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Dear Householder,

### **Community Consultation update for proposed Bracklyn Windfarm**

As you already know, Galetech Energy Developments, in connection with General Electric and Storm, are developing plans for a proposed wind farm in the townland of Bracklyn, Co. Westmeath. The new Windfarm development proposal will consist of 9 Turbines with a typical output of up to 6 megawatts per turbine. An 80m met mast is installed on the Bracklyn Estate.

The Bracklyn wind farm liaison team sent letters in June 2020 and held productive clinics both on Bracklyn Estate and in Delvin Hall in July 2020. The community liaison officer, Deirdre Keegan, recommenced door to door visits in September 2020. However, due to the Covid-19 pandemic and Level 5 restrictions, we now have to postpone these door to door visits until restriction of movement has ended.

We are committed to keeping the communities we engage in safe.

As a result, the **Bracklyn Windfarm** project team is exploring every opportunity at this early design stage to continue with its engagement with the local community by providing information and answering questions using freephone and online services.

- We have a **freephone number 1800 140 976**, which you can dial free of charge to request a call back from the project team.
- We will post regular updates on our **project website** at [www.bracklynwindfarm.ie](http://www.bracklynwindfarm.ie)
- Face to face meetings, post level 5 restrictions are now available to book at a time and date convenient to you. Please call 1800 140 976 to organise.
- We have included an updated draft map for your viewing

Bracklyn Windfarm will play its part in assisting in Ireland's commitment to increase its renewable energy sources in the post 2020 period, with the Government pledging to generate 70% of electricity from renewable sources by 2030 forming part of the new climate action plan.

We look forward to hearing from you and answering any queries you may have and hopefully meet those that did not get a door to door call in the near future when the government guidelines on restriction of movement is over.

Yours faithfully,



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**Deirdre Keegan**  
**Community Liaison Officer**  
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