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I wish to convey my very strong and vigorous opposition and objection to the Whitestone project. Access to open green spaces, fresh air, countryside and nature in this locality will be very seriously curtailed if this solar farm is allowed to go ahead. It will be a blot on our lovely local countryside.
This area, where we live, is already extremely densely populated with a great deal of vehicular traffic. The green spaces within walking distance - or a very short journey - will be largely taken away. We will need to use a vehicle to travel in order to have access to green leisure. This seems very counter-productive and short-sighted. It will massively impact upon the lives of young people - our grandchildren - who cannot currently object because they are under eighteen.
This area is not a wealthy one. We, in this locality of South Yorkshire, have already taken a number of blows as a result of the swift and sudden decimation of the coal industry and the steel industry. I dearly hope and pray that we will not be dealt another life diminishing blow. Saving these vital green spaces will be an uplifting and positive outcome for the future of this area.
Our children, grandchildren, friends, colleagues and neighbours also have very strong objections. The project should most certainly be halted. Other solutions need to be investigated and found. Thank you.