

I wish to register my strongest opposition to National Grid's request to take the former hoverport to use in their proposed SEALINK development.

This, like Pegwell Bay, is a valuable local amenity. It is peaceful, rewilded, a haven for nature and used and visited by the community.

The type of construction and length of project proposed by NG will decimate this local resource, drive away the wildlife, destroy habitats and steal from us one of our only true local protected nature sites.

Public footpaths and rights of way will be impacted. Noise, light, vibration will blight homes and businesses.

NG have failed to respond satisfactorily to residents concerns.

I visit this area and stunning coastline daily and the level of destruction of a treasured local resource is truly distressing. I urge the planning authority to reject this application and to safeguard and protect the old hoverport and designated SSSI Pegwell Bay.