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Subject: Whitestone Solar Farm EN0110020 — Site Inspection Request
I request that the Examining Authority visits the following locations to understand the impact of Whitestone Solar Farm on horses and riders:
Conisbrough Parks Bridleways 13, 2 and 4 (including the proposed location of the substation adjacent to the Conisbrough parks bridleway no 4)
Braithwell bridleway 4
Ravenfield Bridleway 4.
Common Lane, Ravenfield.
Braithwell Road near Thornberry Animal Sanctuary.
Proposed construction vehicle crossing points on existing bridleways.
I am concerned about the safety of horses and riders around construction traffic, HGVs, machinery, noise and proposed crossing arrangements.
Keeping a bridleway open does not necessarily mean it remains safe for horse riders.
I ask the Examining Authority to establish what evidence and research Whitestone has relied upon concerning equine behaviour and safety, and whether the proposed crossing arrangements have been properly assessed - what is safe for a cyclist or pedestrian is not safe for a horse.
I would welcome the Inspectors visiting these locations to see the conditions for themselves and that the rights of way are considered as "user" experiences rather than one photo as this is not representative