

Andrew Bishop [via email]

Planning, Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority

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**Comment on Planning Application: E/11/56Bowderdale Foot Barn, Bowderdale**

**Full planning permission for conversion of agricultural barn to form two dwellings, one for use as holiday let, installation of solar voltaic panels to east and west roof slopes, and installation of package treatment plant**

Dear Mr Bishop

Friends of the Dales do not object to this application as a whole, but we are concerned at the proposal to install solar voltaic panels on both the west and east slopes of the roof.

We do not object to such panels on the west pitch, which is at present covered in metal sheeting. But we recommend that the attractive stone slab cover which nicely complements the house is retained on the east pitch.

Yours sincerely



Wilf Fenten, Chair, Policy and Planning Committee

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