

# Help stop Fracking in Burniston, Scarborough!

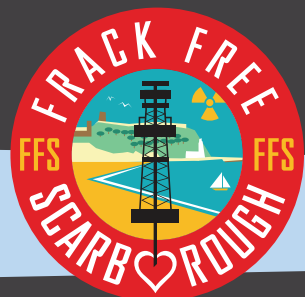
There is a moratorium on fracking (hydraulic fracturing) in the UK – for good reason.

Fracking contaminates water, industrialises the countryside, causes earthquakes, damages human and animal health, worsens the climate emergency, and destroys communities.

Despite the dangers of fracking, despite the growing climate emergency, the fossil fuel industry once again wants to frack in North Yorkshire - this time much closer to our home.

Egdon Resources & Europa Oil & Gas are applying to drill on land just off the Burniston Coastal Road.

Their proposal involves a form of fracking called 'proppant squeeze' – which exploits a loophole in the moratorium.



# Fracking Myths

**Onshore gas provides energy security**  
The quantity produced will likely be insignificant in terms of energy security

**Fracking reduces energy prices**  
The UK buys oil and gas on the international market; renewable energy could be produced more cheaply than oil and gas

**Fracking creates jobs**  
Fracking jobs largely relate to exploration and drilling, rather than providing long-term employment stability.

# Fracking Fact

**Reduced Property Values**  
'The prospect of fracking in your area is a bit like putting a motorway or railway, like HS2, through your front garden. It is going to have an impact on the value of your property.'

Ray Boulger, from leading mortgage advisor John Charcol

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