

Woodsetts villagers awoke to another official notice posted by INEOS at the site Off Dinnington Road yesterday (attached). It stated this new application was expected to be submitted to RMBC on the 13th June. The plans include:-

Construction of well site

Creation of new access track

Mobilisation of drilling, ancillary equipment and contractor welfare facilities

Drilling and pressure transient testing a vertical hydrocarbon exploratory well

mobilisation of workover rig and listening well operations

retention of site well head assembly for five years

These are the same key elements as in the previous application which was unanimously (14-0) rejected by RMBC in March 2018.

INEOS have already appealed against 2 other shale gas applications in our region at Harthill in Rotherham & Marsh Lane in Derbyshire. We are still awaiting the results of the public inquiry into the Harthill application which is expected fairly soon. Marsh Lane's inquiry commences on the 19th June. Woodsetts are yet to hear whether INEOS will appeal against the previous application in the village.

So WAF will continue to battle/fight against any form of exploratory drilling or fracking in our beautiful countryside. Anyone wishing to find out more about how they can support or help in our mission can contact us via:-

Woodsetts Against Fracking (WAF)

(WAF) are a group of residents mainly from the Village of Woodsetts in Rotherham.

THE PURPOSE OF THE WAF GROUP

We object to fracking very strongly and we do so legally, peacefully and in a decent professional manner. Our funding comes from voluntary contributions from members of the public/businesses and from fund raising activities.

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