

Presentation to Site Stakeholder Group

Dungeness A Site

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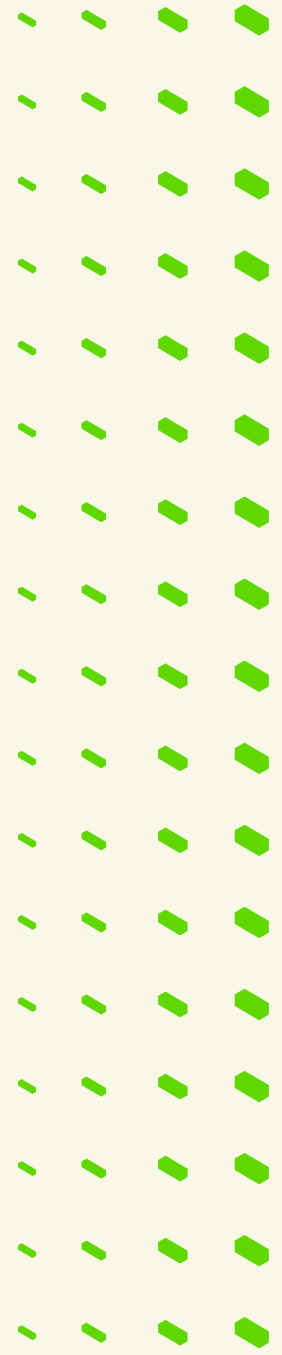
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SAFETY

- The South East Coast Ambulance Service (SECAmb) Hazardous Area Response Team (HART) came to Dungeness A. Their visit was for familiarisation training, meaning they were getting to know:
 - the layout of the site
 - key hazards
 - access routes and emergency arrangements
- Interoperability exercises are being planned for August, which means:
 - joint emergency drills involving the site and external responders
 - testing how well different teams (e.g. site emergency response, ambulance, fire, etc.) work together
- 2 x Safety apprentices recently qualified as Safety and environment Engineers.

QUALITY

- Change of site structure, Head of Safety and Quality role now in place
- Work is ongoing to clear up outdated or overdue documents in the Quality Management System (QMS).



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Environment

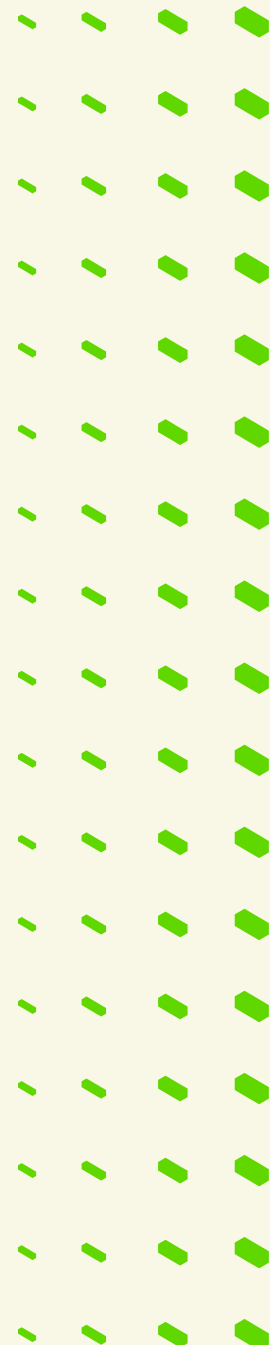
- Warning Letter received from the Environment Agency (EA) over Vent system deficiencies
- All outstanding repairs and production of new maintenance routines to be completed by end of June
- Site Environmental Management Plan (SEMP) revised, and with EA for review. Rationalisation of SEMP to match EA guidance.

Radiological

- Rad Protection trainer on-boarded, with ten new apprentices set to join the site in August 2026. The cohort includes six males and four females, aged between 18 and 27. Five are from the Romney Marsh area, three from Ashford, one from Dover and one from Folkestone.
- Focus for 2026/27 is supervision and coaching in the field.

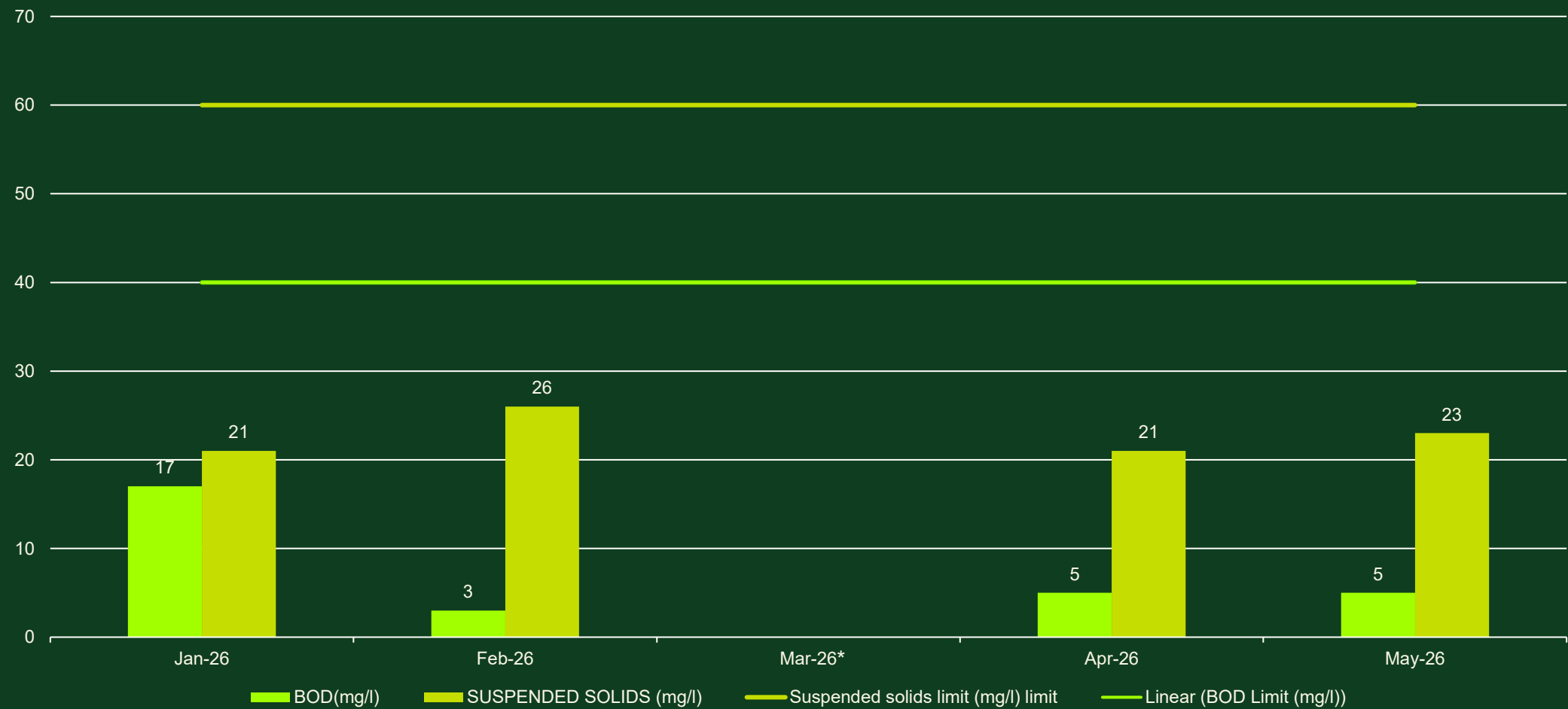
Security

- Familiarisation training with Kent Police Firearms Unit held in May.
- Delivered counter terrorism (ACT) training with Counter Terrorism Security Advisor (Thames Valley Police)



Sewage Plant Discharges 2026

Dungeness A Sewage Discharges 2026 - Testing results for Biological Oxygen Demand (BOD) and Suspended solids



*No samples were taken in March due to plant maintenance and issues.

Dungeness A Sustainability Group

NRS x NDA Neighbourly Volunteering

In February, colleagues from the NDA sustainability team joined NRS staff for a volunteering day at Shorncliffe. The team took on restoring an overgrown area of brambles and woodland alongside a local group in less-than-ideal weather before returning to DNA site to discuss sustainability initiatives and commitments within our projects such as Boilers Down.



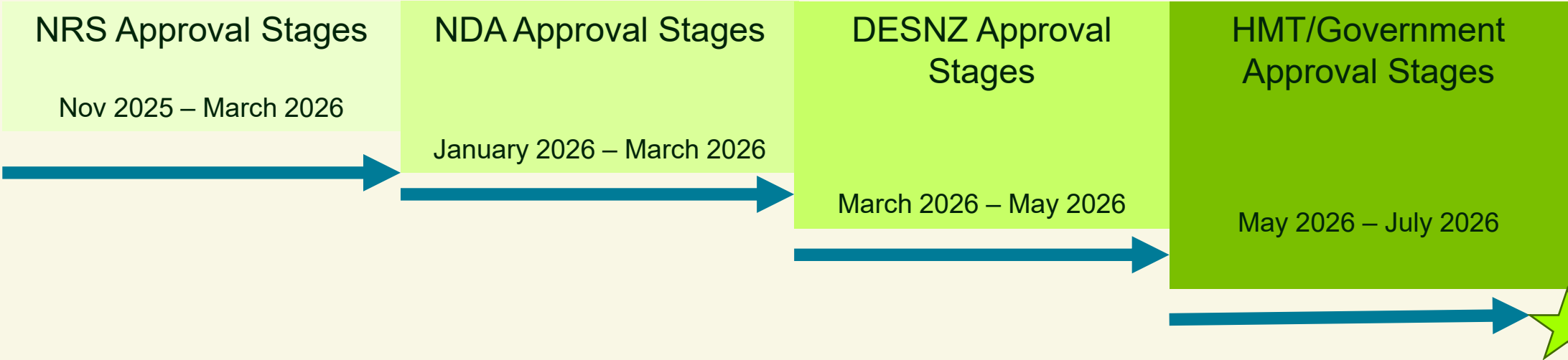
Work Experience Week

In July, NRS will once again be hosting a group of local school's students for their work experience week. The students will be led through a range of topics ranging from industrial safety to financing, as well as guided tours in and around the site.

Boiler and Ancillary Plant Removal (BAPR) Project Highlights

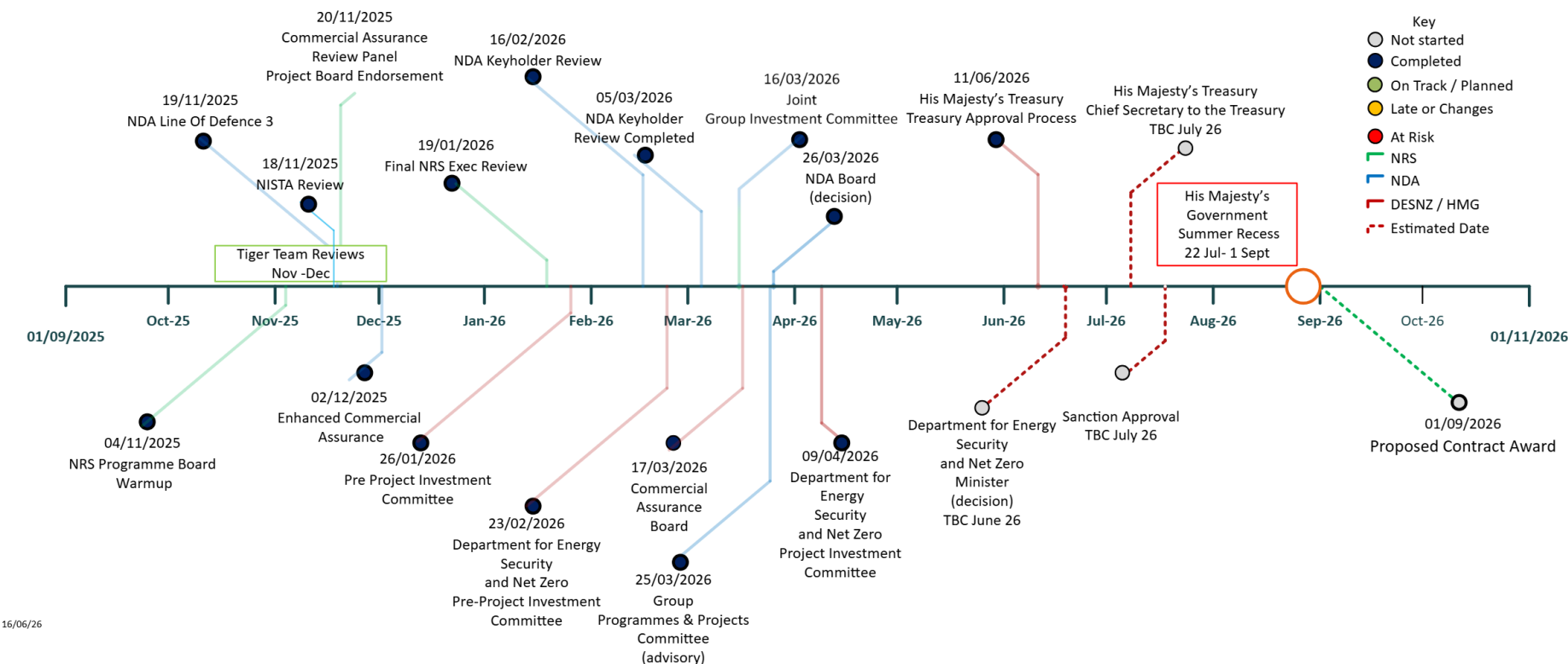


The NRS, NDA and DESNZ approval stages are now complete for the endorsement of the Final Business Case for the Main Boiler Removal Project, with the final Government approval stage to complete in July.



Boilers Sanction

- Boilers is a Major project sanctioned by HM Treasury Chief Secretary. Comparable level with the largest Sellafield projects.
- Over 70 supporting documents have been created, and the case has been reviewed across a wide range of panels since it was completed in September 2025.



Plant Degradation, a contributing factor to BAPR

The boiler annexes, drum houses and boiler cells are suffering significant plant degradation.

In 2018 reports were produced based on assessments evidenced that the condition of the steelwork portions of the structure is very poor and structural failure cannot be ruled out within 5 – 10 years, these were a catalyst for the commencement of the project in 2020.

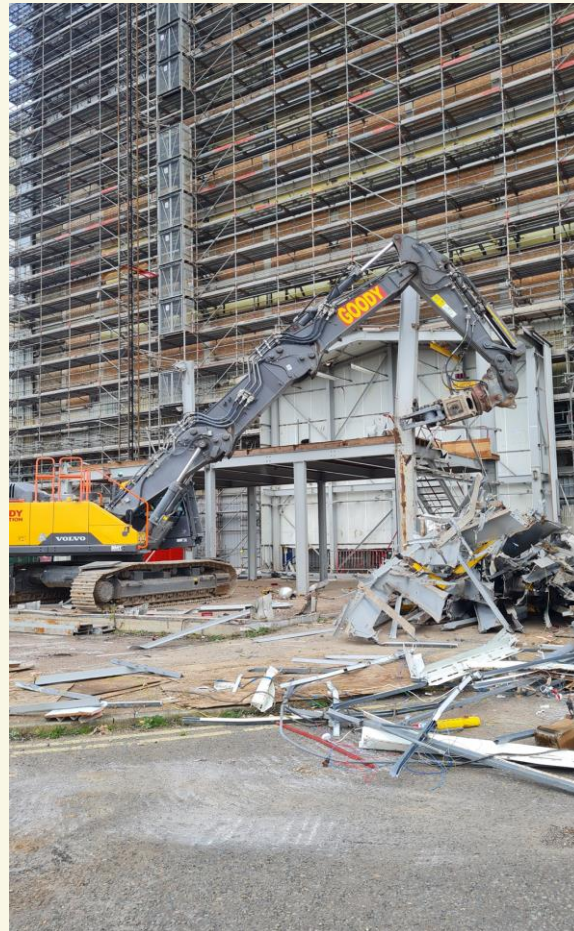
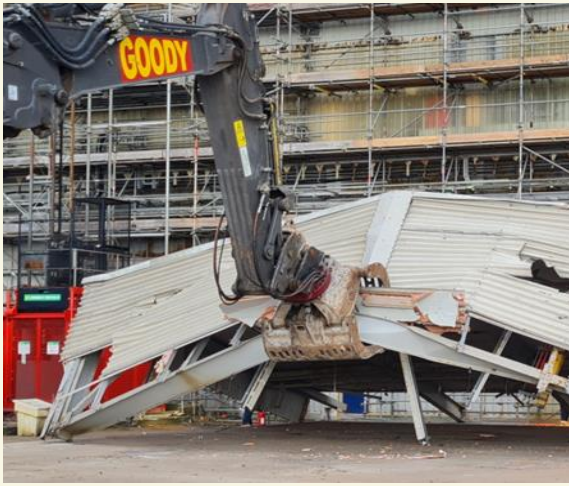
The associated areas have been subject to periodic inspection and re-validation.



Boiler Project Highlights

Dungeness and its project contract partner has now safely completed the demolition of eleven conventional ancillary buildings.

This is in preparation for the area to be handed over to the main boiler removal contractor in late 2026.



Boiler Project Highlights



The clearance of the south side of the Dungeness A site is progressing well, ahead of handing over the area to the main boiler removal contractor



The contract placement for the demolition of the DAMAL (Dungeness A Medium Active Laboratory, radiological building) is now complete with a start date over the summer of 2026.

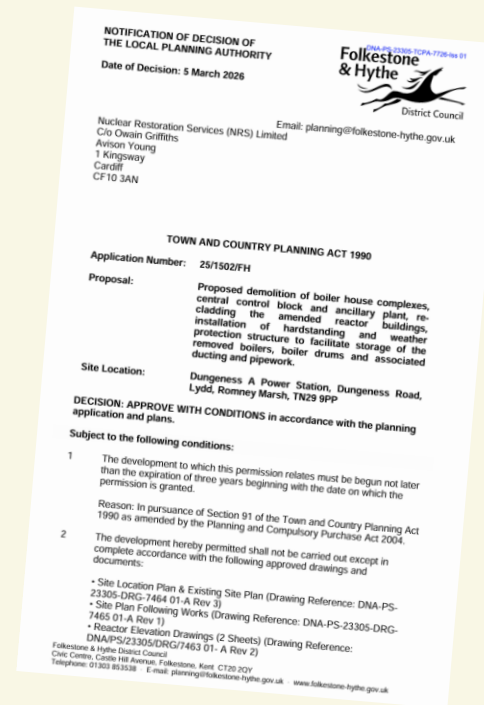
Planning & Biodiversity Net Gain Update

- Planning permission was granted on 05/03/2026 with 9 Conditions, including the Biodiversity Net Gain (BNG) Condition
- Project team members and Central SMEs are managing the conditions and tracking progress

Key Conditions:

- **Design details** - reactor cladding and boiler weatherproofing designs must be submitted to and approved in writing by the LPA
- **Land quality** – details about the depth and type of excavations to be undertaken must be provided to the LPA; NRS must submit and implement a dedicated Groundwater Monitoring Plan for the project
- **Ecology & Biodiversity** – an Ecological Mitigation Strategy and Biodiversity Gain Plan must be submitted to the LPA

**The project's strategy for meeting BNG (via the Rule 4 Exemption or the purchasing of Statutory Biodiversity Credits) has not yet been finalised with the LPA; they have re-consulted Natural England and KCC on this decision.*



Turbine Hall Basement Infill

- Turbine Hall was demolished in 2016
- Infill was required as part of the boilers enabling works, to provide part of the footprint of the large crane for boiler removals
- Physical works conducted Dec 2024 – July 2025
- Up to 30 lorries on turn around per day, 25,000t of infill material were transported to site



Transport / Storage of boilers

Transport and storage of the boilers and gas ducts was removed from the scope of the project by the government during the review of the Outline Business Case. There is work going on outside of NRS to develop a UK based solution to disposal as there are boilers across all the UK nuclear sites.

The boilers and gas ducts will be laid down on a portion of the area which the turbine hall used to occupy until further advice provided (expected to be around 10 years). Once these have been disposed the area will be required to facilitate further decommissioning works so there will be no space on site available for any new development

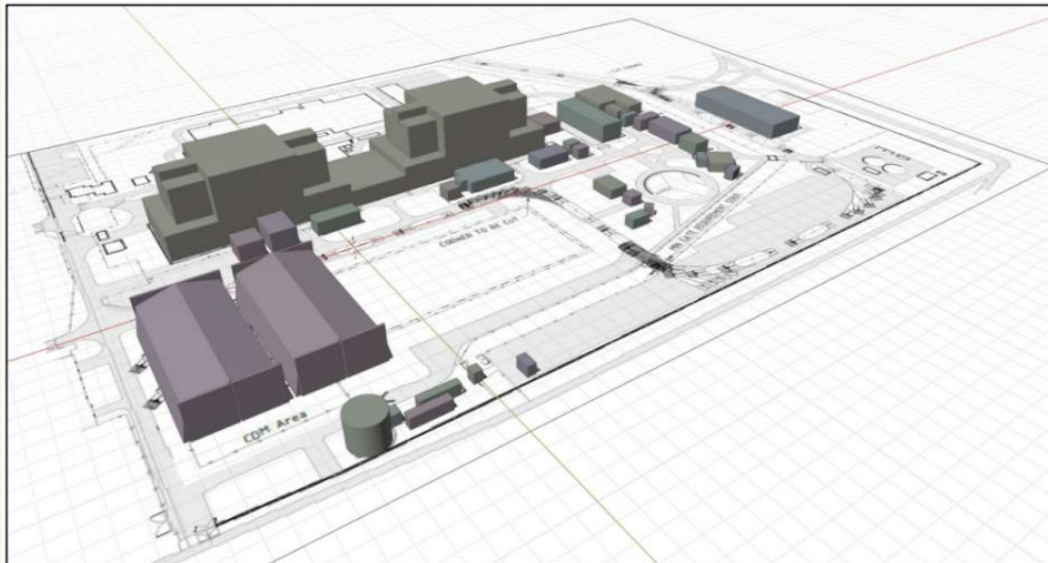


Figure 4-4: Dungeness Site with Laydown Facility for Whole Boilers [21]

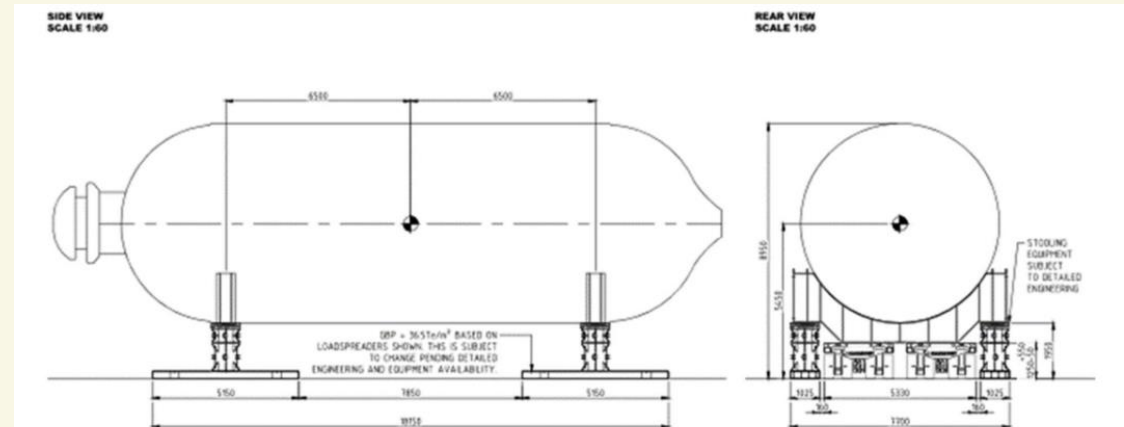


Figure 2.18 General Stabling Arrangement

3 month look ahead – Boiler Removal Project



July	August	September
Complete DESNZ approval of the Full Business Case	Communication with successful Contractor ahead of the Main contract	Contract issued and contractor mobilisation
Continue Electrical Isolation of Reactor Buildings	Complete Electrical Isolation of Reactor Buildings to allow contractor mobilisation	Build evidence packs of assurance for the main contractor
Issue contract for DAMAL (Old Lab) Building demolition	Mobilise contractor for DAMAL demolition	Continue demolition of DAMAL
Continue with clearance of the south side of Dungeness A site	Complete clearance of the south side of Dungeness A site	Handover area to the main contractor
On-board the Principal Designer ahead of the main contract placement		



R2 Cladding Repairs

Works now completed

Background to project:

- Installation of first new cladding panels commenced in January 2025 and completed April 2026
- New lightning protection system installed on South Face as part of these works

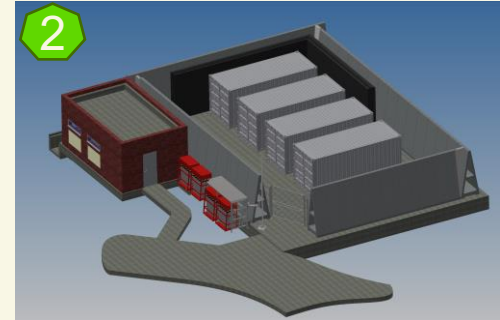
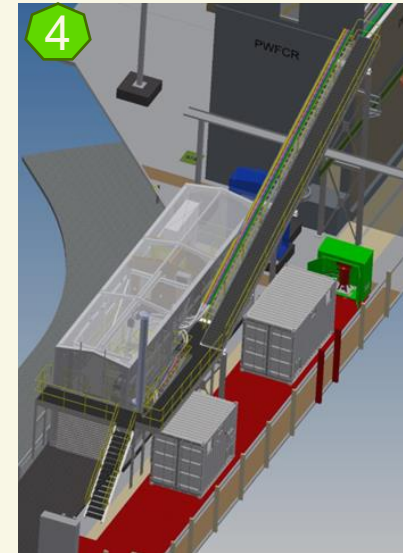
Facts and Figures:

- 2500m² of Cladding removed
- Backing Trays removed as Asbestos Waste
- Lead paint removed on existing steelwork
- Additional Steelwork installed to support new cladding

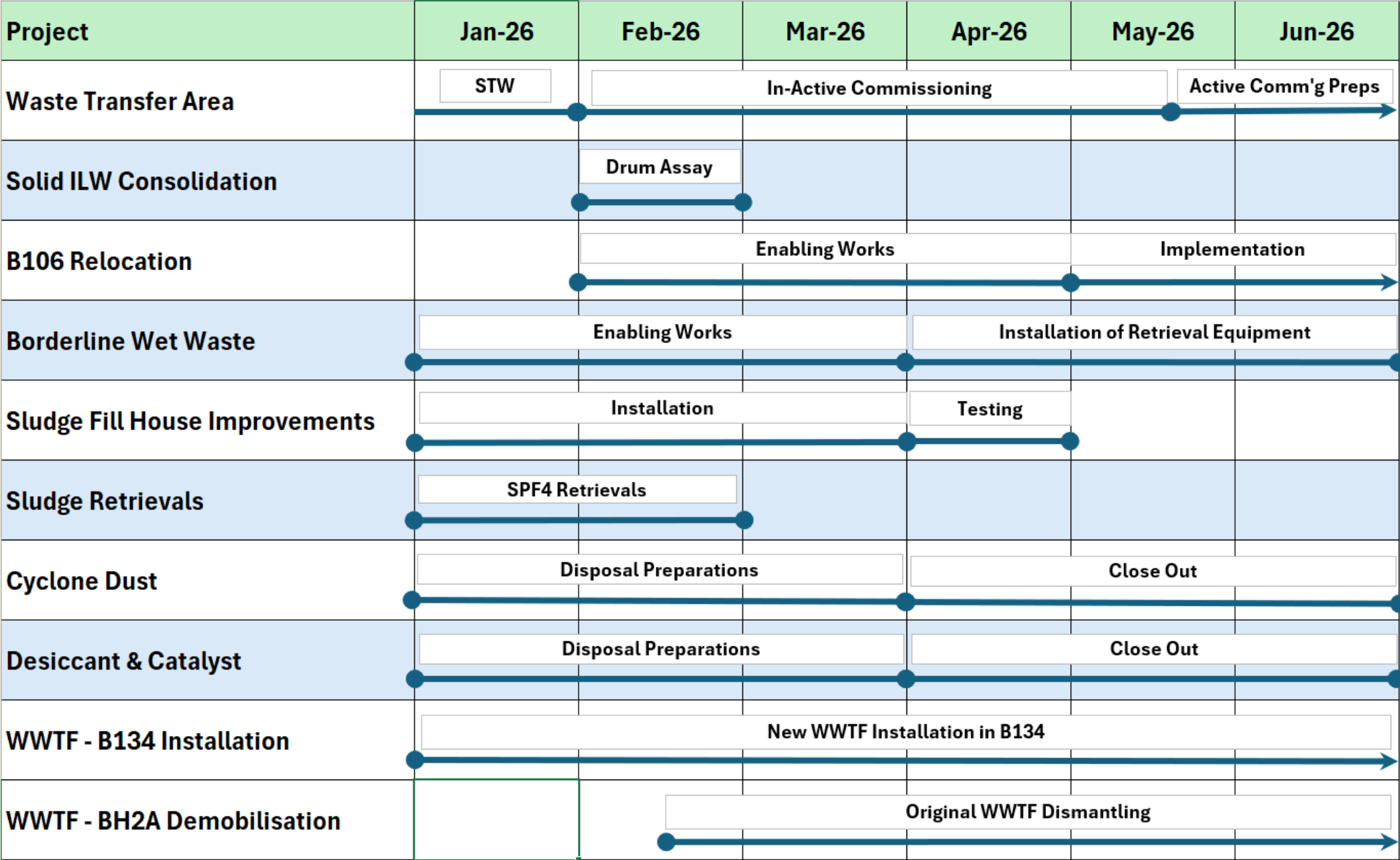


Waste Projects update

1. The solid Intermediate Level Waste (ILW) packaging facility (Waste Transfer Area) is currently undergoing inactive commissioning. This phase is expected to end in June and active commissioning start in July.
2. The second stage of the B106 relocation enabling works will start at the end of June, planning permission is also underway.
3. Borderline Wet Waste site enabling works are ongoing. It is expected that the retrieval equipment will be installed and tested over the next 6 months.
4. The improvements to the Sludge retrieval Fill-house are substantially complete. The mods include a new fire escape, replacing the hose support structure and a new ventilation stack. The Fill-house should be operational again in Aug-26.
5. Cyclone Dust characterisation is ongoing with some Chlorine-36 analysis in progress at the labs. Results expected in July.
6. Wet Waste Transfer Facility (WWTF) – The contractor's installation is progressing well. Contamination enclosure, cranes, control room, cable containment are all complete and cable and ventilation plant installation are in progress.



Waste Projects 6 Month Look-ahead



High Activity Waste (HAW) Update

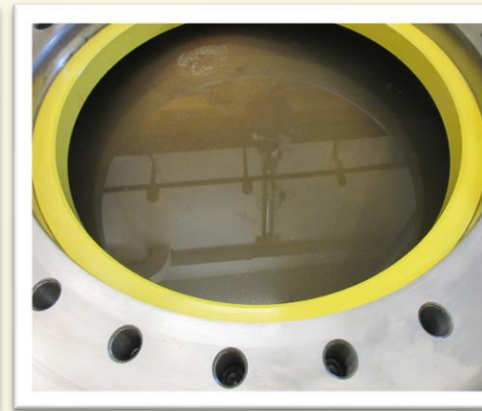
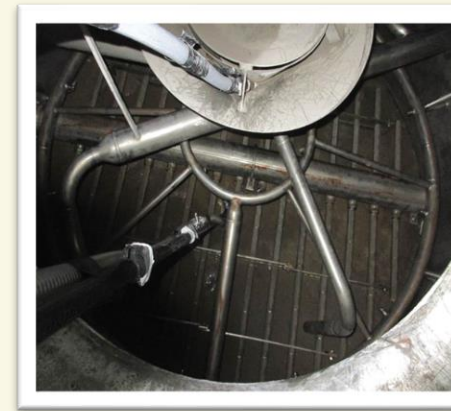
Intermediate Level Waste (ILW) Retrievals/Conditioning and Transport

Sand Pressure Filter 4 (SPF4) – Retrievals Completed

- 1st SPF4 TYPE VI has been conditioned in the advanced vacuum drying system (AVDS).
- Assay completed on the above package.
- Rail shipment planned for the 9th of July
- 2nd SPF4 TYPE VI is stored within 'Decontam' Bay awaiting topping up with SPF3 waste

Sand Pressure Filter 3 (SPF3)

- Commencement of retrievals delayed due to issues with damaged cable and Operational resource availability
- Retrievals to commence w/c 22nd of June



High Activity Waste Operations – 3 Month Look Ahead

June 26	July 26	August 26
• Commence retrievals of ILW 'Sand' from SPF3 • Commence conditioning of 2nd SPF4 package • Continue to support 'Inactive' commissioning of WTA (Waste Transfer Area) • Complete AVDS training	• Continue retrievals of ILW 'Sand' from SPF3 • Commence conditioning of 2nd SPF4 package • Dispatch 1st SPF4 package to Bradwell by rail • Commence 'Active' Commissioning of WTA (Waste Transfer Area)	• Complete retrievals of SPF3 waste • Continue conditioning of 2nd SPF4 package • Continue 'Active' Commissioning of WTA (Waste Transfer Area)

Low Activity Waste (LAW) Update – Last 3 Months

Completed the Processing and Disposal of the following radioactive waste

- 1 x Contaminated Metallic Waste Shipment (3.2te) – **March 2026**
- 4 x Scaffold Waste Shipments dispatched to UNITECH (29.18te) - **May 2026**
- 3 x Scaffold Waste Shipments dispatched to UNITECH (26.14te) – **June 2026**



Completed the Processing and Disposal of the following non-radioactive waste

- 171te of Non-Hazardous Waste
- 33te of Hazardous Waste

Low Activity Waste Operations – FY26/27 Targets

June 2026	July 2026	August 2026
• Dispatch of 6 x scaffold waste shipments to Unitech • Complete Combustible waste drum Shipment • Complete movement of FHISOs from the south side of site, to enable handover to the Boilers contractor. • Continued processing and disposal of contaminated metallic and combustible waste • Continued processing and disposal of Non-Hazardous and Hazardous Waste	• Dispatch of 6 x scaffold waste shipments to Unitech • Waste Clearance App to be implemented • Complete VLLW Drum Shipment • Continued processing and disposal of contaminated metallic and combustible waste • Continued processing and disposal of Non-Hazardous and Hazardous Waste	• Complete Contaminated metallic waste shipment • Continued processing and disposal of contaminated metallic and combustible waste • Continued processing and disposal of Non-Hazardous and Hazardous Waste

Dungeness applications 2025-2026

Dungeness funded projects: £51,761 - A total of 7 projects supported in FY25/26



3 Projects above £2,000 have been supported

- Multi year project – ongoing support of the Romney Marsh Partnership Officer – £33,000
- Rye Harbour Sailability – contribution towards purchasing of a Wheelyboat - £3,000
- Romney Marsh Repair & Repurpose Hub – contribution towards the set up of the Hub - £10,000

4 Good Neighbour projects have been supported

- Dymchurch Village Hall – contribution towards Kitchen refurbishment £1,940.80
- Kent Scouts – water safety equipment - £1,000
- Mickys Boxing Academy – contribution towards gym equipment £819.97
- Hythe & Saltwood Sailing Club – contribution towards a Dingy for junior sailing - £2,000

Aswell as the NRS Socio Economics funding NDA have also invested £300,000.00 into the New Romney Coastal Destination Project.

Nuclear Restoration Services

Socio-economic funding 2025-26



Funding awarded by site:

Berkeley Funding awarded £83,782 Number of applications approved 9	Bradwell Funding awarded £17,918 Number of applications approved 3	Chapelcross Funding awarded £20,699 Number of applications approved 6
Dungeness A Funding awarded £51,761 Number of applications approved 7	Harwell Funding awarded £104,772 Number of applications approved 5	Hinkley Point A Funding awarded £102,000 Number of applications approved 9
Hunterston A Funding awarded £105,086 Number of applications approved 9	Oldbury Funding awarded £62,394 Number of applications approved 8	Sizewell A Funding awarded £123,294 Number of applications approved 4
Trawsfynydd Funding awarded £124,672 Number of applications approved 11	Winfrith Funding awarded £41,298 Number of applications approved 7	Wylfa Funding awarded £172,067 Number of applications approved 10



£1,979,721

139 organisations

NRS Sites has funded **£1,009,743** for **88** organisations within our sites communities. Match funding of £14,323,704, equates to every £1 invested secured £14.18 from other sources. In addition, NDA funding of **£677,495**.

NRS Dounreay has funded **£969,978*** for **51** community organisations. Securing match funding of £1,300,000 from other sources. In addition, NDA funding of **£252,777**.

*In lieu of large capital expenditure this FY Dounreay has focused on enabling, feasibility, and capability projects without significant leverage.

For more information visit:
[NRS working with our communities - GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk/nrs-working-with-our-communities)

NRS SSG update – May/June

Nuclear Restoration Services (NRS) wrapped up the 2025–26 business year with strong results across the group.

We’re growing

Hunterston B joined NRS in April, marking its move into decommissioning. Hinkley Point B will transfer in autumn 2026, with Dungeness B, Torness, Heysham 1 & 2, and Hartlepool set to join over the next decade.

Changes to regulation

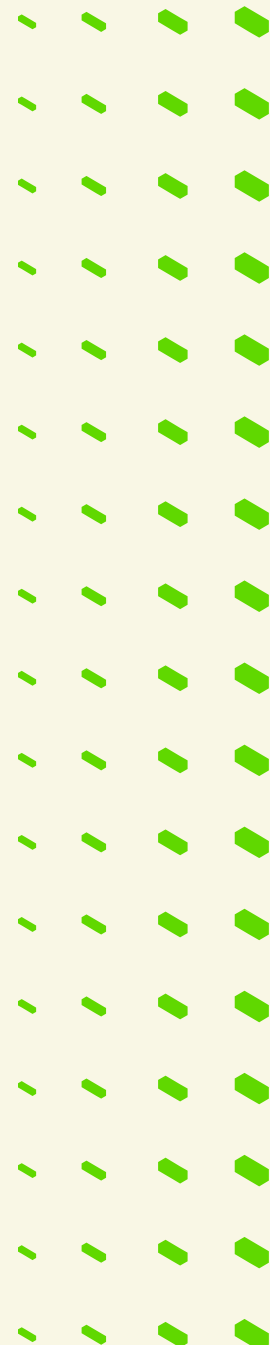
In April 2026, new guidance from the Office for Nuclear Regulation (ONR) shifted focus to risk-led oversight and reduced unnecessary regulatory burden. NRS supports these changes, working with ONR to ensure safety, security, and environmental protection remain priorities.

Elections and stakeholder engagement

Following elections in Scotland, Wales, and parts of England, NRS welcomes new representatives and looks forward to collaborating on decommissioning projects that support safety, jobs, and local communities.

NRS socio-economic funding supports 129 community projects across the UK (2025-26)

Almost £2 million was invested by NRS last year in socio-economic initiatives, supporting charities and good causes in communities local to its 14 decommissioning sites.



Thank you
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questions?