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Appendix 8E

Viewpoint Assessment

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1. Introduction

- 1.1.1 This appendix will be completed as part of the Final ES for the Project, when it will present the viewpoint assessment for the viewpoints set out below, the locations of which are illustrated in **Figures 8.28 to 8.40**. A final schedule of viewpoints and viewpoint photography will be presented as part of the Final ES. Consultees are requested to comment on the appropriateness of the viewpoint selection as part of their response to the Draft ES.
- 1.1.2 The Appendix should be read in conjunction with the annotated photoviews in **Figures 8.41 to 8.76** which have been prepared in accordance with the Landscape Institute's Visual Representation of Development Proposals - Technical Guidance Note 06/19¹. Type 1 Annotated Viewpoint Photographs have been prepared for all viewpoints.
- 1.1.3 The schedule of viewpoints from which a photographic record has been obtained and for which a viewpoint assessment will be completed for the Final ES are as follows:

Table 8E.1: Draft Viewpoint Schedule

HAGI	Viewpoint reference	Viewpoint location	Local Authority (of viewpoint) ¹
HPP HAGI	HPP1	A5117 and National Cycle Route (NCR) 5	CWACC
Rocksavage HAGI	RSH1	NCR 5 on The Quay, Frodsham	CWACC
	RSH2	PRoW S9	HBC
	RSH3	PRoW 284/FP9/1	CWACC
Runcorn HAGI	RC1	Frodsham Substation Access Road	CWACC
	RC2	PRoW 127/FP93/1, south of the River Weaver	CWACC
Central Hub HAGI	CH1	Marsh Lane, north-east of Central Hub HAGI	CWACC
	CH2	Marsh Lane adjacent Newholme Farm	CWACC

¹ Landscape Institute (2019). Technical Guidance Note 06/19: Visual Representation of Development Proposals. (Online). Available at: https://landscapewpstorage01.blob.core.windows.net/www-landscapeinstitute-org/2019/09/LI_TGN-06-19_Visual_Representation.pdf (Accessed 03 July 2024).

HAGI	Viewpoint reference	Viewpoint location	Local Authority (of viewpoint) ¹
	CH3	Northwich Road (A553) adjacent Dane Farm	CWACC
HSF Facility HAGI	HSF1	A530 layby	CWACC
	HSF2	Restricted Byway (RB7), north-west of Drakelow Hall Farm	CWACC
Warburton HAGI	W1	Carrgreen Lane	TMBC
	W2	Dunham Road, adjacent Boxedge Farm	TMBC
	W3	Dunham Road, north-east of HAGI	TMBC
	W4	Trans Pennine Trail and National Cycle Route 62	TMBC
	W5	Bollin Valley Way/Barns Lane	TMBC
	W6	Station Road, Dunham Woodhouses	TMBC
Partington HAGI (PH1)	P1	Restricted byway (Tra-26) north-west of Partington HAGI	TMBC
	P2	Eastern end of Restricted byway (Tra-26)	TMBC
	P3	Manchester Road (A6144)	TMBC
Partington HAGI (PH2)	P4	Transport for Greater Manchester (TfGM) Cycle route	TMBC
	P5	Transport for Greater Manchester (TfGM) Cycle route	TMBC
	P6	Local PRoW (Carrington 9)	TMBC
Higher Walton HAGI (HWH2)	HW1	PRoW south of Moor Nature Reserve (north-east of Higher Walton HAGI)	WBC
	HW2	PRoW south of Moor Nature Reserve (north-west of Higher Walton HAGI)	WBC
Higher Walton HAGI (HWH8)	HW3	Mill Lane	WBC
	HW4	A56	WBC
	HW5	Local PRoW (00304/2/1) south-east of Grange Green Manor	WBC

HAGI	Viewpoint reference	Viewpoint location	Local Authority (of viewpoint) ¹
Clock Face HAGI	CF1	Jubits Lane (B5419)	SHBC
	CF2	Jubits Lane (B5419), M62 overpass	SHBC
	CF3	Warrington Road (A57) adjacent Sandhill Farm	SHBC
	CF4	PRoW FP301 to the north of the M62	SHBC
	CF5	Bell Lane, southern edge of Sutton Manor	SHBC
Sworton Heath BVI	SH1	A50 Warrington Road, east of Sworton Heath	CEC
Sworton Heath BVI	SH2	Crabtree Lane, north of Sworton Heath	CEC
Sworton Heath BVI	SH3	West Lane, High Legh	CEC

Local Planning Authority: Cheshire West and Chester Council (CWACC); Cheshire East Council (CEC); Halton Borough Council (HBC); Warrington Borough Council (WBC); St. Helens Borough Council (SHBC); Trafford Metropolitan Borough Council (TMBC).

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