

Media statement from Vattenfall

The Whiteneuk Wind Farm proposal, which would have seen up to 27 turbines installed at a site around 3km north of Corsock, was submitted into to scoping in June 2020.

Following detailed assessments, research, and engagement with stakeholders, Vattenfall has taken the decision not to progress the project at this time.

Vattenfall's plans to develop a wind farm at Whiteneuk included an ambitious habitat management plan. Unfortunately, we were unable to secure the land that this would have required.

We want to ensure that through our habitat management plans we protect and improve local wildlife and habitats - like planting native trees and enhancing peatlands.

Vattenfall remains committed to enabling a fossil fuel free future, and by placing White-neuk on hold, we can prioritize our resources on other projects in our pipeline, such as the proposal for Quantans Hill Wind Farm a few miles to the north.

Vattenfall's commitment to maximising local opportunities in South West Scotland continues as we construct South Kyle Wind Farm and develop the Quantans Hill and South Kyle 2 Wind Farm projects.

Vattenfall would like to express our thanks to local communities and stakeholders for their input, time, and feedback throughout the engagement process for Whiteneuk Wind Farm over the past two years.