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26th April 2023**

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Subject: Ref 23NP0023EL
Date: 13 March 2023 13:35:19

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Although not a resident of this area, I wish to express my total support of mains electricity being supplied to the Upper Coquetdale.

Our daughter-in-law was born and raised in the Upper Coquetdale.

We are regular visitors of the area, and stay with extended family.

Considering that the U. K. is one of the richest countries on the planet, it is inconceivable that anywhere on our small island does not have these facilities, in 2023.

Alison and Nigel Jones.

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I am writing in support of the above application.

Everyone should have access to a reliable electricity supply and a mobile phone signal for health and safety.

Mains electricity will help farms and other businesses to thrive in this remote area decreasing the risks of future depopulation and all the threats that brings.

Both mains electricity and a mobile signal will aid the expansion of tourism enabling more people to access these remote parts of the National Park safely.

Mains electricity combined with green forms of heating etc would be a very low carbon and sustainable way of powering residential and business premises in the area which I assume largely has no mains gas supply.

I hope the National Park will support this application.

Yours sincerely

Catherine Jacob

Croft House

NE65 7YF

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From: [REDACTED]
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Date: 13 March 2023 10:00:15

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I would like to give my support to the application to bring mains electricity to the Upper Coquet valley. I live a couple of miles down the valley from there and we recieved mains power in the early 1950's. It's hard to believe that those people up the valley have struggled on for so long. Surely they deserve this luxury that so many take for granted. The shepherds and farmworkers in rural Northumberland are the people who manage our land and keep it looking so beautiful, they are invaluable.

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We would like to put forward our overwhelming support for this proposal to provide secure mains electricity supply to currently off grid properties beyond Alwinton in the upper Coquet Valley.

This project is long overdue in providing basic utilities to many properties which are primarily working family farms.

Kind regards

Richard

***Clare & Richard Packer
t/a Murray Cartington
Cartington Farm***



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Please accept this e-mail as an indication of my full support for this Planning Application.

I have lived in the Coquet Valley for 7 years, prior to which I visited many times to walk and cycle in Upper Coquetdale (which I still do), around Barrowburn, in particular.

Access to mains electricity is a basic requirement for everyone, and although this area is remote, the people who live and work in it should benefit from the same services as the rest of us.

One aspect of the NNPA Management Plan is that the Park should thrive, and the provision of mains electricity will support this vision in Upper Coquetdale.

It's clear from the accompanying documentation that a lot of thought has gone into considering different options, with the best approach identified. As one of the main reasons for the Planning Application is to connect the 3 emergency telecom towers in the valley to mains power rather than relying on generators, any visual impact from the proposed poles is secondary. Health and safety issues are considerably more important.

This proposal supports those who live, work, volunteer and visit the area and should be implemented.

Carol Wadsworth
Sharperton

[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED]
To: [DC Consultation](#)
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I would like to register my support for this project to bring mains electricity to Upper Coquetdale. It is important in this day and age that everyone has access to a basic utility ie electricity.

Thank you

David Tanner

The Coach House
Burradon
Morpeth
NE65 7HF

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Dear sir/ madam

I am writing to you to support the above application. Supporting the utilities of rural homes in Northumberland means supporting rural farms who work to put food on our tables. Connection to the mains supply will help to reduce the costs of these rural dwellings , a priority in times of rising fuel costs . Also I think we are all working towards producing food locally to reduce our carbon footprint. This is a step in the right direction.

Yours faithfully

Gillian Singleton

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Dear NNPA

I am unable to use the facility on the planning portal in relation to the above planning application. An error message is generated every time I try. I have added my comments below – I hope this is acceptable.

The Northumberland National Park are committed to sustainable development and mitigation of climate change. In relation to sustainability, the provision of mains electricity in the Upper Valley is covered, arguably, by all of the 17 SD goals

(<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/implementing-the-sustainable-development-goals/implementing-the-sustainable-development-goals--2>)

In particular, goal no. 7 is highly relevant. Using fossil fuels to create electricity within the Northumberland National Park is an anachronism and should be viewed as a shameful state of affairs in the 21st century in one of the most developed countries in the world.

The cultural heritage of the national park is well established around agriculture. It is unreasonable to expect farmers and shepherds to stay disadvantaged purely because of the location used to produce food when there is a remedy available. If modernisation is not allowed, the agricultural heritage will diminish to nothing, thus eroding the cultural heritage of the area, which is a clear breach of the Sanford Principles.

The erection of poles to carry mains electricity is a trivial interference with landscape views. Visual impact is subjective and, despite efforts to define it in the accompanying reports, remains subjective. There can be no other reason to object to the construction of a mains electricity grid and I therefore strongly support this application for the reasons above.

Kind regards

Ian Glendinning

Dueshill Farm

Holystone

NE65 7AL

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Dear Sir,

I would like to support the application to provide mains electricity to some parts of the Upper Coquet Valley.

I am a retired farmer, the fifth generation of my family to farm at Barrowburn.

Mains electricity would enhance the sustainability of this rural community, which relies on expensive, smoky and noisy diesel powered generators for limited amounts of power for their homes and businesses.

The power would also activate communications relays, enabling emergency services, local people and visitors to use a much needed mobile phone signal.

Regards, Ian Tait.

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From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: mains electricity to upper Coquet Valley
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Dear Sir/ Madam. Ref number 23NP0023EL

Having lived all of my life in the upper Coquet valley, I am delighted to hear that eventually the area above Alwinton may get connected to mains electricity..... In this day and age it is unbelievable that families living there still have to rely on generators,I know first hand what it is like If we want to keep our younger generation in the valley we need to move with the times,many of the shepherds / farmers wives work from home needing access to the internet etc. and frequently there are issues regarding the generators!

I therefore give my full backing and support to this project.

Yours sincerely

Janet Wood
Sent via BT Email App

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Subject: Upper Coquetdale mains electricity
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I support the upper Coquetdale to be connected to mains electricity power, and also a mobilephone signal

L Common.Harbottle

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Dear NNPA

I would like to add my whole hearted support for the above application to bring basic services to Upper Coquetdale, that the majority of us in the UK have enjoyed for decades. Many of the properties are within the farming community and the people who live in them work within that community – for the benefit of the rest of us, providing food and caring for the countryside.

This current situation, with the lack of mains electricity (amongst other basic services in some cases) and consequently a mobile signal (nowadays very often a necessity in rural areas from a safety point of view) just doesn't seem right to me.

I understand that the project is currently with you for consultation. I hope it will be allowed to go forward to be presented for consideration by the SOS.

I sometimes feel that Westminster needs to be reminded that there is a whole world north of London and the South, particularly in Northumberland and the North East!

Thank you.

Yours sincerely

Lorraine Goss
(Northumberland resident)

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Dear Sir

I thoroughly support connecting electricity to homes in the Coquet Valley,my family have farmed there for over 60 years and have had to manage on a diesel generator & power minder batteries,which is ridiculous in this day & age ,the cost of running generated electricity is astronomical!my family have been campaigning for mains electricity for many years , I hope at last this will be happening,although I will not benefit as I have retired from the business! Hope my young farming family will finally be connected!

Regards

Susan Singer

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Dear sirs

Many of us have basic utilities that even some of our parents didn't have, that we completely take for granted, such as gas and central heating, clean water, electricity and even a mobile phone signal.

Well for some, who live in rural Northumberland, a decent mobile phone signal is what you hear about in fairy stories and a property without mains electricity? "Surely that only happens in less developed countries?!"

There are many homes across rural Northumberland that were never connected to the mains electricity grid many decades ago because it was just too expensive.

Many of those properties are farms and the people who live in them work to put food on your table.

And now we seem to have a breakthrough in that the first of these areas - Upper Coquetdale (beyond Alwinton).

I urge you to approve this scheme, our rural community deserves to be on grid after all these years. It is essential for them to live in the 21st century and not in the dark ages! They provide vital farming within our community.

Kind regards
Vanessa Willcock
9 Wright's Square
Rothbury
Northumberland
NE65 7BF

Comments received 14/03/2023

SUPPORT

I write in full support of this application. Provision of a power supply to properties further up the coquet valley beyond Alwinton is long overdue. It is an understatement that provision of power to this part of the valley will benefit residents and visitors to this part of the National Park greatly. It will be life changing for remote properties and businesses not to have to rely on diesel generators for power. Every encouragement and support should be given so that works are completed in a timely fashion.

Simon Taylor

The Creel, Alwinton

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Good afternoon

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> Please accept this email as my support for this project. These families need mains electricity!

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> Kind regards

> Karen

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> The Star Inn

> Harbottle

> Morpeth

> Northumberland

> NE65 7DG

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Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: 23NP0023EL
Date: 18 March 2023 10:06:11

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Dear Ms Buylla,

Re Planning Application 23NP0023EL - electrify notification - erection of overhead lines and underground cables to secure a mains electricity supply to the Upper Coquet Valley

I have lived in the Upper Coquet Valley for the last 45 years, all of my life, without mains electricity and it is a massive inconvenience having generators because when they go wrong we are unable to fix them unless we get an engineer who lives miles away and can take several days to get to us. The generators have a massive cost to run.

I am fully supportive of the planning application to provide a mains electricity supply to the properties in the Upper Coquet Valley and the telecoms masts. Without a mains electricity supply people won't move to live in the properties and a valuable community will be lost.

I am also fully supportive of the provision of an electricity supply to power telecoms masts for emergency services which will provide great benefits to the locals and visitors to the area when they get into trouble and need emergency assistance.

The time has come for mains electricity to be supplied to the Upper Coquet Valley and I fully support the planning permission. If the National Park do not support this application they will lose the support of the Upper Coquet Valley community who are often relied upon by visitors to help them when they are in need and to manage the natural environment.

Yours sincerely
Daniel Wood
2 Shillmoor
Harbottle
Morpeth
NE65 7BN

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Upper Coquet Valley.

I fully support any new installation of electricity and any support required to enable the more remote areas of our valley to come into the 21st Century. It seems so out dated and Dickensian that residents are penalised in this way for living a bit more remote than the rest of us.

Please give it your most positive consideration.

Many thanks

Fran Tait
Parish Councillor
Whitton and Tosson

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From: [REDACTED]
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Hello,

I'm a resident of the Coquet Valley and I am writing in support of this application to supply electricity to the homes and farms of Upper Coquetdale. It is a scandal that so many people are having to live without mains electricity in the 21st Century. So many aspects of modern life assume that we all have continuous electricity supply. It's not just the cost and environmental impact of running diesel generators to power their homes. It's becoming increasingly hard to buy appliances that can operate on such an intermittent electricity supply.

I hope the work is carried out as soon as possible.

Regards

Margaret Ranken

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Margaret Ranken
Old School, Holystone, Morpeth, NE65 7AJ
[REDACTED]

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From: [REDACTED]
To: [DC Consultation](#)
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: Notice of application for an electricity notification - Ref: 23NP0023EL
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for the attention of Susannah Bullya case officer

We write to you to register our strong support of the application to provide electricity in the Upper Coquetdale area.

The year is 2023, man has landed on the moon (nearly 54 years ago in fact), there is space travel and many more wonders in our World yet we find there are people near us living without basic utilities, in particular, a mains electricity supply. We find that pretty shocking in today's society where 'clean energy for all' is the modern mantra.

Even more shocking, many of the affected people are farmers who are working long and hard to put food on our table day in day out. Surely this cannot continue. It's shameful and unacceptable that people should have to have to endure these conditions in a modern progressive society.

Mr & Mrs Gordon
NE65 7EE

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Susannah Buylla](#); [DC Consultation](#)
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Date: 16 March 2023 18:55:53

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Dear Susannah,

I am writing to register my support for the planning permission application reference 23NP0023EL concerning the erection of 12km of new overhead lines interspersed with interconnecting underground cables to provide mains electricity to off grid properties in the Upper Coquet Valley and the three emergency telecom masts.

The residents of these properties have been campaigning for years to get a mains electricity supply and now that funding is available it would be a travesty should planning permission not be granted. It is amazing that in 2023 there are still properties in this country and in the Upper Coquet Valley that are not connected to a basic service such as mains electricity that the majority of the population of the UK and indeed most countries in the world have access to. Residents are reliant on diesel generators to power their homes which are expensive, unreliable and not environmentally friendly. The reliance on generators for a basic electricity supply also causes numerous other problems and means that the people living in these properties cannot live in the same way as the rest of the population who are connected to a mains supply.

The other aspect of the planning permission is to provide an electricity supply to emergency telecom cell masts which is another necessity for such a remote area. The area has regular emergency incidents where communications are required and these masts will provide invaluable and much needed connectivity when they are up and running.

I understand that the route has been developed in conjunction with Northumberland National Park Authority, who have also requested that a number of other impact surveys be undertaken. These surveys have been completed and I understand that the route proposed has been developed to address impact concerns. In my opinion there is no reason to reject the planning permission submitted and I therefore request that the Northumberland National Park Authority approve this planning permission.

Yours sincerely

Sam Wood
2 Shillmoor
Harbottle
Northumberland
NE65 7BN

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I am a 17 year old resident ,Ihave lived in the coquet valley all my life. I am currently a college student and I am required to study from home via Microsoft teams ,my computer disconnects from the internet every time somebody puts something else on in the house due to delays in power supply from the generator, which makes studying very challenging and takes me much longer to complete my work than other students. Having no electricity has affected my whole life eg during lock done was my GCSE year and I struggled to keep up with work online solely down to the lack of power supply as described above. Over the years I feel us valley kids have been left behind with technology as the electric supply/internet is non existent, we are unable to connect with friends outside of school/college.

Being connected to mains electricity will have a hugely positive impact on the lives of the young people in the valley.

Yours Hopefully and fingers crossed

William Hindmarsh

Rowhope Farm

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From: webmaster@nnpa.org.uk
To: [DC Consultation](#)
Subject: New comments for application 23NP0023EL
Date: 22 March 2023 15:20:30

New comments have been received for application 23NP0023EL from Shona and Scott Anderson

[REDACTED]

Address:

Linshiels Farm, Harbottle, Morpeth,

Comments:

I have sent several emails in support of this and none of my submissions have been record so I now attach this comment of support. We are tenants of Linshiels Farm and we very much support the supply of mains electricity being brought up the Coquet Valley. The benefits of having mains electricity for the future of the business and getting people to live and work in these remote locations far out way any of the negative points people may have with it. The cost of running and maintaining the generators some of the costs are red diesel which has doubled in price. Oil and filters to change regularly, servicing and parts for the generator with limited resource for this as only one person who lives quite a distance away provides this service resulting in expensive call out charges. If the generator breaks down and needs repaired it can leave you for weeks if not months without a power supply until they can come out and look then order parts for the repair before it can be fixed. There is also a battery and inverter system to maintain, batteries to replace every 7 years at a cost of 4000. Distilled water to top the batteries up. With the cost of living going up it's going to be even harder for families to live and work in these very rural expensive locations. The benefits to the environment too without the Diesel engines running. The supply of electricity to the mast to enable a mobile signal would be very beneficial for the safety of farmers and tourist who go out on the rough land and can get in to difficulty or get lost and need to raise the alarm. Having an accident out in the rural hills and having no phone signal is not ideal or safe. The farmers maintain the land and without them things would deteriorate so having electricity would make it more viable and appealing to families to come live and work these rural and sometimes difficult locations. It is a very lovely place and can look very idilic but unless you have lived and experienced it you won't fully understand the difficulties the farmers and families face living in beautiful but challenging situations. We need to encourage and support future generations so they will want to live and work these farms. Hope this gives you an insight to the challenges we face running a business and bringing up a family in a modern world without all the modern benefit's.

Webmaster

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From: [Susannah Buylla](#)
To: [DC Consultation](#)
Subject: Fwd: Coquet Valley
Date: 24 March 2023 16:11:40

From: Matt Ridley [REDACTED]
Sent: Friday, 24 March 2023, 16:02
To: Susannah Buylla <Susannah.Buylla@nnpa.org.uk>
Subject:

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Hi Susannah,

I just wanted to email you with my support for mains electricity being supplied to the upper coquet valley. I run Blindburn in partnership with my mother who is in her 70s and lives in this farm house.

Running a business without mains electricity is becoming massively expensive and inconvenient. We currently need 2 generators (a main one and a backup) to ensure a constant supply of electricity for my mother and employee who lives in the farm cottage. These are used to feed an inverter which supplies electricity 24/7 but if anything goes wrong with any of them then it means we have to run the spare generator constantly and as I'm sure you'll be aware the cost of this is astronomical as without electricity the houses have no heating. The farm is situated in one of the most remote, coldest parts of the country and to be in this area with no heating for anyone would be unacceptable for anyone in this day and age, let alone a 75 year old woman!

Also we have another cottage on the farm that is currently empty and has been for some time. This is because the generator and inverter system couldn't cope with 3 houses. As a result of this I have to pay a large amount of council tax as an empty home but I have no other option. I would ideally like to have some diversification opportunities for this property as in the coming years the farm basic payment scheme is ending which is going to be problematic financially and with very few other diversification options available to to the position and nature of the land, this may be a vital income stream for the farm going forward.

I believe it will be the same situation for most farms in the coquet valley that mains electricity is now essential in allowing farms to be able to survive the coming farming hardships.

I hope this explains my situation but if you need any further information I will be happy to provide this so please feel free to get in touch.

Regards

Matt

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Sharperton Edge Farm,
Sharperton,
Morpeth,
NE65 7AG.

Planning Application Ref 23NP0023EL

I write in support of the planning application for providing an electrical supply to the properties beyond Alwinton in the Upper Coquet. For in the region of 50 years there has been proposals to bring an electrical supply to the upper reaches of the Coquet valley. I find it unacceptable that in the 21st century not one but 15 properties are still without mains electric. Many of these are working farms that sorely need an adequate power supply to run workshop equipment lighting for livestock sheds, and even the ability to boil a kettle whilst running another appliance at the same time. This is an active community with families that surely deserve what is a basic service. Something that is taken for granted elsewhere.

There is also an environmental aspect to this. Using diesel generators to provide electricity is very costly and has an excessive amount of emissions when compared with a permanent mains supply. These are surely overwhelming reasons for the granting of this permission. As a resident of the valley, it is also note worthy to recognise to the support this project has within the community itself. I have lived and worked here all my life and am well aware that a community needs the services and resources if it is to prosper. My Father was born at The Trows and moved with my Grandparents to Windyhaugh before settling at Sharperton Edge. I know many of those living without mains electric and feel that they are owed a service that they have been without for far too long.

Yours Faithfully

Mac young

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Subject: New comments for application 23NP0023EL
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New comments have been received for application 23NP0023EL from Eric Baines [REDACTED]

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Comments:

I am writing to support this application to extend the provision of main electricity to properties beyond Alwinton.

As a resident within the National Park, I appreciate what a special place it is that must be protected. However, it is also a place to live and work, and the people within the park are best placed to protect it. Failing to provide basic services like electricity, broadband, mobile phone coverage etc with simply result in the park being abandoned and left unprotected.

I support this application on the basis that:-

- 1) electricity is a basic need and should be approved wherever it is required. Suppliers should be encouraged to provide electricity to all premises without it and a principle should be established that all such planning applications would be encouraged and rapidly approved, except in the most exceptional circumstances.
- 2) this will benefit the park's environment by reducing the need for diesel generators, heating by fossil fuels and wood burning.
- 3) it will provide power for the Emergency Services Network (ESN) which provides essential communications for the emergency services, enhancing the safety of the local residents and visitors.
- 4) it will enable the provision of mobile phone services, reducing the isolation in the area and further enhancing safety.
- 5) rural isolation will be still further increased by the imminent withdrawal of the Plain Old Telephone Service (POST) which is powered by the remote telephone service. The only way to combat this is by having electrical power at the premises.
- 6) it will provide essential support for local businesses, enabling these businesses to continue, thrive and expand.
- 7) it will support young school-aged children in their education, as power is needed for the technology essential for modern education.

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