

Consultee Comments for Planning Application 24/00161/FUL

Application Summary

Application Number: 24/00161/FUL

Address: Land West Of Bradmore Road And North Of Wysall Road Land West Of Wysall Wysall

Proposal: Construction, operation and subsequent decommissioning of a renewable energy park comprising ground mounted Solar PV with co-located battery energy storage system (BESS) at the point of connection, together with associated infrastructure, access, landscaping and cabling.

Case Officer: Gareth Elliott

Consultee Details

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On Behalf Of: Rempstone Parish Council

Comments

Following the submission of further documentation, Rempstone Parish Council continues to object to this application on the following grounds:

The scale of the development, this site is immediately adjacent to another solar farm which has recently gained planning consent, the two sites combined have a capacity of 99MW this is in excess of the 50MW limit before national government approval is required. It was felt that is a fragmented approach to applications to avoid national consideration.

As these two sites are adjoining the Council believe the cumulative impact of both together should be considered rather than the Borough Council taking a piecemeal approach.

The surrounding road infrastructure is not suitable for the size of vehicles proposed during the construction phase, many being narrow country roads, this will have an impact on the safety of residents who routinely use these roads.

The land is workable land, with much previously being used for food production and this should take precedence.