

## Objection to the proposed CHP incinerator at Wisbech (MVV Environment)

I write as a resident of Wisbech to lodge my objection to the proposed CHP scheme by MVV Environment. This scheme is ill thought through, inappropriate for the area and will cause untold damage to the town and its residents.

The scheme is far too close to residential areas and major schools and the effects on the health and welfare of residents should be a prime consideration in the decision on this development. The cost is too high for the minimal benefit of a handful of long term jobs created by the site. Any jobs created by the construction phase of the project are likely to benefit contractors outside the local area and will bring very little economic benefit to the area. Other schemes in the UK have shown that being near such a site is detrimental to health and this should be a serious consideration for any future scheme.

The scheme will introduce a terrific number of additional lorry movements into the town. The road infrastructure is inadequate for this increase as it is already under pressure and barely functioning. Anyone that lives in the area will tell you how often they sit in traffic queues and tailbacks, on a daily basis, just to get to work or take children to school, this will cripple the existing network. The siting of this development in a highly populated, busy area is inappropriate and without significant investment in the surrounding infrastructure, is unsustainable for the long term.

Burning waste should be a last resort after every possible action has been taken to recover and recycle everything possible, this scheme has not demonstrated robustly enough that they will only take waste that is not recoverable or usable by any other means. This "green" scheme is in no way green, they are not taking waste to create clean energy, they are burning waste to make money at the expense of the residents of Wisbech. Something we neither need or want.

This scheme should be rejected at every level of government and the needs and wants of the local residents should mean this scheme will never come to fruition.

Regards,

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