

Why Ballach Wind Farm?

BUILT AND HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT

An important consideration to gain an appreciation of the site location in relation to nearby properties and the wider built and historic environment. An initial step with site identification is to understand if there are any built and historic environment constraints and designations which may be impacted, for example:

- Scheduled Ancient Monuments
- Garden and Designed Landscapes
- Listed Buildings
- Conservation Areas
- Inventory of Historic Battlefields
- Residential Properties

Energiekontor considers that Ballach Wind Farm is situated within a good location and respects the surrounding built environment. The above constraints have been considered in reaching the current design.

Special consideration will be given to the design of the layout and separation distances as well as taking into consideration any relationships with wider built environment.

Fairburn GDL is an example of an asset which has been considered as part of the design process and used as a design viewpoint within the landscape and visual assessment. The map below identifies the relevant designations and constraints that require due consideration throughout the assessment.

