Redhill Solar Farm Planning Application

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A planning application for a 50Mw Solar Farm coving 115 hectares on Wrington Hill, has been received by North Somerset Council. Renewable energy like solar power is the way forward, but rather than conserving our environment, this huge industrial scale site, the size of Bristol Airport, will destroy one of our most precious remaining areas of beautiful woodland and countryside.

Huge industrial site

This will be one of the largest Solar Farms in the country, containing battery storage areas the size of a small bungalow, and completely surrounded by 2m high fencing with security cameras watching your every move.

Totally inappropriate location

The aesthetic beauty and importance to wildlife conservation of this site cannot be over stated. It is entirely on greenbelt land, and surrounded on 3 sides by woodland, designated as Sites of Special Scientific Intertest (SSSI). It has beautiful views across Wrington vale to the Mendip hills.

Lost for generations to come

Despite reassurances from the developer, in all probability this site will never return back to it's natural state. In 40 years time at it's end of life, we will still need power. There will be enormous pressure to renew the licence, or develop the now 'brownfield' site for eco-homes.

Beginning of the end for greenbelt

Approving this application will open the way for further 'eco-initiatives' on greenbelt land. Being surrounded by greenbelt, Redhill village has enjoyed a protected status which may be lost, as the pressure for more eco-homes increases.

Object to this planning application now on the North Somerset Council website:

https://planning.n-somerset.gov.uk Planning application: 24/P/1726/EA1



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