

I do not believe that the road - that is being proposed to be built - will mitigate the travel problems on the local roads and will be sufficient to allay the safety issues in the villages. The Manor Farm Solar Farm build affected the local rural roads far more than was first anticipated. I recently contacted the Head of North Bedfordshire Highways Department. On Friday May 1st, 2026, he is visiting my property to review the problems of traffic and maintenance of Great Staughton Road in Pertenhall. If the East Park Energy project goes ahead, I do not believe that there will be sufficient safeguards put in place to manage the inevitable problems. I have seen no written information that reassures me re the noise when the piling for the panels commences. I have had no response, for my request that Mr Sword will visit my property, to see at first hand the distance from the site and the cracks in my property caused by piling in 2015. Permission for this project should be refused because of the adverse effects on the local environment and the use of good quality agricultural land for an industrial project.