Comment for planning application WSCC/045/20

Application number Name	WSCC/045/20 Matthew Cornish
Address	GLADSTONE ROAD, 14, GLADSTONE ROAD, BURGESS HILL, RH15 0QQ
Type of Comment	Objection
Comments	Not only is fracking bad for our climate, it risks causing air, water and sound pollution. It uses toxic chemicals where regulation may not be adequate. An accident could mean that these chemicals leak into water supplies or cause pollution above ground. In fact, this has happened many times in the US. On top of all this, the impact on the British countryside would be enormous. Thousands of wells would be needed to produce just half of the UK's gas demand. This industrial operation would also require huge numbers of trucks delivering chemicals and taking away contaminated waste water. Fracking won't even bring down our energy bills because the way the energy market works means any gas from fracking will be sold to the highest bidder, which won't help reduce bills.
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