

WADDEN SEA DAY 2024

Safeguarding the Wadden Sea: Navigating Green Energy Development in the North Sea

29 August 2024

UNESCO Wadden Sea World Heritage Visitor Centre, Wilhelmshaven, Südstrand 110b

09:30 Registration

Welcome & Session 1

10:00 Opening & welcome

Sascha Klöpfer, Common Wadden Sea Secretariat
Peter Südbek, National Park Authority Lower Saxony
Ann Marie Rasmussen, Chairperson of the Wadden Sea Board

10:15 KEYNOTE: Status and plans to meet the EU targets on energy transition- a policy framework

10:35 KEYNOTE: Status and plans on future developments from the technical perspective

10:55 Spatial planning: key considerations

35-minute coffee break

11:40 Experiences from Norfolk County

Session 2

12:00 Impacts from offshore infrastructure: what does this mean to our work in the Wadden Sea

12:20 Perspectives from independent and knowledge-based think tank

12:40 LANICE project: mitigation practices for cables and pipelines crossing the Wadden Sea

75-minute lunch break

14:15 Views from the NGOs, best practices, call for action

Session 3

14:35 Cumulative effects affecting the Wadden Sea

14:55 Discussion

15:50 Final remarks

45-minute coffee & networking - event ends at 16:45.