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The various speakers at West Burton Open floor hearing 24 Jan 2024 covered the many issues with this and the other applications. I agree with the speakers and did not want to repeat to save time. The representative for the applicant spoke at the end but did not provide answers or any reason at all to allay the negative impacts. There was no opportunity to respond to the applicant response. This would have allowed a more useful and effective hearing. Extending the time of this hearing would have been justified saving time overall.

Our fears were justified with evidence given by many. I requested for an accurate report which all members of the public can understand on behalf of both the UK citizen and the local residents to be impacted.

Please can this be shown with a pictorial map just how the area will be changed by each applicant in these areas which crosses counties.

The number of applicants has escalated along with the area to be impacted. 13000 acres or more for years (40 to 60) years.

Responsibilities and funding has not been provided. Tax payer subsidising for the benefit of others who may not even be in the UK, not to mention in the area they want to move in on. How can this benefit the areas/ local residents without degrading and reducing quality of soil land habitats for humans and wildlife.

A cost benefit analysis has not been provided for either individual or combined applications has not been provided. No acceptable answers regarding the safety storage efficiency and distribution have been provided.

This is negatively displacing the use of land on a very large scale with no overall benefit. Destroying harming and risking human and wildlife for a mixed set of individuals to benefit financially is unacceptable.

Destructive to a large area of the UK both in the short and long term. It will be an invasion of these panels and dangerous batteries. No one wants to loose the precious land and countryside, being surrounded and feeling imprisoned by work of these applicants if accepted.

The recent flooding is yet another reason not to use the land inappropriately.

Install effective solutions for energy not destroy what currently exists. Loss of energy due to poor capture storage and distribution is only part of the many issues with this technology and installation. Please provide a cost benefit analysis / all advantages and disadvantages in an accurate report for the whole process from start to end of life of these solar farms with responsibilities for this and the other Solar Farm Applications not excluding Cottam, Tilbridge, Gate Burton etc.

Regards

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