

About the application

Application number: 2021/62/93644/E	
What is the application for?:	Erection and operation of grid-connected solar photovoltaic farm, with ancillary
Address of the site or building:	Low Farm, Wakefield Road, Flockton, Huddersfield, WF4 4BB
Postcode:	BN18 0AG

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	Yes
<p>Whilst I agree that solar energy is a valuable source of renewable energy, schemes of this scale must be located in suitable locations.</p> <p>The village of Flockton is already on its knees due to the amount of traffic traveling through. To add further vehicles associated with the construction and operation of this huge project would be tragic.</p> <p>I understand The Council may be minded to approve the application based on its clean energy generating benefits but it has zero benefit to surrounding residents.</p> <p>If the project is to go ahead surely a new road should be incorporated into the scheme firstly for construction traffic and secondly for operational vehicles. The new road could be retained to ease congestion on Barnsley Road, which is not safe for pedestrians and unsuitable for large vehicles offering at least some community benefit for what is likely to be a very profitable scheme.</p>	