

Dear Planning Inspectorate

I wish to register my objections to the proposed construction of Sizewell C as follows:

- the site of this new reactor and the storage for 100 years of spent nuclear fuel on a fragile and eroding coast which will be subject to rising sea levels;
- the huge disruption to our local Suffolk Coastal communities from an extra 12,000 vehicles on the already overstretched A12, the area's main arterial road, which will cause huge delays when the A12 becomes blocked or closed, with our small rural roads being used as rat runs and dangerous delays for emergency, agricultural, livestock and delivery vehicles, as well as access to and from our villages;
- EDF wants to bring its Hinckley workers to Sizewell and estimates that 6,000 workers will come into the area. Claims of jobs for locals seem at odds with EDF's definition of local being upto 90 miles away;
- Tourists will stay away. Sizewell C will hugely damage the tourism of this area and cause economic damage to our local economy. The Suffolk Coast and Heaths AONB will be cut in two by the construction and its surrounding protected wildlife habitats adversely and permanently affected, the associated environmental degradation through traffic pollution, dust from huge spoil heaps, bright lights and environmental destruction will deter tourists from visiting. The economic damage is estimated at £40 million with the loss of 400 jobs.
- there is no assured long term source of water for Sizewell C so EDF have, at the last minute, been forced to consider the construction and operation of a desalination plant;
- the funding of Sizewell C is thus far unconfirmed with EDF urging a nuclear tax on energy bills for all consumers;
- construction of Sizewell C is estimated to last 10-12 years so energy generation would not commence until at least 2034. It's a long time to wait when the current energy needs of the country are at crisis point and renewable energy technology is more quickly available.
- Nuclear energy is NOT a green energy.

Yours sincerely

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