Our Case Number: ABP-318446-23



Ed Morrissey 19 Springfield Dungarvan Co. Waterford

Date: 26 January 2024

Re: Proposed construction of Coumnagappul Wind Farm consisting of 10 no. turbines and associated infrastructure.

In the townlands of Coumnagappul, Carrigbrack, Knockavanniamountain, Barricreemountain Upper and Glennaneanemountain, Skeehans, Lagg, Co. Waterford. (www.coumnagappulwindfarmSID.ie)

Dear Sir / Madam,

An Bord Pleanála has received your recent submission in relation to the above mentioned proposed development and will take it into consideration in its determination of the matter. Please accept this letter as a receipt for the fee of €50 that you have paid.

The Board will revert to you in due course with regard to the matter.

Please be advised that copies of all submissions / observations received in relation to the application will be made available for public inspection at the offices of the local authority and at the offices of An Bord Pleanála when they have been processed by the Board.

More detailed information in relation to strategic infrastructure development can be viewed on the Board's website: www.pleanala.ie.

If you have any queries in the meantime, please contact the undersigned officer of the Board or email sids@pleanala.ie quoting the above mentioned An Bord Pleanála reference number in any correspondence with the Board.

Yours faithfully,

Niamh Hickey Executive Officer

Direct Line: 01-8737145

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Re: Objection to Planning Application 318446.

To whom it concerns,

I would like to lodge an appeal against Planning Application 318446. The reasons are outlined below

- Our County elected officials have deemed the area in the Waterford County Development Plan 2022-2028 as a no-go area for Wind turbines. To allow this application to proceed would go against the Elected officials and would be an afront to local democracy.
- Nature has been squeezed and pushed to the margins of society as Human progress has invaded and took over habitats. It now survives in pockets of places where Humans have had a minimal impact. To now invade the last pockets where biodiversity is clinging on would be to turn the area into a desert, devoid of the kind of nature that Ireland so desperately needs. It would also depopulate the last remaining population who farm and look after the land and are so important to maintaining the rituals that have worked hand in hand with nature.

Yours Sincerely,

Ed Morrissey

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