From:
To: Aquind Interconnector
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I write with regard to 3 letters I have now received dated 9th Nov, 11th Nov & 20th Nov, all relating to different sections regarding the above application.

I am dismayed that you do not actually specify the changes this firm are proposing to make to their planning application. Indeed, I am not alone in feeling you are being specifically vague. I live in the world would be helpful if you could send to residents specific changes this firm is proposing as they seem to be changing their plans on a regular basis.

Furthermore, I would reiterate that outside of London Portsmouth is the most densely populated City. The whole route for this I'll thought out plan will only cause to serve severe disruption to Portsmouth, Farlington, Denmark, Waterlooville & Lovedean. They are proposing to compulsory purchase properties, destroy hedgerows & cause serious problems to one of the busiest routes into Portsmouth. Regarding where I live, they were proposing to put their unwanted pipes & fibre cables through allotments. Milton Common itself has beneath it toxic waste & other unknown rubbish as it was a landfill site originally. It now appears they have altered this & propose to run these pipes underneath the pavement, which is directly in front of peoples drives & garages. This is totally unacceptable, you cannot expect access to be denied to residents getting on to their drives & houses. Not only that, there is the unknown risks to health by doing this. No doubt Aquind have a compensation policy for this.

Regarding going along Eastern Road, this is the busiest route in & out of Portsmouth. In fact 1 of only 2 for our City. This will cause untold mayhem & misery for residents. Going further along the route, I see they propose to dig up Sainsbury Car Park. This is a thoroughly ludicrous proposition. Now take Denmark, a rural area. Digging up precious hedgerows will be damaging to the environment. Another ludicrous proposal as they then double back to Waterlooville through to Lovedean. To even be able to compulsory purchase properties on the whim of this ridiculous project is unthinkable. By virtue of all the sudden changes for this project demonstrates this project has been ill thought out from the start.

The MP'S for the area are united in opposing this project, as is the Council. Residents opposition in the areas concerned is growing as they become aware of this project. Residents of the areas affected on the French side are also totally opposed to it.

Finally, this nightmare proposal is, I believe, totally at odds with the fact that the has categorically stated that he wants our future energy to be produced by Wind Farms within a certain period of time. Therefore, this will make the proposal defunct within a small matter of time.

I will oppose this project vehemently & trust you will provide a comprehensive change of planning application instead of sending letters people do not understand

Susan Caffrey