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To whom it may concern

I would like to object to the latest proposals regarding wind farms in mid Wales.

- The Mid Wales landscapes should be protected and that an acceptance of landscape change as set out in the proposals is entirely unacceptable.
- Our rural economy supports thousands of businesses and jobs that are dependent on the scenic mid wales landscapes.
- In England, local councils are able to determine Wind Energy applications, and applications must have the backing of local communities to be approved. It is unacceptable that applications in Wales are determined through a decision by Welsh Government Ministers and not local authorities.
- The proposals in the document make insufficient reference to how energy produced by potential large scale wind developments will be connected to the National Grid.
- There is insufficient road and highway access across North Powys to facilitate large scale wind development and associated However, from my perspective, it seems as though the Welsh Government is determined to do all it can to ignore the views of Mid Wales people.
- Local people have seen off a number of attempts to destroy large areas of Powys' beautiful countryside with large scale pylon infrastructure, and be in no doubt that I will be prepared to campaign again to prevent any kind of devastating proposals see the light of day.

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