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**Sent:** 11 March 2025 11:16  
**To:** Planning Control  
**Subject:** Application NY/2025/0030/ENV. Burniston

Good morning,

I wish to register my strongest objection to the planning application above which has been submitted by Europa Gas and Oil.

This is a most devious and vexatious application as everybody, Europa included, knows that the process which they propose to carry out in the confines of our residential village is actually Fracking by another name. Fracking of course is a process which has been banned by successive governments as it has been proven to be dangerous and detrimental to the local environment and also to the wildlife and residents.

As well as the underground damage caused by the fracking process there is also the day to day effect on the local population and its infrastructure. The 30 metre high drilling rig requested will be a complete eyesore for the local community and will certainly deter visitors to an area which relies upon tourism as a major source of income. Add to this the huge number of journeys which are proposed to be made by heavy goods vehicles then the congestion and physical damage to already worn out roads will be a major problem for residents and visitors alike.

I urge the planning committee to listen to the concerns not only of the residents of the area but also to the experts from national government and reject this application in its entirety. It has clearly been made in a way which Europa hope will circumvent national planning policy and allow fracking to be allowed by the back door.

Yours sincerely,  
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