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Reference: Winterbourne Wind Farm SSD - 10471

I OBJECT to the Winterbourne Wind Farm development.

The reason for my position stated above is the following;

I object the widespread change to the landscape that is destructive to the ecological and natural beauty of our surrounds. The roadworks, set-down areas will be using an enormous amount of gravel, and we are worried about the disruption of carting this gravel through the district to make this happen.

I am worried about the disposal of the components at the end of life of the project. I am worried about the decommissioning of the project at the end of life, as there is no bond in place for the de-commissioning costs. What is stopping a developing company filing for bankruptcy when the obligation of de-commissioning is required?

I am worried that this is not a secure source of energy, and that we are being burdened with technology that will be out dated, as has occurred in Europe. This is a very permanent development, and will scar the landscape for generations.

I am worried that if it goes ahead, that the town will be under enormous pressure during the construction period, potentially forcing people to move elsewhere, and then leaving a ghost town.

Kind regards,

Lorna Egli

Signature *Lorna Egli*