

I'm still deeply concerned that this project is being railroaded through without paying any attention to the genuine issues that have been raised time and time again. It seems that shortcuts are being made which will ultimately lead to my energy bills increasing, [REDACTED]. I need every penny of my income to survive.

Why is this improvement to the National Grid infrastructure not being carried out offshore? It's clearly the best option all round? It seems that the statistics are being totally ignored!

I live in Holton St Mary on the North side of the already very busy B1070. The current proposal of creating a service road to run along the Northern side of the village means that there will be another busy road a few hundred metres behind my house. If this must be built, consideration should be given to use this road permanently as a village bypass. We have a 30 mph speed restriction through our village but nobody actually parks on the B1070 as it's far too dangerous to do so!

The junction on the A12/B1070, both sides is also a very dangerous one with many road users opting to join the A12 at an alternative junction. This WHOLE junction should be upgraded to increase the slip road's lengths and visibility. The B1070 needs 2 roundabouts either side of the A12, this would slow down speeding traffic. This is one of the few sections of straight road without a speed restriction and many many motorists take advantage of this! I feel my life is in danger every time I use this junction!

Our beautiful countryside is yet again threatened unnecessarily, WHY?

Instead of increasing the "above ground" grid, consideration must be given to its reduction with the utilisation of under grounding. This, for many years, been a topic of conversation amongst lovers of the countryside.

PLEASE USE AN OFFSHORE GRID TO FORM A COHERENT RING AROUND OUR GREAT COUNTRY. Not many nations have the luxury of being an island, how wonderful and sensible it would be! It make sense because our nuclear power stations are on the coast and the amount of offshore wind turbines is increasing at an alarming rate.

And lastly, let's focus on energy savings to decrease our demand on this very old grid system instead of wildly increasing it.