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To: [Byers Gill Solar](#)
Subject: Re hearings on 14th Oct regarding Compulsory acquisition Hearing 1
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Hi my interested party reference number is 20047681

I received a letter from Michael Baker Project Manaher Byers Gill regarding this issue and a request was made in said letter for landowner consent regarding subsoil interests.

This letter requested I consent in writing to the "inclusion of the additional compulsory acquisition powers described over your subsoil interests" it also offered I got in touch to engage with the team should I have queries.

As you can appreciate I had numerous questions to this jargon filled letter which was highly confusing and concerning. I consent in no way to this compulsory acquisition request and am wholly against the project. In Brafferton where I live the village is very old with narrow roads and barely passable by cars - to have the roads dug up and machinery up and down it, will cause damage and make it unlivable during this process! Let alone what this means for my own land and property (as the letter really does not make this clear) I contacted the team via the email address provided on 9th Oct 2024 and have to date had no acknowledgement of my email.

I want it noting that I do not consent, I'm unhappy with the lack of communication and lack of acknowledgement that I have tried to make contact to discuss. This is unacceptable and therefore an unfair process. I listened when I could to the audio on this matter on the 14th Oct and it is not even clear what the impact will be given highways couldn't answer questions on depth etc of roads, they acknowldeged many roads are "ancient". Do they even know what other utilities are under these roads like gas and water pipes? what is the impact on those? As a resident with the potential to be massively impacted by these works (should this go ahead) we deserve better commnication from the applicant to make informed choices.

Regards

Mrs Swainston