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I understand the developer thinks the area is already industrial due to the power stations and therefore the solar panels would not detract from the rural feel of the area. I disagree with this, the power stations have been in situ for many years and do not affect the landscape from where I live or cause any disturbance, whereas the solar panels would be a blot on the immediate landscape.

I think this shows utter desperation to get this project agreed as the power plants are just a distant landmark. The developer claims that hedges will screen the 800,000+ solar panels, security fencing, and 5-meter-tall security cameras, and would lessen our awareness of them when driving, walking, cycling, and other activities. I disagree, they would be forever an eyesore which none of the local community want or need.

In addition to my aesthetic concerns for the area, I also have concerns over the battery storage facility. I don't think enough work has been done on mitigating public risk.

I think the developers claims that the solar farm will produce large amounts of low carbon electricity is a myth and they are only interested in the site for monetary reasons, ie greed!!!!

I, and the majority of the community in Kexby, believe this is just a money making exercise and am totally against the project. The fields are best left as greenfield and the landscape unspoilt.