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Comment type: You support the planning application

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Comment: I am surprised that the process for the approval of reservoirs is not shortened due to the status of water storage in the UK. The last major water supply reservoir was constructed in the early 1990s and water storage per capita is clearly lagging the world and below what is needed.

Any water storage should be welcomed as it reduces pressure on drinking water supplies and, in this case, will also to some extent reduce the extent of local flooding.

I support the building of this reservoir as the benefits outweigh all other impacts.