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**NO** - to renewables that will cause damage to sensitive and important landscapes, historical sites and heritage 😞

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NO - to renewables that will cause damage to sensitive and important landscapes, historical sites and heritage

I support the Planners recommendations to REFUSE this application.

Name: Elaine mullan

Address: 18 church view Drumsurn, BT49 0UY

Elaine Mullan



**Laura Crawford**

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**Sent:** Tuesday, November 21, 2023 11:19:05 pm  
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**Sent:** 21 November 2023 23:11  
**To:** Planning  
**Subject:** Objection to Magheramore wind farm LA01/2019/0922/F

I object outright to the above planning application, due to the adverse impact it will have on the local area especially BanagherGlen , the Sperrins AONB and further surrounding area. I totally support the planners in their refusal.  
Geraldine O’Kane, 66 Birren Road Dungiven. [REDACTED] Sent from my iPhone

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Name: Matthew Stewart

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**Sent:** 21 November 2023 21:59  
**To:** Planning  
**Subject:** LA01/2019/0922/F – Magheramore wind farm

I just want to highlight my dispute of the planned wind farm for banagher dam. Our countryside is already littered with wind turbines and the detrimental effects it would have to our local community's health and well being would be catastrophic.

Do not let this go ahead!

Michelle farrell

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**Sent:** 21 November 2023 21:43  
**To:** Planning  
**Subject:** Magheramore wind farm - LA01/2019/0922F

Dear Sirs

I wish to lodge my objection against this planning application.

If you can please confirm receipt.

Many thanks

Sean  
Sent from my iPhone

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**Sent:** 22 November 2023 08:15  
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Address: 119 Legavallon Road, Dungiven

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**Sent:** 22 November 2023 08:13  
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Name: Ryan Murphy

Address: 46 Rallagh Rd

I am the Director of an adventure company based in Derry City and running outdoor activities in the North West of Ireland. Our company regularly leads walking tours to highlight the topographical value and environmental beauty of the Sperrins area. Specifically we have led hiking groups in recent years in Banagher, Mullaghaneaney, Carntogher and White Mountain, all locations close to this proposed site and within view of it. I feel that the environment in the Sperrins is being undervalued generally as a tourism and recreational resource for residents and visitors alike, and seen far too much as an area to exploit commercially, be that by energy companies or other investors. As the Sperrins is gained popularity and acclaim for its unique ecosystems and history, it seems that this application, among others, will negatively affect the skyline as well as the overall appeal of the Sperrins as a recreational destination. We also lead walks in locations that include wind farms and I can attest to the fact that they do not respect the natural landscape in terms of their footprint and appearance- they alter the qualities of both significantly. I hope you will turn down this application as over-reaching and inappropriate for the area suggested. Thank you

As a keen hiker and lover of our beautiful Sperrins I am outraged at the prospect at MORE wind turbines being erected. Quite a lot of the Sperrins is already covered in wind turbines which are loud and completely spoil the beautiful views. The thought of more turbines that will be so obviously conspicuous is appalling. This is an area of outstanding beauty that appeals to all ages and as such should be treated as an ideal draw for tourism rather than being further butchered with yet more wind turbines. Being in such a prominent site they will be seen from miles away and will spoil the beautiful skyline of Benbradagh which cannot be allowed to happen.

As a regular hiker in this area, these turbines will prove a complete eyesore in an area of natural outstanding beauty. These must not be passed!! Do not see planning for turbines in the Mourne mountains!!