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Ribbe Valley Borough Council
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Dear Sir

Planning application no: 3/2012/0539 3 x windturbines at Carr Hall Wilpshire

Wilpshire Parish Council objects to this application in the strongest possible terms for the following reasons:

The visual impact in an area of green belt and open countryside:

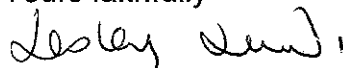
Its proximity to a public right of way;

Noise impact for local community.

We would refer you to an appeal decision for a 12m high monopole telecommunications mast at Grange Farm, Parsonage Road, Wilsphire ref 3799/0654P which was refused by the borough council and ref: T/APP/T2350/A/00/1040561/P2 which was dismissed – para 13:

'In my opinion, the appeal structures would be incongruous in this predominantly rural area. Although I appreciate that the design introduction of a tall and visually prominent structure here would be harmful to the open and unspoilt character of this part of the countryside. The appeal structures would be conspicuous from many parts of the surrounding countryside and, because of their nature, perceived as intrusive in views across the landscape

Yours faithfully



Lesley Lund
Clerk to the Council

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