing project liaison groups to work with residents or technical stakeholders (including nature conservation, fisheries, shipping, aviation etc);
- Political engagement, including briefings and meetings with local and national elected representatives;
- Advice on consultation requirements including statutory requirements, regulations, guidance and industry best-practice;
- Producing public materials that are compliant with best practice guidance, including Advertising Standards Authority (ASA);
- Delivery and reporting of public consultations and exhibition events;
- Consultation on community benefit schemes and socio-economic opportunities linked to projects.



## About RES Offshore

RES Offshore offers integrated development, engineering, construction and AO&M services for utility-scale renewable energy projects. From offshore wind to wave and tidal, we bring to projects the considerable skills and experience that we have acquired over 30 years in the renewables industry. RES Offshore is part of the RES Group, one of the world's leading renewable energy project developers. To date, RES has delivered more than 8000MW of wind energy capacity worldwide.

RES Offshore has the full range of in-house capabilities required to deliver each of the project phases and this allows us to develop cost-effective, innovative solutions that can make the difference between project failure and success.

We have applied our development, engineering and technical skills and experience to a number of successful offshore projects and we can provide our services either as a defined package of work or as part of the owner's project team.

RES Offshore has a wealth of in-house experience built on our participation in UK Rounds 1, 2 and 3, and also in the development of projects in Northern Ireland and France. Having expertise and experience on hand has enabled us to engineer designs, mitigate environmental concerns, optimise energy yields and deal with complex technical and performance issues. We work closely with turbine suppliers, electrical equipment manufacturers, grid utilities and statutory authorities to find the right solutions.

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