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Dear planning team,

I am a GP working in North East England. I am writing to object to the following:

R/2023/0246/RMM  
R/2023/0247/OOM  
R/2023/0227/CD  
R/2023/0224/CD  
R/2023/0253/RMM

I feel strongly that incineration, even with energy capture, is NOT the way we need to be dealing with waste. Building these plants will reduce the motivation for reducing waste and improving recycling. The local health risks from pollution are also unknown though likely to be significant, and I believe a cautionary principle is vital here – that is, because we don't yet fully know and understand the impact on local people's health from the particles released, we shouldn't do it until we do.

I will write again with more details about my objections to the specific projects.

With thanks,

Emily

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