

My name is John Eavis and I farm with my wife son and family at Manor Farm Corston and have done so for 63 years.

The impact on the farm business and our family is significant and includes.

1. The area of land affected by IGP's compulsory purchase acquisition proposals extends to almost 90 acres of our best farmland and includes the ability to create construction compounds, car parks, office and welfare facilities in addition to the installation of cables and haul roads these rights are disproportionate for a scheme of this nature and we do not believe that IGP or their agents have adequately engaged or consulted on these requirements that should be clearly identified and reduced from present plans.
2. The impact on drainage and flood risk is huge as you are no doubt aware of the flooding of Corston in recent years. To date we have seen no water management plans. This must be

addressed as there is a significant stream and road ditches running through the village. The proposed access road will definitely affect the field run off and water flow from our farm fields.

3. The proposal includes taking a charge over 90 acres of our farm land which will affect the future value of our farm and is completely detrimental to our operational nature based way of farming, it impacts on many public rights of way in the area where they wish to locate their roadway and cable.
4. Our sustainable Farming Scheme will be destroyed, the Lime Down Solar Park Scheme is totally antagonistic to a UK Government Environmental Scheme.
5. The A429 is now regarded nationally as a main artery from the Midlands to the south coast, it is a single carriageway and is inadequate for the delivery of tonnes of infrastructure which will be required in terms of daily traffic throughout construction and the management required to access the Rodbourne site. I do not believe that

these large loads will be able to get under the railway bridges and so will have to be brought to site over our land.

6. Our health is clearly impacted by the stress that this proposed scheme is bringing is incalculable, the inaccurate information at present, lack of clarity, the concern about what our business will look like before and after if this scheme is allowed is unfair and unreasonable. Thank you for your time and we urge you to also consider the human impact of this ill thought scheme which is being pushed on us as a family farm