

## The key themes arising from the responses included:

- **Archaeology and cultural heritage** – including location of sites, scheduled monuments and listed buildings.
- **Ecology** – information on areas important to wildlife and details of species found in the area.
- **Landscape and visual** – concerns about the potential visual impacts of development within the different sub-station zones, and how different views might be affected.
- **Public rights of way (PRoW)** – importance of ensuring minimal impacts on PRoW during construction.
- **Flood risk and drainage** – detailed information about historical flooding across the area, and the importance of minimising impact on local drainage systems.
- **Cumulative impact** – other developments in the area were identified and concerns raised about the potential cumulative impact of the DBS projects.