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I object strongly that this access is being granted to Aquind without the agreement of Portsmouth and surrounding area communities by the central government. The detrimental effect, access and disruption which are going to affect the people living here are being ignored. We are supposed to live in a democracy yet the central government continue to make decisions over our heads and refuse to accept local democracy, why is this right in 2020?

Local communities should be listened to as they are the ones who will suffer disruptions, ill effect and failure caused by any works being carried out. No one has considered the effect on the environment which the government is paying lip service to whilst telling us that they support a 'green' economy and environment issues. What is the point of democracy if the central government keeps on over ruling the decisions made locally that will affect us detrimentally?

An angry resident

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