

## SCOTTISH POWER ENQUIRY JUNE 2021

I have not been able to participate in the Zoom meetings taking place as I do not have access to Zoom. This has made keeping informed on procedures very difficult. Although what I have managed to find out does confirm my original concerns that the proposed Scottish Power & National Grid sub-stations along with the haul roads & cable runs would contribute to major disruption both to the surrounding area & quality of life during construction & in operation with a big impact on the heritage, wildlife, peace & quiet of the area.

Also I am very worried about the potential for flooding through Friston during construction & on completion. This was confirmed last Friday 18th. June after only 33mm. of rain fell in the morning which resulted in road flooding. This was followed by large volumes of water in the early afternoon discharging past Woodside Farm into the drainage channel originating from the proposed Scottish Power site. If the rain had continued into the afternoon this would have resulted in a major flooding incident in our village.

I fully support the views of SASES, SEAS & SOS to stop this very badly uncoordinated development by Scottish Power & National Grid. The disruption caused during recent survey work over the past few weeks is already showing how unsuitable is the proposed location of the sub-stations.

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