Confidentiality and data protection

The postcode that you provide will be used to perform internal checks to ensure the validity of responses, such as identifying a duplicate response where responses have been submitted via several routes.

Information provided in response to this consultation, including personal information, may be subject to publication or disclosure in accordance with the access to information regimes. These are primarily the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOI), the Data Protection Act 1998 and the Environmental Information Regulations 2004.

Under the FOI, there is a statutory Code of Practice with which public authorities must comply and which deals with our confidentiality obligations among other things.

All data collected from this survey will be recorded and findings may be used in further studies by Suffolk County Council.
Your Information

Q1  Please tell us your postcode: 

Q2  Are you completing this questionnaire on behalf of:  (Please select one box)

   ○ Yourself (as an individual)
   ○ A friend or relative (Please answer using their details)
   ○ A District/Town/Parish Council
   ○ A Voluntary or Community Sector Organisation (VCS)
   ○ A Business
   ○ A Farm
   ○ Other, please specify: 

If you are responding on behalf of an organisation, please tell us:

The name of the organisation: 

Who the organisation represents: 

Where applicable, how the views of members were assembled: 

How you use the A12 currently?

Q3  Do you live to the north or south of the existing A12?

   ○ North
   ○ South
   ○ I do not live near the A12

Q4  How far from the existing A12 route do you currently live?  (please tick one option)

   ○ Less than 10m
   ○ 11m-100m
   ○ 101m-200m
   ○ 201m-500km
   ○ 501m-1km
   ○ More than 1km
   ○ I do not live near the A12
**Q5**  How often do you currently make the following trips using the existing A12?

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Your views on the proposals

Q7 What effect do you think the current A12 has on the local area?
- Positive
- Negative
- Neutral

Please only complete Q8 (a, b & c) if you ticked negative in Q7.

Q8a In which of the following areas do you feel that there are currently negative impacts in relation to the existing A12 route? (tick as many as apply)
- Congestion
- Air quality
- Noise impacts
- Vibration from traffic
- Health impacts
- Environmental impacts (other than air quality and noise)
- Safety (including traffic speeds)
- Other areas (please specify)
- Road quality
- Perception of the area
- Ability to serve the needs of local business and support the local economy
- Ability to access the countryside by foot, cycle or horse riding
- Ability to cater for growth in traffic from Potential future developments (e.g. Sizewell C)

Q8b How do these negative impacts affect your daily life?

Q8c Do the negative impacts that you have identified in question 8a make you less likely to undertake the following trips?

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<td>☐ Strongly Agree  ☐ Agree  ☐ Neutral  ☐ Disagree  ☐ Strongly Disagree  ☐ No Opinion</td>
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<td>c. Improve journey time reliability</td>
<td>☐ Strongly Agree  ☐ Agree  ☐ Neutral  ☐ Disagree  ☐ Strongly Disagree  ☐ No Opinion</td>
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<td>d. Improved productivity for the local economy</td>
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<td>e. Reduce ‘community severance’ - dividing community facilities and amenities, other than car or vehicle connections</td>
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Q10  Which of the following statements best reflects your opinion?
(Please select one box)

- I would only support Route Option A
- I would only support Route Option B
- I prefer Route Option A to Route Option B, but would accept Route Option B
- I prefer Route Option B to Route Option A, but would accept Route Option A
- I have no preference between Route Option A and Route Option B
- I do not support either Route Option

Q11  Do you have any further comments about the proposed Route Options?

Route Option A

Route Option B
About you

Please note that this section is optional and you don’t have to complete these questions if you don’t want to.

If you choose not to answer these questions, please tick the ‘Prefer Not to Disclose’ option so that we are aware of your choice.

By providing this information it allows us to see which groups of people are responding to our consultations and which groups are underrepresented. We can then make extra efforts to reach underrepresented groups so that we can consider the views of all groups who may be affected by our plans. It also helps us ensure that everyone is treated fairly and equitably in everything we do. Without your information, we can’t always spot trends and issues which enable us to make appropriate changes or improvements.

All responses to these questions are anonymous; responses are added together and no individuals are identified. Any information provided is governed by the Data Protection Act 1998 which will be treated as strictly confidential.

1. If you choose not to answer any of these questions, please tick the ‘Prefer not to disclose’ option so that we are aware of your choice.
   - Prefer not to disclose

2. Are you:
   - Female
   - Male
   - Prefer to self-describe (please specify): [ ]
   - Prefer not to say

3. Which age group do you fit into?
   - Under 16
   - 16-24
   - 25-34
   - 35-44
   - 45-54
   - 55-64
   - 65-74
   - 75+
   - Do not want to say
4. The provision for disability within equalities legislation defines a person as disabled if they have a physical or mental impairment, which has a substantial and long term (i.e. has lasted or is expected to last at least 12 months) and has an adverse effect on the person's ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities.

**Do you consider yourself to have a disability according to the terms given in the equality legislation:**

- Yes
- No

5. If you have answered ‘yes’ to the above question, please indicate the type of impairment which applies to you from the list below.

People may experience more than one type of impairment, in which case please select all that apply. If your disability does not fit any of these types, please mark ‘Other’.

- Mobility
- Hearing
- Vision
- Learning
- Mental Health
- Communication
- Long standing health condition
- Other (Please state below)
6. **To which of these groups do you consider you belong?**

- Asian or Asian British: Indian
- Asian or Asian British: Pakistani
- Asian or Asian British: Bangladeshi
- Any other Asian background - please specify in the box below.
- Black or Black British: Caribbean
- Black or Black British: African
- Any other Black background - please specify in the box below.
- Chinese
- Mixed: White and Black Caribbean
- Mixed: White and Black African
- Mixed: White and Asian
- Any other Mixed background - please specify in the box below.
- White: English
- White: Irish
- White: Scottish
- White: Welsh
- White: British
- Gypsy or Irish Traveller
- Other white background - please describe
- Do not want to say

7. **Your religion or belief - What group do you most identify with?**

- No religion
- Baha’i
- Buddhist
- Christian
- Hindu
- Jain
- Jewish
- Muslim
- Sikh
- Any other religion or belief (specify if you wish)
8. What is your sexual orientation?

- Bisexual
- Gay man
- Gay woman/Lesbian
- Heterosexual
- No sexuality
- Prefer not to say
- Same sex relationship with a man
- Same sex relationship with a woman
- Other

Please return your completed questionnaire to:
Suffolk County Council,
SEGway consultation,
8 Russell Road,
Endeavour House,
Ipswich,
IP1 2BX

If you would like us to provide you with key updates about Suffolk’s Energy Gateway please send your contact details to: SEGway@suffolk.gov.uk

Thank you
for taking the time to take part in this consultation