

I am not satisfied with the case made for landfall at Pegwell Bay and converter station on Minster Marshes. This is not the cheapest option when the price to the environment is taken into account.

I do not understand why brownfield, less environmentally damaging sites cannot be used.

I am still concerned about the feasibility of being able to bring cable up through Pegwell Bay using trenchless methods.

This is an environmentally sensitive site which must be protected. Recent fire damage has added to the pressure on the bay.

The mitigation that has been proposed is entirely inadequate to compensate for the loss of habitat and functionally linked land of Minster Marshes.

I am concerned that the placing of this huge converter station on Minster Marshes where there is currently open fields and countryside will set a precedent for placing more of such infrastructure on the marshes, destroying this vital wildlife corridor.

Green energy must not be at the expense of our natural environment.