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- 1. The fact that I have to make another objection to you, the Examining Authority, at this moment in time against this proposal by MPSFL to build a solar voltaic (PV) array very close to my home is unbelievably infuriating. Surely "why is me opposing this" and "I don't want this" enough?
- 2. I have attended many public consultations and online webinars, written objections, distributed leaflets and spoken to all my friends, family and villagers concerning this abomination. All to no avail because the size of the proposal causes NSIP status. This process is requiring me to respond to the MPS Development with evidenced points gleaned from the thousands upon thousands of details produced by MPSF. I am not in the privileged position to have a team of people to employ to cover every aspect, nor the corporation money, nor the time to be able to study, assimilate and then write my representation. I feel totally disadvantaged but furious that my contribution will be disregarded as flippant and therefore unimportant to this decision that will be made on my behalf!
- 3. My mental health is suffering at the sheer enormity of this proposal. Despite lessons learnt from Covid lockdowns on the value of open, green spaces improving mental and physical health and wellbeing, my beautiful environment would become industrialised at an unprecedented scale. The biggest in the UK. Ruining the smallest County!
- 4. I do live in the smallest County with many small communities' bur SURELY this does not make us any less significant?
- 5. My family home is in Ryhall. My parents chose this village so that our family could be brought up living in the country with green rolling views clean air, where living creatures are celebrated and looked after. This proposal would negate this choice. My and my entire community will have this chosen way of life wiped out. For at least 40 years, or longer, which could be my lifetime!
- 6. I, we, were so excited at the thought of our child growing up in this area. Not any more, with the sentence of this development hanging over us.
- 7. Prioritising industrialisation over community feelings and objections is abhorrent. Robbing Peter to pay Paul.
- 8. Allowing corporations to do this work to me is lazy governance. To consider and approve this proposal is completely irresponsible. Their only motivation is driven by making money.
- So many villagers know about this outrageous proposal because I have delivered pamphlets through doors to try and communicate the threat of this enormous blot on the landscape. MP have been extremely incompetent in delivery of their proposal and their lack of consideration has convinced me of their dishonesty.
- 10. Many elderly villagers have absolutely no chance of engaging in this complex process to make their voices heard. You do know their message which is they do not want this proposal here or anything like it, ever. Solar panels belong on roofs. It will certainly change their last memories of such a disappointing world they are passing on to their children and grandchildren. This cannot possibly be the right outcome?
- 11. After Brexit the government said the UK must concentrate on in-house food production. There would be little BMV productive farmland left if this application was to be realised. The flood gates would open. This county would be the first to spiral downwards to be the most exploited country in the world.

12. If this MP proposal is approved my faith in the government will genuinely be obliterated, they will have approved it solely for financial gain.

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