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Subject: Unaccompanied site visits : Cotton, Suffolk

Dear team,

I have been looking at the the unaccompanied site visits information which you have posted.

Whilst we were pleased to see that the Inspectorate team had driven through Cotton, according to the route taken, this would NOT have shown them where the pylons would most significantly affect the Parish, our residents and farmers. It did not take in the land to the East of Dandy Corner including the Heritage Asset, Hempnalls Hall, nor the swathes of farmland running south from there where the majority of the proposed pylons would run across fields.

The Inspectorate team may have had the chance, if they paused going south, to see The Wimble, an isolated property at the edge of the Parish that we have drawn attention to at the Hearings and in written submissions.

Here the pylons pass the nearest and will overwhelm this 500 year old cottage and the abundant wildlife that surrounds it. The construction phase, if no adjustment is made near the Wimble will be a nightmare for the family given the single narrow access to the property.

Please ensure that those who passed through Cotton are made aware of this.

Yours sincerely

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Cotton Parish Council