



NFLA Wales / Welsh Anti-Nuclear Alliance Joint Seminar:

Nuclear New Build in Wales and the South West – the answer to our energy problems or a costly and counter-productive development?

Date: Saturday 13th March 2010

Location: Park Inn Cardiff City Hotel, Mary Ann Street, Cardiff, CF10 3JH

The UK Government has announced its desire to develop a new generation of nuclear power stations. In its draft Nuclear National Policy Statement (NPS) 10 sites have been nominated as potential sites for such reactors. These include Wylfa in Anglesey and Hinkley Point and Oldbury, just across the border.

Should Wales and the Councils around these sites endorse such a development. Is new nuclear build an important part of the energy mix, as the UK Government suggests or a costly and counter-productive development that reduces the ability of renewable energy sources, energy efficiency and micro-generation to provide real and sustainable energy security. Should there be a public inquiry into a new build programme, as the Welsh Environment Minister has suggested. This seminar will seek the views from politicians across the political spectrum and the perspective of some of the local groups campaigning around the relevant nominated sites.

This joint seminar has been organised by the Nuclear Free Local Authorities Welsh Forum and the Wales Anti-Nuclear Alliance to discuss the issues around new build and its impact on Wales and the South West. It is open to all interested councillors, officers, interested citizen groups and the general public across Wales and the South West.

DRAFT PROGRAMME (speakers may be subject to change)

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| 10.30am | Registration |
| 11.00am | Welcome: Councillor Ed Bridges, Cardiff City Council, NFLA Wales member |
| 11.05pm | Session A - Political perspectives on new nuclear build and energy policy

Chaired by Councillor Ray Davies, Caerphilly CB Council, NFLA Wales member <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Paul Flynn, Labour MP for Newport (confirmed)• Leanne Wood, Plaid Cymru AM for South Wales Central (confirmed)• Mark Williams, Liberal Democrat MP for Cerdigion (invited)• Angela Burns, Conservative AM for Pembrokeshire South (invited) |
| 12.15pm | Panel Discussion |
| 12.45pm | Lunch (not provided, delegates can use hotel restaurant or a number of nearby food facilities) |
| 1.15pm | Session B – Concerns of local campaigning groups on nuclear new build

Chaired by Tim Richards, WANA <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hugh Richards, WANA – concerns over high build radioactive fuel• A speaker from the Low Level Radiation Campaign – concerns over low-level radiation from new build• Jim Duffy, Stop Hinkley – implications of new build at Hinkley Point and Oldbury• Carl Clowes, People Against Wylfa B – implications of new build at Wylfa |
| 2.25pm | Refreshments |
| 2.40pm | Panel discussion |
| 3.00pm | Conclusion |



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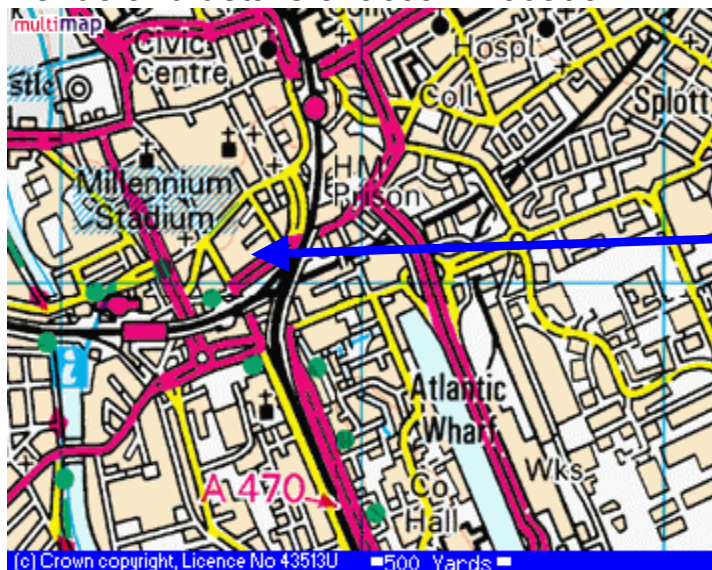
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The seminar is a free event open to all NFLA members and officers and affiliated WANA and linked groups.

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Venue and details of accommodation:



The Park Inn Hotel in Cardiff is 5 minutes walk from Cardiff Central Train Station.

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