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Planning Reference

Application Reference:	21/02464/STFUL
Address:	Rathlin Energy Ltd West Newton Exploration Well Site Fosham Road High Fosham East Riding of Yorkshire
Proposal:	To construct an extension to the existing West Newton A (WNA) wellsite, test, appraise and produce from the two existing wells and drill, test, appraise and produce from up to six (6) new wells followed by decommissioning and wellsite restoration.

User information

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Comments

Commenter type:	Member of the Public
Stance:	Object

Your comments:	<p>The exploration and extraction of new fossil fuel sources flies directly in the face of the IPCC report on Climate Change and backs a cavalier attitude towards the future of our children and the planet in general. To authorise this kind of development would mean yet more carbon dioxide being pumped into the atmosphere for short-term profit.</p> <p>ERYC has declared a Climate Emergency so it seems mad that such an application as this could be considered a legitimate and public interest development. Very few jobs will be created and a great deal of degradation of the surrounding area will take place. Tankers travelling through local villages and along narrow country roads will at some point lead to deaths and injuries from the added vehicles on the roads. I believe that gas flaring will also take place to burn off natural gas and hydrogen sulphide. The effect of this on local populations could be catastrophic with increased air pollution and the likelihood of noxious fumes resulting in breathing disorders.</p> <p>I am currently watching the fires in Italy and Greece on the news and there is no more vivid an illustration of the future difficulties we will all face than the highest temperature ever recorded in Europe. This is not a coincidence and is very concerning. As the country that started the burning of fossil fuels for an industrial revolution we need to lead the way beyond these dirty industries and refuse any more extraction of fossil fuels.</p>
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