From:

East Anglia ONE North; East Anglia Two

Subject:

East Anglia One North / East Anglia Two, proposed substation at Friston in Suffolk

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Dear Sir, Madam,

I am writing to implore you to prevent this atrocity happening to Friston. I have lived in this little village since 1987 and raised my family here. There have been many changes good and bad but the proposals for this substation are totally intolerable. It is even more upsetting to know that this situation could have been avoided if the cable route from Bawdsey to Bramford had been used.

I often cycle to work and the route I take out of Friston is along the Grove road. Whilst the recent ground surveys have been taking place and the trenches were being dug out we had some rain, and the amount of flooding and muddy water flowing into the village was far worse than usual, which begs the question what will it be like if the building work for the substation is allowed to commence? The upheaval that would be caused to this quiet rural idyll and the threat to health, mental and physical cannot be predicted.

Vast swathes of our countryside are disappearing to make way for housing and roads. The amount of prime farmland we are losing is worrying. If it were to turn out that the loss of this beautiful piece of our countryside is due to an oversight this would be a travesty paid for by generations to come.

How can this wind powered energy possibly be called "green" when it requires so much destruction to be brought ashore?

The Energy companies are destroying rural England in their quest to deliver "green" energy, they will also be destroying lives. Please make these people find an alternative.

Yours faithfully

Carolyn Ridgeon