

TERNA: RESULTS OF THE PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON THE TYRRHENIAN LINK PRESENTED TO CITIZENS

Terna will discuss local proposals with the Campania Region and Eboli Municipality in the former fruit and vegetable market area and PIP zone

Rome, 31 March 2021 - Today, during a digital “Terna Meets” for citizens of Eboli and Battipaglia, Terna presented the results of the public consultation on the new undersea Tyrrhenian Link initiative.

Terna, in line with its approach of comparison and dialogue with local communities, has evaluated all the proposals received from the territory with particular regard to the location of the substation facilities.

Specifically, Terna is conducting in-depth work in association with the Campania Region and Eboli Municipality on two new possible locations suggested in the consultation phase, which involve analysing the main elements of urban, landscape and environmental protection, as well as technical and social requirements: the area of the former fruit and vegetable market located in San Nicola Varco and an area located in the PIP zone of Eboli Municipality.

During the presentation, Terna also confirmed its commitment to implement compensatory measures in favour of the areas with actions coordinated with the municipal administrations and to verify the feasibility of interventions to rationalise the existing Italian electricity grid in the areas involved in the works.

The Tyrrhenian link is a strategic initiative which will link Campania, Sicily and Sardinia and which, with its 950 km of land and undersea cable and 1000 MW of power, will improve the electricity exchange capacity, promote the development of renewable sources, the reliability of the grid and Italy's entire electricity system.