JOIN THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST MASSIVE AND PERMANENT EXPANSION OF OIL DRILLING AT HORSE HILL LET'S FIGHT THIS TOGETHER!

Please tell Surrey County Council you OBJECT to the plans. The decision is currently due to be made on 11 September 2019. Send your comments ASAP so they can be fully considered

- View the plans on Surrey County Council's website search for application ref SCC 2018/0152 or go to: https://planning.surreycc.gov.uk/planappdisp.aspx?AppNo =SCC+Ref+2018%2f0152
- Post your objection on the Council website, or email mwcd@surreycc.gov.uk. Make sure to include the reference number SCC 2018/0152 and your name and address.

Join other local residents who feel strongly about this.

- Email BackOffHH@protonmail.com and we'll add you to our email list. Join us on Facebook: facebook.com/HorseHillPG and contact the local Extinction Rebellion group: xrreigateandredhill@gmail.com
- **Support the Protection Camp:** Drop in for a cup of tea at the A217/Horse Hill junction, opposite the Black Horse, RH6 0HN
- Visit **www.frackfreesurrey.com** for news and updates about Horse Hill and other local oil and gas sites

SAY NO TO PLANNING PERMISSION FOR MORE WELLS







HORSE HILL DON'T INDUSTRIALISE OUR COUNTRYSIDE



Horse Hill Developments Ltd is currently testing oil flows from its two wells at Horse Hill. They've applied for planning permission for five new wells, one to dispose of contaminated waste water. They say they could produce more than 500 tonnes of oil a day. For 25 years. This would make Horse Hill the UK's second largest onshore oil site – and open the door to more drilling across the Weald.

WHY DOES IT MATTER?

Climate Change: Scientists warn that we have less than 12 years to keep temperature rises within safe limits and avoid environmental breakdown. Drilling for new oil will only make climate change worse – while renewable energy is cheap, clean and popular.

Acidisation: An unconventional technique called acidisation will be used to break down the rock and allow oil to flow. Large volumes of acid will be pumped into the ground. It takes 56,000+ litres of fresh water to acidise 30 metres of pipe .

Water Pollution: Most of this acid water is pumped back to the surface. On the way it may gather mildly radioactive materials and heavy metals. It is either treated (involving tanker transport to a treatment facility) or pumped back into the ground.

Air Pollution: Gas flaring and the use of diesel engines will add to local air pollution. Already we've seen three tonnes of gas flared off in just one day, with only one well.

Traffic: Horse Hill Developments Ltd estimate there will be 32 tanker movements daily (1 every 20 minutes) for 20 years, causing congestion, pollution, noise and road damage.

Industrialisation: Lights, noise, traffic and pollution add up to the industrialisation of this quiet rural area.

Earthquake Risk: 33 recent earthquakes in Surrey show the area is far less stable than once thought. Surrey's 'quakes coincided with the re-start of oil operations at Horse Hill.

Community Harmed: More traffic, more noise, more light, more pollution, more drilling, more oil sites, falling house prices.