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To the NDF Team,

We are writing to you to let you know we are not satisfied with your proposals for the areas allocated to develop proposed wind farms + solar areas.

We do ~~not~~ understand <sup>why</sup> there is a need for more renewable energy sites and agree that there is an urgent need to do something to relieve climate change, but cannot see this is the way forward.

We must look after our beautiful countryside and not mutilate the hills with these monstrosities. The wind farms we already have are a blot on the landscape and do not produce the amount of energy necessary for our needs, not to mention the destroying of natural habitat of our fellow creatures + plants that live + survive in these areas.

In years to come we think we will regret what we have done to damage the countryside and still not produce enough energy for our needs.

There is no mention of how this energy is going to be transported to the National Grid. That would be another desecration to our beautiful countryside in the shape of enormous pylons + lines coming down the valleys.

The whole of Coates is an area of

National beauty and cannot be destroyed by your proposals.

We in Mid Wales will fight this decision made by people who are desperately trying to reach national targets for renewable energy in this country. There must be other ways to do this, our land is full of overflowing rivers - can we not use water as our green energy sources for the future as they did in the past. There is an abundance of water in Wales with a high level of rainfall. We should also prioritize using less electric + saving energy ~~at~~ rather than using more.

We have to love + respect our beautiful surrounding + not destroy the natural beauty, and think of future generations - they should be able to enjoy the countryside too.

Yours sincerely

