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**Cc:** [REDACTED] Incinerator - Ford Road. Arundel. Planning Comments / WSCC/011/21  
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Dear Sirs

Further to the above application I write to object to such a plant being built on the Ford Road site. Apart from the incinerator emissions plans hopefully, show they will be properly filtered, the local roads are totally unsuitable for the heavy containers transporting the waste from the recycling sites.

Ford Road is used by people walking to and from oFord Rail Station, including children needing to get to their secondary school. In parts the road has no pavement. House building is taking place for several hundred homes in the area, so presumably more children will possibly be needing to use the train to get to their secondary school.

Will there be monitoring of the waste to ensure the things to be burned have been through a rigorous recycling process and definitely cannot be reused?

I understand that in a 'Western society' people expect instant energy, but sincerely hope West Sussex County Council will not grant permission for what may turn out to be a quick fix solution.

Better recycling information and systems in the county should be considered and used before burning more 'waste'. Arundel does not even have a separate food waste collection, nor home separation of paper, metal, glass recycling. Surely this should be a basic and necessary requirement.

More information and promotion on the West Sussex County Council (WSCC) website and annual Waste Collection update to households is needed. There's no information for TerraCycle UK, Loop with Tesco and refill outlets in the recycling leaflets or website. Local charities, schools and youth organisations could earn cash through recycling with TerraCycle, for example a couple in Lancing have been doing so for at least a decade, raising over £42,000 for local charities.

I accept it would entail a long delay but surely a competition for engineers to produce something to burn waste that is efficient but more pleasing to people living within its view, might prove more acceptable than the proposed blot on the landscape.

Yours faithfully

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