

APPLICATION NUMBER: 25/0991

PROPOSAL: PROPOSED NEW BATTERY ENERGY STORAGE SYSTEM (BESS),
TRENCHING FOR UNDERGROUND CABLING ASSOCIATED WITH THE
SOLAR DEVELOPMENT APPROVED UNDER 23/0989 TOGETHER
WITH ASSOCIATED WORKS

SITE: Land South of Docks Way Disposal Site Docks Way Newport

APPLICATION TYPE: Full

The DAS by Asbri states the site is under the ownership of Newport City Council and consists primarily of hardstanding, measuring approximately 0.612ha.

Site photos would help to confirm this and the site boundary context.

There are no soft landscape proposals. The application should meet LDP GP5 vi:

“the proposal includes an appropriate landscape scheme which enhances the site and the wider context including green infrastructure and biodiversity networks”.

The site plan by Dulas extract below I think shows new corridor planting for the adjacent solar panel site. I have marked in red areas where new planting could be reviewed by a landscape architect, this should include any site constraints to new hedge and tree planting. Whilst appreciating this is an industrial setting, planting opportunities should be taken and would reduce the impact on views of new security fencing and BESS structures in addition to extending potential wildlife corridors.

