Consultee Comments for Planning Application 22/00319/FUL

Application Summary

Application Number: 22/00319/FUL

Address: Land To The West Of Wood Lane And Stocking Lane Kingston Estate Gotham

Nottinghamshire NG11 0LF

Proposal: Installation of renewable energy generating solar farm comprising ground-mounted photovoltaic solar arrays, together with substation, inverter stations, security measures, site access, internal access tracks and other ancillary infrastructure, including landscaping and biodiversity enhancements

Case Officer: Craig Miles

Consultee Details



Comments

I object to this application.

The harm to the greenbelt far outweighs the benefit from this development.

The land on which it is proposed to build this, is of agricultural value and we need to preserve such land to provide more food production to enhance our food security.

The use of pesticides proposed on this site contravenes the RBC policy of reducing the use of harmful chemicals.

The figures quoted in regard to the energy obtained from this development are challenged by experts so the benefit is likely to fall far below that suggested.

The strength of feeling from the local communities, evidenced by the comments from members of the public, East Leake, West Leake and Gotham Parish Councils, and Borough Council Ward Members, needs to be taken into account.

This area of Rushcliffe is being bombarded by such applications and before long the communities in the south of the county could be surrounded by solar farms. The cumulative effect needs to be considered.

I support the generation of green energy but solar panels should be on roofs, not on agricultural land and amenity space.