

Hi, I am so horrified to hear that National Grid want to takeover all of the area, known locally, as the old rewilded hoverport site.

I am writing to object to National Grid wanting to compulsory purchase the old rewilded Hoverport site. This area is loved by the locals and holiday makers alike for the nature and wildlife that there is there. It is a lovely tranquil peaceful place where people can go to relax and get away from the stresses of life, which is easily accessible for all people including wheelchair users. For National Grid to purchase this place and close it off to the public will have a massive detrimental impact upon people's mental health and sense of wellbeing

There is also the increased risk of all of the heavy goods vehicles, machinery and equipment causing damage to the surface layer of the hoverport site and releasing contaminants and polluting Pegwell Bay, our National Nature reserve. Has any consideration been given to this? I really feel that National Grid are not thinking about our environment and the harm and destruction that they will be inflicting upon it. There are other sites available to them so please reconsider and use a not so environmentally important area. Please rethink this Sealink project as I along with many others do not think that this is the only way! There are Seals that live in Pegwell Bay and all the noise and disruption will disturb them also along with many other wildlife. Local businesses and residents will be impacted by this also, has any thought been given to them?

Why should National Grid be allowed to compulsory purchase this when I read that years ago there was a new microscopic genus that stopped the Hoverports expansion!

Has any surveys on this area been done? This should be a very important factor! Documentation of any surveys in this area should be done and made public so we will all know the true extent this Sealink project will cause!

I love going for walks along Pegwell Bay, and this area, along with so many others and hate the thought of it being destroyed unnecessarily. If National Grid do get their way, this area will be repeatedly used for their own means, and the area will never be allowed to rewild itself and be the lovely peaceful place that it is today! It has taken 40 years to recover from being used before! And is still in the process of recovering!