

# National Development Framework: Easy Read questionnaire

## Part A – the main points of the NDF

Q1. 1. Do you think we are aiming to do the right things with our plan?

No

**Comments:**

I ask you to go back to the beginning and reassess your base assumptions. How much energy will be required where and why. And CHALLENGE these assumptions. In these days of reducing carbon emissions the most fundamental approach is usually the simplest. This is to reduce consumption. Not extrapolate current consumption and add to it. The most obvious way to do this is to encourage self sufficiency in energy. Further we should generate the energy where it is used, not 100 or more miles away and erect pylons etc to carry it to where it is used.

Q2. 2. We have 10 aims in the NDF. Should we think about anything else? Tell us anything we've missed out

Yes

**The NDF also needs to think about...**

Reducing consumption and generating energy where it is used. Generate energy where it is used. This is the sort of approach the Welsh Government should be taking. Leading the way. NOW. Above every car parking space there should be a canopy fitted with solar panels. Public and private as part of rating system. This is not new - they are doing it in Exeter. Every supermarket carpark should be canopied by solar panels. Every commercial building with solar panels should get Rates relief. All yes all council and social housing should have roof solar panels. All new builds and planning applications must include solar panels. These approaches would start to make a difference. Then in 5 years re-assess how much energy is required If you do Then locate solar panels next to industrial parks like Deeside not in the middle of Anglesey Countryside. Locate them on the outskirts of towns, alongside railway lines, motorways, main truck routes. But DON'T take productive farmland out of use for solar farms.

Q3. 3. Do you think the Plan will help achieve healthy and well-planned places?

No

**Comments:**

Anglesey will end up an industrial wasteland.

Q4. 4. Do you think the plan will help us take care of our environment?

No

**Comments:**

Quite the opposite - it will trash Anglesey. Reduce our farmland, reducing our ability to produce food, increasing imports and food miles and therefore carbon emissions.

## Part B – different parts of Wales

Q5. 5. Do you agree with our plans for North Wales?

No

**Comments:**

There is a big big difference between North East Wales and North West Wales. Your first mistake is lumping them together in this survey. You have split South east and South west wales as you understand the difference there but that's where your from. I am sorry for the attitude but this says it all. Dump the solar farms in beautiful countryside where there is no industry and make it all industrialised.

Q6. 6. Do you agree with our plans for Mid and South West Wales?

No

Q7. 7. Do you agree with our plans for South East Wales?

No

## Part C

Q8. 8. Do you have any other comments you would like to make about this plan?

Really disappointed in the waste of public money creating this NDF. I attended one of your drop in centres hoping as part of the consultation process you would consult. Unfortunately your staff took no notes and their only interest was in explaining what you had already decided. The main concern was that they couldn't give away their carrier bags, notepads and pencils. More waste of public money. I could name the person but it wasn't his fault, i am sure he was doing the job he was asked to do.

## Submit your response

Q9. You are about to submit your response. Please ensure you are satisfied with the answers you have provided before sending.

Name Graham Loader

Where are you from? [REDACTED]

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Q10. If you want to receive a receipt of your response, please provide an email address.  
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Q11. Responses to consultations may be made public. To keep your response anonymous (including email addresses) tick the box.

*No Response*