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Dear Sir/Madam

Being residents of Burniston, we are deeply concerned about the proposed intentions of Europa Gas & Oil .

I cannot believe that with all that is going on in the world, global warming, pollution etc that it is even being considered to have a company searching for fossil fuel sources when we are supposed to be looking moving away from that and looking at green energy and renewable energy sources.

So when we go to these “summits” are we just telling everyone else that we need reduce our use of fossil fuels to reduce global warming and we are actually just carrying on regardless!!

I don't believe that the Council is naive enough to even consider Europa's proposed plans. They haven't even fulfilled their duties to have a seismic survey carried out. There is a lot of talk about groundwater contamination, as a resident, it is well known that the road where the proposed site is, is subject to flooding whenever we have heavy rainfall. So where is all this contaminated water going to end up?

Where are all these heavy lorries that will be used going to go ! What is the proposed route for them out of Scarborough? Everyone knows that Scarborough and the surrounding area can't cope with the amount of traffic now !

What will happen when the holiday makers come ? They'll probably stay away !! This will have a massive effect on the local economy!

There are many, many reasons why this proposal should be rejected.

I was also under the understanding that this Government was due to completely ban the use of Fracking in any form!!

I do hope that you consider this planned proposal carefully

Thank you for listening

Kind regards

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