

Picts Lane Solar Farm and BESS Public Consultation Invitation



EDF is bringing forward proposals for a new solar and battery energy storage system (BESS) project on the land off Picts Lane, just outside the village of Cowfold.

We're inviting residents and stakeholders to attend a public consultation event to hear more about our proposals.

If approved, the project could deliver significant environmental and community benefits to Cowfold, and would contribute to the UK's clean energy transition by reducing reliance on fossil fuels, improving energy security, and supporting national targets to double solar generation by 2030.

Our vision includes:



A renewable energy site combining solar generation and battery storage



Improvements to existing local roads and footpaths



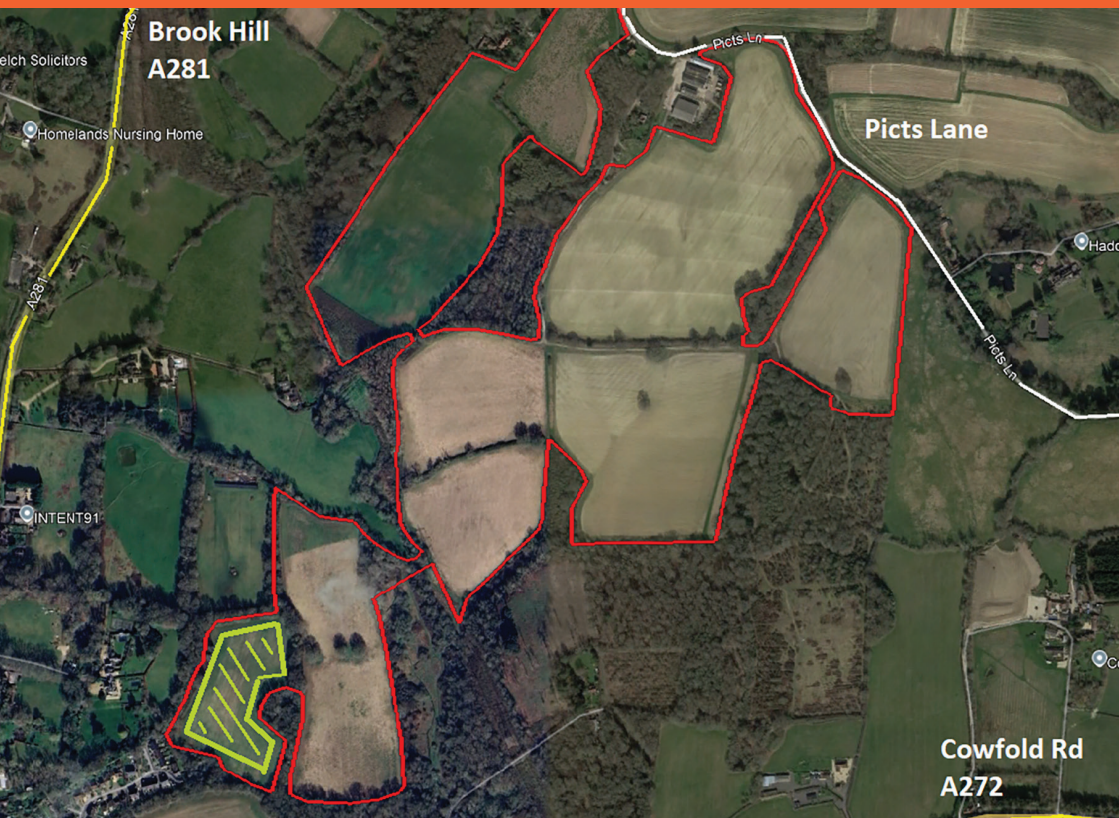
Minimal visual impact, using landscape buffers and retaining treelines



A community fund to support local projects during the site's operational lifetime



A focus on environmental improvements, including habitat creation and planting



Project boundary



No build area



Join us to hear more information about the plans and ask any questions



Wednesday 2nd July 2025

4:00pm – 8:00pm



Thursday 3rd July 2025

10:00am – 3:00pm



The Allmond Centre, Fairfield Cottages, Cowfold, RH13 8BL

If you're unable to attend in person, the information will all be available from Friday 4th July on:
www.edf-re.uk/our-sites/pictslane

For questions, please contact us at:



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