

REPRESENTATION SUBMITTED ONLINE**PLANNING APPLICATION REFERENCE: 1/16/9005****REPRESENTATIVE CONTACT DETAILS**

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DATE REPRESENTATION RECEIVED:**29 July 2016****RESPONSE:****Object****COMMENT:**

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Compliance with the local plan (i.e. local planning policy) The current site is identified as the preferred location in the 2012 site allocations policies and proposals maps due to governments new development plan system this plan has been abandoned and there seems to be a vacuum with regards to detailed County planning.

Design Out of Keeping with the Character of the Area -despite the fact that the proposed location is in an industrial estate, the types of development on the estate are mainly warehousing, showrooms and office accommodation. This would be the first combustion type of process in the estate and it is adjacent to a local nature reserve and close to a residential area with a junior and primary school.

Dominant and Oppressive Environment Created by the Proposal - This development includes very large structures which will have huge impact on the outlook from the elevated areas of Lowry Hill Road and some locations around the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

Excessive Noise, Dust, Smell or Nuisance - The plan is to service this incinerator with 100 HGV deliveries per day. Each of these deliveries will require the reversing of the HGV into the reception hall with accompanying reversing beeps. I am concerned that this will cause significant disturbance and distress especially when this occurs during the night, over weekends and holiday periods. I am also concerned that the distance from the nearest residential accommodation (730 metres) means that the noise of the waste treatment and the generator will cause

disturbance especially during the night. I am concerned that this type of technology (untested in the UK) will inevitably result in frequent shut downs for maintenance or breakdown. I am concerned that, at these times, there will be a build up of smelly waste waiting to be incinerated (as occurred at the Dumfries ERF plant) and that this will increase flies and rodents in the area.

Impact upon Conservation Areas - The development is very close (perhaps 300 to 400 metres) to the Kingmoor Nature Reserve, a highly valued area for dogwalkers and family walks. I am concerned that the outlook and perceived safety concerns will affect the value of this reserve.

It's Position in Respect of Government Planning Policy - There is considerable concern from the residents that whilst the pollution levels proposed may be lower than the pollution arising from Kingmoor Road, there is a ERF facility near Dumfries that has repeatedly failed to keep the required emissions standards. It has proved difficult to do anything about this problem within a reasonable timeframe. WRAP EFW guidelines indicate that these facilities should not be located near residential areas, school or local nature reserves. The proposed facility is very close to Kingmoor Nature Reserve, Kingmoor Junior School and the Lowry Hill residential estate.

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Too much traffic. Too near to nature reserve. Danger of contamination after major fire.

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DATE REPRESENTATION RECEIVED:**1 August 2016****RESPONSE:****Object****COMMENT:**

Objection to the Proposal for an Energy from Waste Plant ref PL\1572\05(1/16/9005)

Dear Madam or Sir,

Kindly register my objection to the proposal as submitted by Stephenson Halliday and described in the various documents that are now accessible on the Cumbria County Council web site. My objection is in two parts:

- a) A challenge to the sustainability of the proposal, on the basis of the published data
- b) An objection to the choice of site, on the basis that no adequate alternative site has been considered.

I wish to make it clear that I trust that the Council will come to a decision that, in its opinion, serves the best interests of the whole of the county, and that it is in the interests of all to reduce quantity of refuse buried as landfill. I have no objection to the intention of getting energy and employment from waste. I simply hope that the Council will examine the proposal very carefully because the documents presented by the applicant appear to have major deficiencies.

Sustainability

There appear to be discrepancies in the figures given in the proposal documents. There may be misleading information, and the information submitted should be scrutinised by the Committee for its consistency. The proposal states (at KNG-ES11-Traffic and Transportation, 11.16) that

'The Development will use Refuse Derived Fuel, this will be sourced from commercial, industrial and municipal waste and biomass. This material will be sourced from commercial operators....'

(At 11.47) the waste will be up to 195,000 tonne/y

(At 11.48) the origin is unknown but it would be sourced from existing waste facilities (of which Hespin Wood and the Rockcliffe Estate account for 68% (34 +17 +17) and Barrow and Dumfries/Galloway the remaining 32%.)

These figures imply a total waste requirement (to achieve the 22MW output presumably) of probably more than four times the municipal waste that currently enters the Hespin Wood landfill site. If we count a local population of 108,000 producing municipal waste at 500kg/y per person, the available resource would amount to only about 54,000 tonne/y, minus the portion that is incombustible.. I cannot believe that the intention is to mine the existing landfill, or that the Rockcliffe Estate produces more refuse than the rest of Carlisle. The proposal appears to be misleading, and I wonder whether the major source of fuel will not be the municipal and industrial refuse, but rather biomass in some form. It may qualify for some government support in respect of the refuse-derived element, but the committee must assess the basis on which the project claims long-term sustainability.

Alternative Site Assessment

The consideration of alternative sites (KNG Alternative Sites Assessment) has been limited to the area within 7km of the centre of Carlisle. This is a strange restriction, because the rest of the proposal indicates that the major source of refuse is at the Hespin Wood site, and that other sources are as far away as Barrow and Dumfries. The immediate impression is that the proposers wish to benefit from their land at Kingmoor, and have therefore not considered a fair range of alternative sites. In view of the fact that the proposal is to use some new technology, a site close to the A7, between M6 junction 44 and Longtown would be more suitable because there will certainly be accidental releases of dust, ash and other pollutants from the plant, and it is unwise to site such facilities upwind of or close to schools and residential areas.

Yours faithfully

██████████ (Chartered Mechanical Engineer)

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@live.co.uk>
Sent: 10 July 2016 20:54
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Application Number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Dear Sirs,

I wish to raise an strong objection to the application detailed above with my reasons for my objection being detailed below:

1. Design out of keeping with the character of the area

Despite the fact that the proposed location is in an industrial estate the types of development on the estate are mainly warehousing, showrooms and office accommodation. This would be the first major combustion type of process in the estate and it is adjacent to a local nature reserve and close to a residential area with a junior and primary school. Its extremely unsightly and not in keeping with the area at all.

2.Dominant and oppressive environment created by the proposal

This development includes very large structures which will have a huge impact on the outlook from the elevated areas of Lowry Hill Road and some locations around the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

3.Excessive noise, dust, smell or nuisance

The plan is to service this incinerator with 100 HGV deliveries per day. Each of these deliveries will require the reversing of the HGV into the reception hall with accompanying reversing beeps. We are concerned that this will cause significant disturbance and distress especially when this occurs during the night, over weekends and during holiday periods, never mind the impact on my day-to-day journey to and from work (parkhouse road).

We are also concerned that the distance from the nearest residential accommodation (730m) means that the noise of the waste treatment and the generator will cause disturbance especially during the night. We are concerned that this type of technology (untested in the UK) will inevitably result in frequent shutdowns for maintenance or breakdown. We are concerned that at these times there will be a build up of smelly waste waiting to be incinerated (as occurred at the Dumfries EfW plan) and that this will increase flies and rodents in the area.

4. Impact upon Conservation areas

The development is very close (perhaps 300-400m) to the Kingmoor Nature Reserve, a highly valued area for dog walkers and family walks. We are concerned that the outlook and perceived safety concerns will affect the value of this reserve.

5. Its position in respect of Government Planning Policy.

There is considerable concern from the residents that while the pollution levels proposed may be lower than the pollution arising from Kingmoor Road, there is a EfW facility near Dumfries that has repeatedly failed to keep to the required emissions standards. It has proved difficult to do anything about this problem within a reasonable timeframe.

WRAP EfW guidelines indicate that these facilities should not be located near residential areas, school or local nature reserves.

The proposed facility is very close to Kingmoor nature reserve, Kingmoor Junior School and the Lowry Hill residential estate.

6. Visual or Landscape Impact

The image on the planning proposal (KNG-017cG Visuals A3.indd) gives some indication of the significant visual impact to Lowry Hill residents. This impact will be even greater at some of the entrances to and exits from the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

I have considered the application in great depth and cannot see any benefit from the planning permission being granted, therefore i strongly object to the proposal.

Regards

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Sent: 09 July 2016 20:14
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Lowry Hill proposed incinerator PL/1572/05 (1/16/9005)

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Dear Sir/Madam,

Ref: PL/1572/05 (1/16/9005)

I would like to register my objection to the above proposal.

1. There is no track record for a facility of this type: would it not be better to have a more coherent overall strategy?
2. The proposed incinerator deals with a problem rather than a solution: surely we need to be encouraging reduction of waste rather than dealing with what is produced? Other European countries have perfectly reasonably been able to adopt this as a strategy, and there is evidence to suggest that once one incinerator is built others follow.
3. Concerns about toxic waste in a residential area are my greatest concern.
4. What happens if there is a shutdown? How will waste be dealt with? Is there a back up plan?

I'm concerned that this proposal has been badly thought out and is simply not part of an overall waste/recycling strategy.

Your sincerely,

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From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Sent: 15 July 2016 11:36
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Application Number PL\1572\05(1/16/9005)

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I wish to register my objection to the building of a waste incinerator so close to the City on the grounds of its proximity to both housing and schools. I believe in recent years Scotland road has failed pollution tests and this could only reduce the air quality for those who live in North Carlisle. As Carlisle airport becomes busier this will also increase pollution.

The building size is of great aesthetic concern and at the height it is could not be screened in anyway. I don't believe there isn't any space away from urbanisation that could be used as an alternative site if the council are determined to turn Carlisle into a dumping ground for Cumbria.

Yours sincerely

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk>
Sent: 15 July 2016 13:29
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Proposed Waste Plant at Kingmoor Park Industrial Estate

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Flagged

Application Number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

This email is being sent as a formal objection to the proposed Energy Recovery Facility on Kingmoor Park. The fact that Cumbria County Council have designated this site as their preferred location for a colossal rubbish burning complex, located so close to many residential areas, in my opinion is profoundly short sighted and deeply disappointing. As a rural county there must be land located well beyond residential areas where such a facility might be much less obtrusively and more safely located and operated. Electricity can be passed along wires over great distances. The source does not have to be literally next door to any proposed business end users along with thousands of Carlisle residents.

My principal grounds for formally objecting are:

1. In terms of both size and purpose, the plant seems completely out of character with the local area.
2. It may deter future more sympathetic industrial, social, recreational and commercial development. This means that in the medium to long term, it could impact negatively on the future prosperity and appeal of the city of Carlisle.
3. The main structure of the plant will dominate the landscape and infrastructure due to its enormous size and the nature and extent of its activity.
4. The height of the incinerator chimney will mean it is visible for miles around; an aesthetically unappealing prospect.
5. Given the proposed scale of incineration the ERF will heavily pollute the atmosphere, releasing immense quantities of carbon dioxide, surely contrary to Government policy on targets for reducing greenhouse gases and emissions.
6. Unfortunately, however efficient or cutting edge, incinerators does not reduce all rubbish to carbon dioxide, water and innocuous ash. This plant will, in all probability, emit a cocktail of noxious and toxic chemicals. Some, for example carcinogenic dioxins, having the potential to impact adversely on human health in the region. Also, the large volumes of ash (with its potential toxicity to water courses and humans) produced by the site will still have to be disposed of somehow.
7. With rubbish being brought in on average by well over fifty thousand HGV deliveries per year, there will be increased levels of noise, particulates, diesel fumes, other odours, scavenger wildlife such as seagulls and general nuisance.
8. There is a declared intent to increase HGV traffic as the plant goes about its business. Statistically this surely increases the likelihood of road traffic accidents.
9. Being near to the Kingmoor Nature Reserve, the quality of this environment for relaxation and nature study and preservation will be adversely affected.
10. The ERF is likely to have a knock on effect on local wild life, potentially reducing habitats and consequently biodiversity.

Yours sincerely,

[REDACTED] Member of the Royal Society of Biology.
[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Sent: 15 July 2016 13:54
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy waste plant

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Hello Sir/Madam

Just a quick e-mail to say I have just received news that there is planning for an energy waste plant to be build near my home. I'm writing this to object to this decision. Not only is this literally imposing on the houses & residents adjacent to the site, it's close to kingmoor school & nature reserve/woods. This is definitely not a good place to put a hideous, smelly eyesore and can not be good for pollution in our area with children and wildlife so close by! I imagine it will cause an amount of noise and dust aswell. This needs to be built away from houses, people, wildlife and out of sight. (application number PL/1572/05. 1/16/9005) Kind regards [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@aol.com>
Sent: 15 July 2016 15:07
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Objection to planning application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

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Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to raise an objection to the planning application to build an Energy recovery Facility on the northern bypass close to the residential area known as Lowry Hill.

The planning application number is PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005).

I object to the planning application for the following reasons:- 1. The smell and nuisance from day to day running of the facility is an unfair burden to place on such a large residential area which includes infant and junior schools.

2. The environmental impact on a nearby nature reserve of Kingstown.

3. Up to 100 lorries a day 24/7 with the associated noise, engine pollution and traffic impact.

4. The technology is untested in this area and other similar projects in EfW plants have shown failures causing frequent shutdowns which leads to dumping of waste on site to await facility start up. This would lead to a build up of pests and vermin.

5. The EfW plant at Dumfries has repeatedly failed to maintain the required emission standards required by Government planning policy.

6. The size of the proposed structure will dominate the skyline in the local area especially for the residents of Lowry Hill.

Yours sincerely

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From: [REDACTED]@sky.com>
Sent: 18 July 2016 10:56
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Fwd: Planning application no.PL\1572\05

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Begin forwarded message:

From: [REDACTED]@sky.com>
Date: 18 July 2016 at 10:53:15 BST
To: developmentcontrol@cumbria.go
Subject: Planning application no.PL\1572\05

Seriously object to this monstrosity being so close to dwellings and wild life park.
Does not comply with local plan,out of keeping with area, excessive noise dust, and smell.impact on traffic, listed buildings conservation area. Impact on wildlife.loss of privacy to housing estate, visual impairment
Please rethink

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@icloud.com>
Sent: 23 July 2016 18:17
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy recovery facility

I am objecting against this plan for various reasons. Mainly for the effects of health, the extra transport on already congested roads, the effect on wildlife and it will be another eyesore on our city

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@sky.com>
Sent: 25 July 2016 16:12
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Cc: [REDACTED]@outlook.com; [REDACTED]@carlisle.gov.uk; [REDACTED];
[REDACTED]@carlisle.gov.uk
Subject: Objection to Planning Application PL\1572\05 - ERF Plant

Dear Sirs

I write regarding the above planning reference and wish to put in writing my objection to this proposal for the following reasons:

Excessive Noise Dust, Smell and Nuisance and Impact Upon Local Wildlife and Mature Trees

Firstly, the increase in noise, smell and fumes from this Plant will impact on the residents close by, namely Lowry Hill estate. The proposed site will also have a devastating impact on Kingmoor Woods, a green space with lots of wildlife and an area used regularly by local schools and by so many others.

Highway Safety and Traffic Impact

The increase in traffic will not only cause extra pollution but will add to the already busy bypass throughout the day.

Loss of Privacy and Visual/Landscape Impact

The aesthetics of the proposed building with the imposing visual impact that the huge chimney will have will spoil the landscape immeasurably and as previously stated I have grave concerns about the effects emissions will have on the health of people living and working within the area of this site.

Finally I would just like to suggest that CCC revisit their reasons for choosing this site as the "preferred site" for this incinerator and explore other more suitable sites, somewhere well away from residential areas. I do not feel that this area is the most appropriate site due to the issues noted above and the FACTS surrounding the ERF facility in Dumfries who have repeatedly failed to keep to the required emission standards set out.

Yours faithfully

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 11:33
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: proposed energy from waste plant!!!!PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Dear development control team,i am writing i suppose as many others will be to object to the building of this plant,Application Number:PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005) there are many reasons why,first point being it will be in the conservation area of Kingmoor,which could,and i am sure WILL,eventually bring harm too the wildlife and biodiversity in this area,also the fact of the actual size and design of the building will be totally out of character with the area,any excessive noise,dust and smell in down time which there has to be at some point,as nothing is failsafe! also the visual impact of this monstrosity,how about greenhouse gasses caused,effects on health,increased road traffic,i am sure once again all the REAL concerns of the people will be just tossed to one side as always,i hope you do take the time to read and digest the thoughts of others and act against the development of this so close to residential areas.

yours sincerely

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Dear Sirs

Planning application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005) located at Kingmoor Park industrial Estate Carlisle for the erection of an energy from waste Plant.

I wish to object to the above planning application .The reasons for my objections are as follows;

1 .Position in respect of Government Planning Policy

Under WRAP Guidelines on Site Selection (4.26) it is recommended that EfW Plants should not be located near Residential Properties, Schools or Colleges or Local Nature Reserves .This site is close to all three. Many Local Residents and Parents of local Schoolchildren cannot believe that this site could even be considered by anyone as it is so close to their Houses, Schools and place of recreation.

2 .Dominant and oppressive Environment

The size of the Structure will dominate the skyline of the nearby Residential area and the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

The developers admitted that there could be Dioxin emissions from its 70 metre high Chimney and this will not only ruin the pleasant ambience of the local area forever but will have a serious impact on the Health and wellbeing of the local Community.

In fact it has caused a great deal of mental stress already.

In other similar plants in the UK (e.g. Isle of Wight) breaches of Dioxin levels have been common.

This risk is unacceptable when residential housing is within 730 metres of the proposed site.

The site is also close to Cargo Beck which flows into the River Eden. The risk of contaminated residues from the Plant subsequently flowing into the River Eden and polluting the Environment is inevitable

3.Traffic Impact

The Proposal envisages 6 HGV deliveries per day 24 hours a day 365 days per year.

Advanced thermal technology dictates that you have to "keep feeding the Monster" which means that not only local waste will be used it will have to be imported from outside the local area to keep up.

In an age where we are trying to cut down traffic emissions this Facility will increase them.

4. Excessive noise, dust, smell, or nuisance

Following on from the point above the types of Vehicle used to deliver the waste are typically Dirty smelly Vehicles and they will be back and forth all day everyday further oppressing the environment. In other plants similar to the one proposed here there have been frequent shutdowns and this will increase the smell as the plant tries to catch up with processing the waste building up in the reception area.

5. Impact upon local wildlife and biodiversity

It is of great concern that anyone should be allowed to build such a facility that is so at odds with the nature reserve concept which is located within 500 metres of the proposed site.

The Reserve boasts Sparrowhawks and Bats among its many inhabitants and there will be a detrimental effect on these from the Dioxin Emissions produced by the Plant.

I wish to point out that All Bat species , their Breeding sites and resting Places are protected by law.

The building will be a visible and audible intrusion for users of the Reserve such as families and Dog walkers and will ruin their enjoyment of it.

6. Design out of keeping with the character of the area

The Proposed Building is much larger than those that currently exist on the Kingstown Industrial Estate which are mainly small units and Offices together with Retail outlets .An operation of this type is totally out of keeping with the style of the Estate.

There is also a Bakery right next to the proposed site. This highlights further the fact that the site is totally unsuitable.

There is , therefore , a much larger Health and Safety issue here as the entire workforce of these businesses on the Industrial Estate are at risk should the plant have problems.

At the recent Public drop in session on 4th July 2016 the developers themselves admitted that due to the technology being used an explosion at the Plant is possible.

I would also like to point out that Planning permission was refused at Carmarthen in Feb.2016 because the Planning Officer had concerns about the potential impact of such a Facility on the Health & well being of the local population from Emissions to air in relation to Dioxins.

For the above reasons I urge you to follow the precedent that has been set and refuse Planning Permission at this totally unsuitable site.

Yours Faithfully

[Redacted signature block containing five lines of blacked-out text]

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btconnect.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 13:41
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: application number:PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

[REDACTED]

dear sirs,

please accept my objection to the proposed energy waste plant.it will have a detrimental effect on air quality, with negative effects for a large residential area, and also the kingmoor nature park.

yours faithfully,

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]<[REDACTED]@gmail.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 15:03
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Objection to Energy Recovery Facility planning application ref 1/16/9005

Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to object to the planning application for an Energy Recovery Facility planning application ref 1/16/9005.

I am concerned that the planned waste energy plant will not be in keeping with the character of the area. Although the location is on the industrial estate, the plant will be significantly taller than any of the surrounding warehouses or showrooms. The plant will make an huge visual impact on the character of both the nearby nature reserve and housing estate. The nature reserve is a place of escape and recreation for many people including families and dog walkers, this level of dramatic change to the surrounding landscape could have considerable visual impact on paths around the reserve.

I am also concerned about the impact of noise and pollutants on the Kingmoor Nature Reserve. I gather this is a incinerator that has no track record in the UK, and that the developers have no track record in the UK. I am concerned that it is therefore exceptionally difficult to model the impact of noise and pollution on the reserve. I am worried about the impact on both the protected mature trees in the reserve and on the local wildlife.

I also have concerns about the noise, pollution, smell and nuisance to nearby infant and junior schools at Kingmoor, and to local housing.

There is likely to be significant noise and pollution from delivery vehicles and from the generator itself. Such noise will be expected to continue during the night as well as daytime. Although smell should not be an issue during normal running of the plant, it is likely to become an issue whenever the plant is closed due to breakdown or maintenance procedures. The level of pollution again seems to be difficult to foresee or to ensure is consistently within safety standards. Given the low but real risk of toxic waste from the chimney of the plant surely such a test plant should be situated much further from such large residential areas.

I would be grateful if you would keep me in touch with the progress of this planning application.

Yours sincerely

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 16:55
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy Waste Plant : PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)
Attachments: Energy Waste Plant letter.doc

Dear Sir/Madam

I wish to object to the proposal to build an Energy from Waste Plant in the North of the City: Application number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005).
Please find my objection letter attached.

Yours faithfully

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

26 July 2016

Dear Sir/Madam

Application number: **PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)**

I wish to **object** to the above proposal on the grounds below:-

Compliance with the Local Plan

The current site is identified as the preferred location in the 2012 Site Allocations Policies and Proposals Map. I believe that this plan has been abandoned in the light of the Government's new development plan system.

Design out of keeping with the character of the area.

Although the proposed location is in an industrial estate, the current types of development are mainly warehousing, showrooms and office accommodation. This would be the first major combustion process in the estate and it is adjacent to a local nature reserve and close to a residential area with nursery/infant and junior schools.

Dominant and oppressive environment created by the proposal.

This development includes large structures which will have a significant impact on the view from areas of Lowry Hill Road and some locations around the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

Excessive noise, dust, smell or nuisance.

The plan is to service this incinerator with 100 HGV deliveries per day. Each of these deliveries will involve HGV s reversing presumably with accompanying beeps. This is likely to cause significant disturbance, particularly during the night, weekends and holiday periods. Given the proximity to the nearest residential accommodation (730m), the noise of the waste treatment and the generator is also likely to cause disturbance especially during the night.

A further concern is that this type of technology (untested in the UK) may result in shutdowns for maintenance or breakdown and at such times there will be a build up of obnoxious waste waiting to be incinerated (as occurred at the Dumfries EfW plan) with the prevailing winds affecting a wider area (remember the "Penrith Pong"). Any build up of waste is also likely to increase the number of flies and rodents in the vicinity.

Highway safety/traffic impact

The suggested number of lorry journeys is likely to have a significant impact on traffic volumes and road conditions, both on the immediate area for suggested development and on a wider area of “feeder” roads.

Impact upon Conservation areas.

The development is very close (ca. 300-400m) to the Kingmoor Nature Reserve, a highly valued area for dog walkers and family walks. We are concerned that the outlook and perceived safety concerns will affect the value of this reserve.

Its position in respect of Government Planning Policy.

WRAP EfW guidelines indicate that these facilities should not be located near residential areas, school or local nature reserves. Yet the proposed facility is very close to Kingmoor nature reserve, Kingmoor Junior School and the Lowry Hill residential estate.

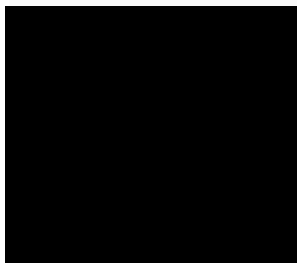
While the pollution levels proposed may be lower than the pollution arising from Kingmoor Road, there is a EfW facility near Dumfries that has repeatedly failed to keep to the required emissions standards. It has proved difficult to do anything about this problem within a reasonable timeframe. Any problems would be further exacerbated if dioxins, PCBs etc. were involved.

Visual or Landscape Impact

The image on the planning proposal (KNG-017cG Visuals A3.indd) gives some indication of the significant visual impact to Lowry Hill residents. This impact will be even greater at some of the entrances to and exits from the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

I hope that you find these comments prove helpful in the decision-making process.

Yours faithfully



[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk>
Sent: 26 July 2016 17:10
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Objection to Application Number PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

From: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

To : Development Control Team
Cumbria County Council
County Offices
Busher Walk
Kendal LA9 4RQ

Dear Sir/Madam

We wish to register our objection to the planning application submitted on 17th June by Stephenson Halliday Limited ,
application number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

We strongly object to the placement of the proposed Energy Recovery Facility at Kingmoor Park Industrial Estate on the following grounds:

1. Compliance with the Local Plan.

The site was identified as the preferred site in 2012 under the then 'Site Allocations Policies and Proposals Map', which has since been abandoned due to new Government development plans. There now appears to be uncertainty within the County Council with regard to the details of a new strategy for site allocations proposals.

2. The design is out of keeping with the character of the area.

Although the proposed location is an Industrial estate, the industry in that area chiefly comprises warehousing, garages, light industry, showrooms and offices. This towering structure would be a first major combustion-type processing plant on the estate, the like of which is not in keeping with this area. In addition, the proposed site is adjacent to a popular and well-used Nature Reserve, and very close to a residential area and junior & infant schools.

3. Dominant and oppressive environment created by the proposal.

The development includes a very large building which will be almost 40 metres high, together with a chimney approximately 70 metres tall. It is clear from the mock-up pictures that this building will have a huge and unpleasant impact from the elevated areas on the estate and from parts of the Nature Reserve.

4. Impact on surrounding roads and transport.

The energy recovery company plans to service this incinerator with 100 HGV deliveries per day. This is not acceptable.

5. Excessive noise/pollution and the impact on health.

Each of these deliveries will require the reversing of the vehicle into the reception hall with accompanying reversing beeps. We are concerned that this will cause significant disturbance and distress locally in a quiet and peaceful residential area, especially when this occurs during the night, over weekends and during holiday periods.

We would also point out that the distance from the nearest residential accommodation (730m) means that the noise of the waste treatment and the generator will inevitably cause disturbance especially during the night, changing the nature of our local area irrevocably.

Furthermore, we are concerned that this type of technology (as yet untested in the UK) will inevitably result in unscheduled shutdowns for maintenance or breakdown. We are concerned that at these times there will be a build up of foul smells as unpleasant and foul waste is waiting to be incinerated (I would point out that this occurred at the Dumfries EfW plan) and that this will lead to an increased presence of flies and rodents in the area.

6. The impact upon a Conservation Area.

This proposed development is in very close proximity (much less than .5km) to the Kingmoor Nature Reserve, which is a highly valued local leisure facility for individuals, children, families and dog walkers alike. We are concerned that the intrusive nature of this proposed facility will affect the value of this reserve for all who make use of it.

7. Proximity to schools and residential areas.

WRAP EfW guidelines indicate that these facilities should not be located near residential areas, schools or local nature reserves.

The proposed facility is very close to Kingmoor Nature Reserve, Kingmoor Junior & Infant Schools and the Lowry Hill residential estate.

In conclusion, myself and my husband object to the proposed development in the strongest possible terms, and are at a loss to understand how the council could possibly justify the placement of this 'Energy from Waste' plant on the site proposed.

Yours Sincerely ,

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]<[REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 18:25
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Planning Application PL\1572\05

Dear Sirs

Please find my letter of objection in connection with the proposed Energy waste plant adjacent Lowry Hill.

Planning application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005) located at Kingmoor Park industrial Estate Carlisle for the erection of an energy from waste Plant.

I wish to object to the above planning application .The reasons for my objections are as follows;

1 .Position in respect of Government Planning Policy

Under WRAP Guidelines on Site Selection it is recommended that EfW Plants should not be located near Residential Properties, Schools or Colleges or Local Nature Reserves .This site is close to all three.

2 .Dominant and oppressive Environment created by the proposal

The neighbourhood I live in will be visually dominated by this Structure due to the sheer size of the building, complete with its 70 metre high Chimney which will be belching out Emissions adding to Greenhouse gasses which will cause great harm to the local environment and will have a serious impact on the Health and wellbeing of the local Community.

3 . Excessive noise, dust, smell, or nuisance

The fact that there will be 100 HGV deliveries per day in and out of the plant will cause more noise and disturbance 24/7.

With new, un –proven technology being used there will be constant shut downs and I am concerned that the build up of waste will cause un-necessary smells and noise from Seagulls etc., There are already problems in the City and if planning permission is granted the Council is just compounding the problem.

4. Impact upon the Conservation area mature trees local wildlife and biodiversity

Kingmoor Nature Reserve is promoted by Carlisle City Council and is well known visited and valued by residents not only on this Estate but throughout the City of Carlisle.

Protected species such as Natter jack toads are known to habitate the area

The building will be a visible and audible intrusion for users of the Reserve and the noise and Emissions will ruin the enjoyment of it. I am very concerned about the effect of these emissions on the mature trees and plant life .The consequences from Greenhouse gases are very damaging and the risk is not worth taking.

5. Design out of keeping with the character of the area

The Kingstown Industrial Estate is made up of buildings which are much smaller in size than the proposed Facility .There is a Bakery adjacent to the proposed site and having Emissions to air right next to where there is food production takes place is unbelievable and the Health risks are enormous.

Other areas in the vicinity could easily be considered, further from residential, nature reserves and commercial premises.

Have any alternatives been considered.

It is beyond belief that a Council can consider such a site for such a facility and for the reasons given, and I consider that Planning Permission should be refused.



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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@sky.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 18:30
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] would like to object to the above planning application on the grounds of its compliance with government planning policy.
WRAP EfW guidelines state that these facilities should not be located near residential areas, schools or nature reserves.
The proposed facility is only going to be a few hundred metres from Kingmoor school, nature reserve and Lowry Hill residential estate.

Regards

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk>
Sent: 26 July 2016 20:39
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Dear Development Control Team

Please accept this email as an objection against application number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005).

This planning application for an energy recovery facility at Kingmoor park industrial estate does not comply with the local planning policy:

- 1.The design is very out of keeping with the character of the area:
It is very close to our home and a vast array of residential housing and Kingmoor Junior and infant School. The size of the building and the chimney does not compliment the character of Lowry hill and other well established housing estates in north Carlisle. The site would be just over 700 metres away from Lowry Hill towering over our homes.
- 2.The proposal would also create a dominant and oppressive environment:
It is very cold and overbearing in features and size. This would be very unpleasant to view from Lowry hill road and surround residential housing areas.
- 3.I have concerns about the level of noise and the potential for mass production of dust and unpleasant smells from this proposed waste plant:
I would fear my 2 year old son & family breathing in fumes from this or hanging my washing out to be contaminated with fumes from the incinerator. I fear for the health of the people of Carlisle breathing in these fumes especially as the proposed technique has has no working track record in the UK to know whether this would work efficiently or safely. We would effectively be UK Guinea pigs for this incinerator! This does not seem ethical. Reversing beeps from the 100 hgv deliveries per day would also add to noise levels during evenings, through the night and at weekends which will be very distressing to residents.
4. I also think this will create more traffic in north Carlisle leading to congested roads and which would also increase road safety issues.
5. I think the Waste Plant would also be sure to have a negative impact upon local wildlife and biodiversity: In particular it is extremely close to kingmoor nature reserved which is was one the few nature reserves in Carlisle and most valued by and accessible to our family living in north Carlisle.
6. The Waste Plant would also be sure to have a negative visual impact on our landscape and I do not think it will be a positive move for Carlisle to be associated as being a waste incinerator and a waste dumping ground, I think Carlisle should be focusing it's prioritises on reducing the production on non recyclable waste. The transport of waste to this facility would also be unsightly and could lead to further contamination of the environment.

I hope you will choose to put the health and safety of carlisle first and abandon the proposal to build this

energy recovery facility.

Yours sincerely

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@outlook.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 20:41
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy Recovery Facility on Kingmoor Park

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

26 July 2016

Dear Sir/Madam,

We wish to raise an objection to the application **PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)** to build the Energy Recovery Facility on Kingmoor Park

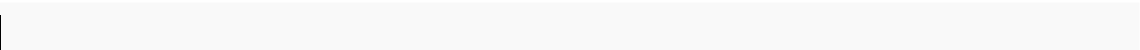

This development includes very large structures which will have a huge impact on the residential areas of Lowry Hill Estate & the very well used Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

We understand that this type of technology is untested in the UK it would presumably have to be stopped for maintenance or breakdown therefore at these times there must be a build up of waste waiting to be incinerated

We understand the plan is to service the incinerator with 100 HGV deliveries per day which will make a huge difference to traffic in this already busy area

It seems be beyond belief that Cumbria County Council allocated this site as it's only preferred site for an incinerator & that the proposed developers have no track record of operating this kind of plant in the UK. What has happened to common sense.?

We hope that you will be able to support the wishes of the many residents in this area to stop the it's construction going ahead



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From: [REDACTED]<[REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 22:07
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: APPLICATION REF..PL\1572\05(1/16/9005)

Dear Sir

We would like to object to the above planning application

The reasons are excessive noise, dust & smells

Dominant & oppressive environment created by the proposal. This will have a negative effect on Lowry hill & Kingmoor nature reserve.

There will be an impact on traffic & highway safety which will be detrimental to the area

Yours sincerely

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 22:17
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy from Waste Plant

Application Number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Sent from my iPad. I wish to object to the building of the Waste Plant on the following grounds:-
The design is completely at odds with the surrounding buildings -the chimney height makes it far too obvious and presents an ugly intrusion to the rural setting. The design will dominate the surroundings so much that it will have serious repercussions on the sale of the present property and all the future housing promised for the nearby areas.

There is busy road usage on all the approach roads, any more provided by the continuous lorry traffic needed to feed the plant could cause dangers to all road users. Please remember how busy that bypass was during the recent floods when it was the only way into the city and became the bus route for many weeks. There could be deadlock if an accident should arise.

The wild life in the area will be subjected to danger and driven away possibly never to return to our ancient woodlands. We are lucky to have them why must they be harmed ?

We are very lucky to live in this area, we have accepted the business park but that also is now large enough, the waste plant is an intrusion on our health our homes our life.

IT IS A STEP TOO FAR

Thank you for reading this

I Remain

[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 26 July 2016 23:48
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: objection to the application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

From: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

We would like to raise an objection to the application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005) on the following grounds:

1. Its position in respect of Government Planning Policy

In relation to air quality and potential for impact on public health: Public Health England are currently funding a study by the Small Area Health Statistics Unit (SAHSU) at Imperial College and the Environmental Research Group at King's College, London, investigating the potential link between emissions from municipal waste incinerators and health outcomes which is ongoing.

As this will inform Government planning policy we would ask the planning committee to refuse permission on this proposed development at Kingmoor Park at this time. Publication of the conclusions from this study is due this year, it will inform the guidance government gives to local authorities when assessing and safeguarding air quality. We wish to refer the Planning Committee to a recent question asked in Parliament and the reply given by the government on 23 May 2016 which states that the study papers are due to be submitted later in 2016 :

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Asked by [REDACTED]

(Cambridge)

Asked on: 23 May 2016

Department of Health

Incinerators: Health Hazards

37871

To ask the Secretary of State for Health, what recent progress has been made on Public Health England's study into the health impact of incinerators.

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Answered by: [REDACTED]

Answered on: 01 June 2016

The Public Health England funded study by the Small Area Health Statistics Unit (SAHSU) at Imperial College and the Environmental Research Group at King's College, London, investigating the potential link between emissions from municipal waste incinerators and health outcomes is ongoing. It is expected that papers from the project will be submitted by SAHSU to peer reviewed journals later in 2016.

<http://www.parliament.uk/business/publications/written-questions-answers-statements/written-questions-answers/?page=1&max=20&questiontype=AllQuestions&house=commons%2clords&keywords=incinerators>

2. In respect of Excessive noise, dust, smell or nuisance (to residents, school pupils, the existing workforce and customers of the industrial estate and the nearby Asda Store),

and also, the Impact upon Conservation areas (Kingmoor Nature Reserve)

When assessing risk to air quality for these groups we ask that the committee is not solely using distance as a measure of risk of exposure to emissions from the incinerator. We ask that they also are asking their experts to consider local meteorological conditions and topography which, we are advised, will contribute to emissions across our locality. This guidance is given in work commissioned by the National Institute of Health Research, we refer to their conclusion:

5. Conclusions

Using distance as a proxy measure of exposure to emissions from incinerators is a simple, quick, and cheap approach; however, when compared with dispersion modelling, there is indication of exposure misclassification. Dispersion models incorporate information on individual incinerator characteristics, emission concentrations, local meteorological conditions, and topography, all of which contribute to the observed concentrations and spatial patterns of incinerator emissions. The additional detail included in these models enables a more appropriate and informative exposure assessment from incinerators, which is important in an epidemiological context in order to reduce risk of bias in risk estimates due to exposure misclassification.

<http://www.hindawi.com/journals/jeph/2013/560342/>

3. Local Planning Policy
and Impact upon wildlife and biodiversity

We have read the report submitted to the committee by the Environmental Agency during the consultation process. We would like the planning committee to give serious thought to the comments the Agency make in their Flood Risk section, with reference to potential impacts on Cargo Beck which is designated 'Main River'. We are concerned about how the risk to that area can reliably be forecast. The experience of residents in Carlisle and it's surrounds in recent years has made us very aware that, in relation to flooding, some local infrastructures have been difficult to predict accurately.

In addition, we are concerned that the proposed site is not suitable for this development because it is close to a residential area and schools. The Environment Agency report also states in its report that:

'The company propose processing residual non-recyclable wastes. It is likely that these wastes will be odorous, particularly if sourced from municipal or domestic waste'.

We wish the planning committee to be aware that the Council has taken action on 'excessive odour's' following several breaches by the abattoir sited on the industrial estate. These have been related to tasks which are not part of the daily routine of that business so are not a constant nuisance. As the incinerator will be processing daily then 'odours' could be a regular hazard for the locality. We would refer you back to our comments in section 2 of our objections: 'local meteorological conditions and topography will affect the dispersion of odour over the proposed incinerator's neighbours'.

In addition to the objections we have raised in our letter we also support the objections that have been submitted by the Lowry Hill Residents Association.

We hope the planning committee will consider our concerns listed above.

Thank you.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@gmail.com
Sent: 27 July 2016 09:48
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Application ref no 1/16/9005

I wish to object to the above planning application. The dominant and oppressive nature of this development , despite the fact the proposed location is in an industrial estate, but which is very near a large residential estate, two schools and a Nature Reserve. To service this incinerator it will require a great number of HGV visiting the site over a 24 hour period, this alone will cause noise nuisance to many residents and to people working near the plant. As this is the first plant of its kind in the UK , it has no track record and there is no reassurance that this technology works efficiently and most of all, safely. The current site is identified as a preferred location in the 2012 site allocations policies and proposals map due to governments new development plan system, but this was abandoned so there seems to be a vacuum with regards to detailed County planning.

With regards to cleaning and maintenance of the incinerator, what would happen to any waste already on site, would this cause problems with smells and an increase of vermin.

Sent from my iPad

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]<[REDACTED]@teazlewood.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 10:07
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Waste plants PL\1572\05(1/16/9005)

I wish people would not try to stop this development – very necessary for Carlisle and the country and at the edge of the town – far enough out but accessible for staff and lorry loaded with refuse.

[REDACTED]



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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 11:09
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy Waste Plant

Application Number PL\1572\05{1/16/9005}

I wish to register my objection to the above application on the grounds that I believe it will create a dominant and oppressive environment, with excessive noise, smell and nuisance. The plant is far too close to local communities and will have a detrimental effect on the quality of life to those in the area. I urge the planning authorities to dismiss this proposal.

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 11:14
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: energy from waste plant Carlisle

Regarding the proposal to build an energy from waste plant north of Carlisle
Application no: PL\1572\059 (1/16/9005) . I would like to raise an objection on the grounds of it being a complete eyesore
from our property in Belle Vue which has in our view already had its fair share of new developments ,
including,noise and light pollution from what is now a very busy northern by pass.
Pylons to the rear of our properties which in some cases can add to devaluation and we feel that adding a
development
of this magnitude would possibly add to further property devaluation especially if there is the likelihood of further
noise or smell from such a project .
The sheer size of this building alone suggests that it would not be in keeping with the surrounding area and its effect
on public health and close proximity to housing estates must surely be of a primary concern.

Concerned resident of Belle Vue,

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@gmail.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 11:30
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Fwd: Scrap the proposal to build an Energy from Waste Plant in the North of Carlisle

Dear Sir

Objection to the planning application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Please see below the details of my objection to

building an Energy from Waste Plant in the North of Carlisle, which I have sent as well to my MP John Stevenson

I would appreciate an acknowledgement of my objection.

Yours faithfully

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[REDACTED]
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From: [REDACTED]@gmail.com>
Date: 26 July 2016 at 14:03
Subject: Scrap the proposal to

build an Energy from Waste Plant in the North of Carlisle

To: "office@johnstevensonmp.co.uk" <office@johnstevensonmp.co.uk>

Dear Sir

Objection to the planning application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

I am writing to you as my MP to express my deep concern about the proposal to build an Energy Recovery Facility on the Kingmoor Industrial Park close to local schools and the Lowry Hill residential estate to the north of Carlisle.

This would appear to be a project motivated by money rather than scientific reasoning and could adversely affect the health and well-being of your constituents at Carlisle now and for generations to come.

The plant incinerates waste and is experimental in nature being untested in the UK. The waste that is being burnt will release dioxins, the same toxins as in Agent Orange, and one of the deadliest pollutants known to man. Dioxin will not be destroyed fully by incineration and will be in the ash that is generated as well as being released into the atmosphere via the 200ft chimney – this is a dangerous material even at low levels. The ash will have to be disposed of and will more readily be absorbed into the County's water table. It was the main toxin in the Bhopal gas tragedy in India in 1984, and the fact that the Plant is untested in the UK raises safety fears.

Siting this experimental Plant design next to schools, residential areas (Carlisle never mind Lowry Hill) and a nature reserve is cavalier and naïve in planning on the part of the Council, the entrepreneurial owner of Kingmoor Industrial Park no doubt stands to gain financially from this offer of location.

Further issues are as follows:

- It is a Plant / Factory which in design is out of keeping with the character of the area and the Industrial estate where it would be located currently has warehousing, shop units, retail and office accommodation. It is close to schools, a residential area and a nature reserve.
- The constant flow of waste HGV lorry vehicles (over 100 site visits a day) will cause excessive nuisance and noise, dust and smell. It will disrupt local traffic flow as it is a well-used route to the northern by-pass around Carlisle.
- A dominant and oppressive design – bigger than the Carlisle Civic Centre – this will have a huge impact on the outlook from Lowry Hill Road and some locations around the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

I would ask that you too raise your concerns regarding this project with the Council Planners; they have failed to acknowledge my objection. If you have the Parliamentary authority I would request that you block this planning request until health concerns have been addressed and eliminated. I work within the NHS and am liaising with a local Professor of Nursing on this issue.

Like our nuclear facilities this isn't something that should be sited close to a populated area like Carlisle.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@googlemail.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 11:58
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Planned Waste for Energy Plant, Kingmoor, Carlisle. PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Dear Sir/Madam,

As residents of Lowry Hill, Carlisle, and members of Lowry Hill Residents Association who were unable to attend the Association's meeting on 4 July 2016 due to a holiday commitment, we wish to fully endorse all of the grounds for objection to the above planning application PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005) as covered in the Association's official objection letter.

Yours faithfully,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@icloud.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 12:00
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy recovery facility

I wish to raise an objection to the above mentioned installation. We already have 2 recycling plants north of the city. And the adverse effect on the environment is noticeable because of heavy traffic. Litter. Spoiling of the area for wildlife. We don't need another Ugly building in Carlisle, the civic centre is enough

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[REDACTED]

[illegible]

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@[REDACTED].freeserve.co.uk>
Sent: 27 July 2016 13:21
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy Recovery Facility- Application No: PL/1572/05 (1/16/9005)

Dear Sir/ Madam,

I have just learnt that a plan exists to build the above major incinerator plant near to the Thomas Graham building on the northern bypass. I am shocked and perplexed that such a vast, unsympathetic, environmentally damaging industrial plant can be considered appropriate so close to my family and friends who live on Lowery Hill Road.

I object for a myriad of obvious reasons that include: proximity to schools and residential properties; the potential toxic threat to people and wild life and resultant threat to community health; the enormous size that will adversely impact on amenities and quality of life; and the major risk to pedestrian and vehicle safety as a consequence of the forecast volume of trucks entering and exiting the plant.

Surely there are safer and less invasive sites in the region that should be considered as far safer and more suitable, with a much lower impact on people and animals in this residential area of Carlisle. I therefore urge you to deny this application on behalf of all residents in Carlisle who are still suffering from the devastating impact of last December's floods. Please use your professional judgement wisely and reject this application absolutely. Thank you

Yours Faithfully,
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 14:31
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Application number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Application number: PL\1572\05 ([1/16/9005](#))

[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]
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Objection due to the excessive noise, dust, smell and nuisance that will be caused. The distance from the nearest residential accommodation (730m) means that the noise of the waste treatment and the generator will cause disturbance especially during the night. As well as this, there is serious concern as the plant will be very close to the local school which will have an effect on the children's health.

There will also be a big impact upon local wildlife and biodiversity. As well as the effect on the nature reserves, wildlife and the greenhouse gas effects, the visual and landscape impact will be massive.

These are two of the many reasons why I would like to raise my objection to the proposal to build a waste energy plant near Lowry hill.

Thank you,

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk>
Sent: 27 July 2016 14:58
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Application Number PL\1572\05(1/16/9005)

My wife and I object to the above planning application on the following objection criteria:-
Nos. 1,2,3,4,5,7,9,10.

We are residents within the Stanwix area and also have family who have invested in property in Lowry Hill and who also have a young family who will attend the local school.

In our opinion a site should be found outside the city boundaries where traffic and waste pollution would perhaps not be an issue.

Is there not a case for not having the development at all?

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[REDACTED]
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Application number: PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005) Dear Sirs- Re- above Proposal to build an Energy Waste Plant in the North of the City , Carlisle - I wish to strongly object to this proposal due to the following reasons as a local resident, council tax payer, with a high regard for the local environment and green issues. I strongly object because of the expected noise and dust pollution- no doubt with smells emanating from the said plant. Also resulting in a heavy traffic impact for the surrounding areas and effects on our local Nature Reserve. I feel I must object in the strongest terms to this Proposal! - [REDACTED] Email address- [REDACTED]@sky.com

[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@gmail.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 16:23
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Objection to proposal to waste plant construction

To whom it may concern,

With reference to planning application number : PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005) We would like to raise an objection to the application. Along with all the concerns raised by the Lowry Hill Residents' Association we would like to add the following under the heading of " Excessive noise, dust, smell or nuisance ".

Demand for waste by this type of plant reduces the incentives to reduce waste streams and to reuse and recycle waste materials. It is therefore an extension to the problem of ignoring more environmentally and people friendly options.

When waste minimisation and recycling does progress, as it will, these plants will struggle to find enough to burn locally and will import waste to satisfy demand and financial investment. This is not a hypothetical situation - this is exactly what is happening in Sweden .

100 HGV deliveries a day from far and wide, and possibly abroad, with its real impact of noise, dust, smell and pollution just from these lorries and their cargo alone, is unacceptable so close to a residential area and Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

Yours sincerely,

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED].fsnet.co.uk>
Sent: 27 July 2016 16:35
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: OBJECTION TO THE APPLICATION PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

[REDACTED]

27 July 2016

Dear Sir/Madam,

WE WOULD LIKE TO RAISE AN OBJECTION TO THE APPLICATION PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

on the following grounds:

COMPLIANCE WITH THE LOCAL PLAN (i.e. Local Planning Policy)

The current site is identified as the preferred location in the 2012 Site Allocations Policies and Proposals Map due to governments new development plan system this plan has been abandoned and there seems to be a vacuum with regards to detailed County planning.

DESIGN OUT OF KEEPING WITH THE CHARACTER OF THE AREA.

Despite the fact that the proposed location is in an industrial estate the types of development now on the estate are mainly warehousing, showrooms and office accommodation.

This would be the first major combustion type of process in the estate and it is adjacent to a local nature reserve and close to a residential area with a junior and primary school.

DOMINANT AND OPPRESSIVE ENVIRONMENT CREATED BY THE PROPOSAL.

We wish to object to this development as it includes very large structures which will have a huge visual impact on the outlook from the elevated areas of Lowry Hill Road and some locations around the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

EXCESSIVE NOISE, DUST, SMELL OR NUISANCE.

The plan is to service this incinerator with 100 HGV deliveries per day. Each of these deliveries will require the reversing of the HGV into the reception hall with accompanying reversing beeps.

We wish to object to this as we are greatly concerned that this will cause significant disturbance and distress especially when this occurs during the night, over weekends and during holiday periods.

We are also concerned that the distance from the nearest residential accommodation (730m) means that the noise of the waste treatment and the generator will cause disturbance especially during the night.

We are concerned that this type of technology (untested in the UK) will inevitably result in frequent shutdowns for maintenance or breakdown.

We are concerned that at these times there will be a build up of smelly waste waiting to be incinerated (as occurred at the Dumfries EfW plan) and that this will increase flies and rodents in the area.

IMPACT ON CONSERVATION AREAS.

The development is very close (perhaps 300-400m) to the Kingmoor Nature Reserve, a highly valued area for family walks.

We are concerned that the outlook and perceived safety concerns will affect the value of this reserve.

ITS POSITION IN RESPECT OF GOVERNMENT PLANNING POLICY.

There is considerable concern from the residents that while the pollution levels proposed may be lower than the pollution arising from Kingmoor Road, there is a EfW facility near Dumfries that has repeatedly failed to keep to the required emissions standards.

It has proved difficult to do anything about this problem within a reasonable timeframe.

WRAP EfW guidelines indicate that these facilities should not be located near residential areas, school or local nature reserves.

We object to the siting of this facility as the proposed facility is very close to Kingmoor nature reserve, Kingmoor Junior School and the Lowry Hill residential estate.

VISUAL OR LANDSCAPE IMPACT

The image on the planning proposal (KNG-017cG Visuals A3.indd) gives some indication of the significant visual impact to Lowry Hill residents. This impact will be even greater at some of the entrances to and exits from the Kingmoor Nature Reserve.

Yours faithfully



Please send an acknowledgement of the receipt of this objection

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@gmail.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 17:33
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Application ref no 1/16/9005

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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I wish to object to the above proposed planning application.

The current site is identified as the preferred location using a 2012 policy . This policy has been abandoned, and is therefore no longer valid with regards to County Planning and therefore other sites away from residential properties should be considered. In view of the untested technology and the apparent lack of expertise in operating this type of plant in the UK, to site such a plant within 700 meters of a residential area which includes two schools and a Nature Reserve is irresponsible and out of character with the area.

Near to the proposed site there is already an abattoir which has been a problem because of noise and smell to residents on the Lowry Hill Estate, and has led to court action on several occasions resulting in fines on the company.

Included in the court action was the noise of large HGV vehicles during the night, and as the proposed application estimates approximately 100 HGV vehicles per 24 hours, this is far in excess of the numbers using the Abattoir.

Waste management is very important, but to site this very large plant so close to an urban area is indefensible.

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@sky.com
Sent: 27 July 2016 17:51
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Re Planning Application No. PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
27th July 2016.

Development Control Team,
Cumbria County Council,
County Offices,
Busher Walk,
Kendal, LA9 4RQ.

Dear Sir,

Re Planning Application No.PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

We wish to make you aware of a number of strong objections that we have with regard to the proposed development of an additional property (incinerator plant) to the North of Kings Close, to west of Kingstown Industrial site, application number above. As a neighbour to the site of the proposed development, we are of the view that the proposed development will have a serious impact on our quality of living. Our specific objections are as follows:-

Location of the site

We have attended two meetings with the developer and on both occasions the developer stated that the only site they were permitted to use was location **CA31 on the site location plan**. This cannot be reasonable that the planning authority should inflict this untried (in the UK) process so near to the residents of Lowry Hill estate when there are so many open areas in the county which are free from population.

Excessive noise, dust, smell or nuisance

Our understanding from the meeting is that this plant is required to run 24/7 and refuse will be required from far and wide to allow the process to be continuous. It was also stated the developer estimated that they would require 100 HGV's a day. This will produce continuous noise pollution throughout the day and will be more intrusive throughout the night. This site is located to the West of Lowry Hill estate, the prevailing winds are Westerly therefore it is a recipe for our own Carlisle Pong which will contaminate the atmosphere of the estate and affect the children in the infant and Junior school on the estate.

We would be grateful if you would take these objections into consideration when evaluating the application.
Yours faithfully,

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@gmail.com
Sent: 27 July 2016 18:13
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Proposed Waste Plant in North Carlisle

Application number PL/1572/05 (1/16/9005)

To whom it may concern

We wish to object to the proposed waste plant in the North of the city.

As residents of Lowry Hill, we are concerned about the increased levels of traffic, especially during the evening and at weekends.

Our further concerns are the proximity to Kingmoor School The increase in air pollution The risk of vermin The effects on the wildlife at the local nature reserve.

Regards

[REDACTED]
Residents of Brunstock Close

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@tiscali.co.uk>
Sent: 27 July 2016 18:34
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Waste Plant in North of City

APPLICATION NUMBER: PL\1572\O5(1/16/9005)

With reference to the application ref no above

I strongly object to this planning application which In my opinion wil result in the following

1. Excessive noise, dust, and smell. The equipment to be installed in the plant, will comprise of mechanical, electrical. electronic and heat exchanger units, like any other industrial plant, and will at some time break-down with the resulting emission of dust, and smell of rotting waste together with insect and vermin attraction over a wide area.
2. Adverse highway safety and traffic impact. For over 40 years there were delays for whatever reason in providing a by-pass to take west and ultimately south traffic from the city. At least now the west route relieves the north to city road congestion. There is no doubt that with the increase of heavy traffic connected to this installation it will adversely affect the overall congestion problem.

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@yahoo.co.uk>
Sent: 27 July 2016 19:14
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Application number : PL\1572\05(1/16/9005)

I wish to formally submit my objection to Application number : PL\1572\05(1/16/9005) Energy from waste Plant.

My areas of objections are on the grounds of Environment issues, the very nature of the process of the plant in burning waste , the excessive pollution seeping into the air , water table and surrounding area of the Nature Reserve, the local School, the existing

Housing estates , the houses and New School yet to be built.

Why has this even been allowed to be submitted in such a populated area, the visual impact alone is monstrous let alone the impact on the health of the local Human and Animal Habitats.

it is shameful that this aggressive, dominant and intrusive building in size alone would even be considered for this area where so much care and attention has already been spent on Conservation and protecting the local woodland and wildlife.

Please consider the increase to the traffic and the safety of the everyday road user , is this going to lead to heavy vehicles travelling from outside of the local areas , is it to become the dumping ground of Cumbria.

With the plant working so well at Hespin Wood , would it not be sensible to allow more of these types of works to go ahead.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.co.uk>
Sent: 27 July 2016 20:42
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Application reference PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Application reference PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

We wish to object to the above proposal.
Our objection to the planning proposal is on the issues of:

Excessive noise, dust, smell or nuisance (which surely must include possible hazardous discharges)
and Impact upon local wildlife and biodiversity (as a result of possible discharges).

We contend that the plant may well not be workable or safe. A gasification plant at Dumfries was closed because of emissions, a fire and the fact that it did not produce enough energy.

Is the technology workable and safe?

The proposed plant would use a gasification process, followed by combustion of the syngas produced.

Figure 2.7 from the planning application document, KNG – ES2 Description of Development Figures 2.1 to 2.8.pdf, shows a schematic of the process which glosses over the difficulties associated with it. Steps 2 and 3 are not as simple or as proven as the diagrams suggest.

The issue of energy production from processes like gasification has recently been considered in a document from the US government National Institutes for Health:

<http://ehp.niehs.nih.gov/124-a106/> (Written in June 2016, so quite up-to-date)

Extract:

...none of the technologies have yet been proven on a commercial scale on U.S. soil using a typical mixed MSW feedstock, says Monica Wilson, program director for the advocacy group Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives (GAIA). After years of delays and high-profile failures, the technologies remain stymied by challenges such as operational inexperience, high costs, lack of financing, and concerns about toxic emissions. Furthermore, the heterogeneous nature of MSW can make it a problematic feedstock for power plants,

(In one well-publicized exception, a gasification plant in Dumfries, Scotland, repeatedly failed to meet expectations. The plant ultimately closed in 2013 after exceeding emissions limits for dioxins and other

pollutants as well as producing far less energy than expected. The Scottish Environment Protection Agency cited "persistent non-compliance with the requirements of the permit" in revoking its license.^{[22,23](#)})

A gap between potential and actual performance is evident at plants currently operating outside the United States, says Umberto Arena, a researcher based in Italy and associate editor of the journal Waste Management. This is due primarily to the lack of an affordable solution for syngas cleaning, he believes. As it stands today, the cleaning of contaminants and impurities from syngas produced via conversion technologies is often cost-prohibitive.^{[25,26,27](#)}.This leaves gasification and related technologies only negligibly cleaner than modern mass-burn units and sometimes less efficient.^{[28](#)}"

The Dumfries plant referred to above discharged dioxins and furans as detailed in this report:
http://www.ukwin.org.uk/files/pdf/sepa_dargavel_june_2013.pdf

This led to it losing its licence to operate.

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-scotland-south-scotland-23850895>

Dumfries energy-from-waste Scotgen plant licence revoked

- 27 August 2013

The Scottish Environment Protection Agency (Sepa) is revoking the operating licence of an energy-from-waste plant on the outskirts of Dumfries.....

The £20m plant was the site of a major blaze last month tackled by more than 30 firefighters.

"The facility has consistently failed to meet any reasonable expectation of environmental performance and the predicted level of energy recovery at approximately 3% is particularly disappointing and unsatisfactory."

There are serious questions whether the technology proposed is workable and whether it is environmentally acceptable, particularly in the proposed location which is in close proximity to an urban environment, including housing, schools etc. and we urge the committee to reject the application.

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 20:43
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Development at Kingstown - Energy from waste plant (Application number PL \1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Dear Sirs,

We live at [REDACTED], [REDACTED] and wish to object to the proposal on the following grounds;

- 1) that there would be a significant increase in HGV traffic at roundabouts and the new bypass road that are already heavily trafficked by HGVs in order to access west cumbria creating traffic issues.
- 2) that increasing heavy HGV traffic adjacent to a high density population area when diesel emissions are a growing health and environment concern for central government would increase health risks.
- 3) that the new plant would be of such a scale that it visibly would be an adverse impact on the aesthetic of the area.
- 4) that the north of city is being targeted by developers due to the governments change in status for land making it attractive to them financially and for any other reason and yet having an ever increasing industrial aspect to the area will have a material and financial impact on private dwelling houses value as new parents will be adverse to living in an area where such a plant operates.
- 5) the scale of the plant is likely to create both sound and smell issues common to many industrial properties of this type.
- 6) that there is a safety issue locating such a plant so closely to a significant residential area. Any fore or similar would be a significant risk to many people and Carlisle has already experienced this.
- 7) to locate such a plant in one of the few areas remaining in the city not at risk of flooding, rather than that land being used for residential properties the city needs so much makes no sense other than financial for the developers.
- 8) the north of the city is already experiencing both an increase in health and annoyance issue by seagulls as a result of recycling and waste and the new development could potentially fuel that issue.

Yours faithfully,

[REDACTED]
Resident for 16 years at this property and over 40 years in Carlisle.

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@hotmail.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 21:38
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Objection to Application Number PL\1572\05 (1/16/9005)

Dear Sir/Madam

I'm writing to formally object to the proposal to build an energy recovery centre on the northern edge of the city.

My objection is based on serious concerns I have about excessive noise, smell and dust from the facility as well as the environmental impact. I have a 3 year old daughter and a second child due in October and their health is my number one priority.

I also have concerns about potential impact to Kingmoor woods and the local wildlife which is an integral and valuable part of the local community.

Yours sincerely

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@btinternet.com>
Sent: 27 July 2016 22:01
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Objection to planning Application Number:PL/1572/05(1/16/9005). Energy recovery plant Carlisle

I wish to object to the above proposed development on the following grounds

1. Proximity to residential housing and schools, I feel it is inappropriate to locate the facility so close to a large, and expanding residential area. This is especially apposite given the fact that air quality in the Stanwix area is already failing to meet required standards on many occasions.
2. Proximity to Nature reserves and SSSI . I am especially concerned with potential problems with uncontrolled run off due to severe weather incidents, and potential build up in the ecosystem of harmful chemicals, and heavy metals. Similarly airborne pollutants especially nitrogen are known to have a negative effect altering ecosystems, particularly oak woodlands.
3. The effect of increased road, will adversely impact road safety, road congestion, nuisance with round the clock heavy traffic, road pollution and carbon footprint.
4. Visual impact, the new building and chimney is disproportionate in scale to other developments, and will dominate the local sky line. With Carlisle city council attempting to promote the city as a tourist destination this will not be an asset to the community.

yours faithfully

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

From: [REDACTED]@gmx.co.uk>
Sent: 27 July 2016 22:38
To: Development Control - Planning Dept address
Subject: Energy from waste plant

Dear Sirs

Re Application No PL/1572/05 (1/16/9005)

I would like to object to the above planning proposal. My main objections are.....

Since the hespin wood plant was installed most local black bin waste is already catered for. Surely this plant would have to import waste from out with the area which I fundamentally object to. Carlisle cannot become a waste city.

The building, and the chimney, are also extremely large, visible from the Solway AONB and the Hadrian Wall world heritage site.

It will have a "what the he'll is that"?! impact.

I wouldn't have faith in the technology, toxic fumes are a worry.

It isn't in the local plan.

Carlisle should be attracting high tech manufacturing, not dealing with other people's waste. This plant will put more suitable inward investment off the area.

I trust you will take these objections into consideration.

Regards

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[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
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