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CONSULTATION RESPONSE – NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK
Response on behalf of Llanafan Fawr, Duhonw, Cilmeri and Llanwrthwl Community Councils, of Powys County Council.

A joint meeting of Llanafan Fawr, Duhonw, Cilmeri and Llanwrthwl Community Councils was held at Llanafan Fawr Community Centre on 17th October 2019, to discuss the draft Welsh Government document – ‘The National Development Framework’. It was attended by over 50 residents.

There was concerns raised in relation to –

Policy 10 – ‘Wind and Solar Energy in priority areas’. Areas 6 and 8.

Negative impact on tourism.

Lack of connectivity to the National Grid.

Lack of capacity in the area to connect to the National Grid.

Failure to identify sensitive areas ie SSI, SAC.

Map of proposed areas has so little detail, it is difficult to know exactly where the boundaries actually lie.

Policy 9 – ‘National Forest’ – Proposal to increase woodland cover by at least 2000 hectares/annum from 2020.

Need to consider impact on traditional livestock farming.

Ensure planting is not only native hardwoods, but softwood species that will be commercially viable for future harvesting.

The Regions – Mid and South West Wales.

This area is too large. Sparsely populated rural areas in authorities such as Powys have very little in common with urban areas of Swansea, Neath and Port Talbot.

We hope the Welsh Government will give due consideration to the concerns raised above.

Regards,

Miss Megan Price.

Clerk to Llanafan Fawr and Llanwrthwl Community Councils.

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