

Limekiln Wind Farm Section 36C Consultation – Feedback

Name	
Email	
1. What are your views on the use of renewable energy to help meet our energy requirements? <i>(onshore and offshore wind power, solar power, biomass, wave and tidal power, amongst others)</i>	Very opposed
2. What are your views on the use of wind energy in particular to help meet our energy requirements?	Very opposed
3. How do you feel about the Limekiln Section 36C variation proposal?	Very opposed
4. How close do you live to the proposed wind farm site?	Further away than 5 kilometres (3.1 miles)
3b. Why do you hold this view? Please state	Wind energy will never be a substitute for more reliable sources. It is very environmentally damaging both to the land and wild life, taking up far more land area than a nuclear power station, or SMRs, to produce unreliable electricity in an age which requires this 24/7. It is useless when the wind does not blow at the right speed and in an area like this will gain considerable constraints payments when generating more than can be used. No more windfarms are needed in Caithness.
5. If you have any further	This whole procedure is a disgrace. If the extension and

interests, please state below:

variation are consented we will end up with a much larger windfarm than the original refused application. The developers are ruthless in their pursuit of money regardless of the effect on the community and whole area.

If other, please state below

emailed alert from Highland Council

7. Please use the area below to ask a specific question or comment on the project:

It is a huge increase in turbine size compared with the consented application but the display boards do not make this clear. It would have been more honest to have a separate board showing the size increase with more explanation and more detail, e.g. blade length which is very important. The smaller turbines from the original are almost invisible. Three separate diagrams with all lengths shown would be clearer.

8. If you would like us to respond to any questions or comments you have made, please indicate here and we will get back to you shortly:

Response wanted
