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	<p>We've been visited by a representative of Brsk Network informing us about installations of telegraph poles in the Close with cables going across to properties, we want it to be known that we do object to this and we are also aware that neighbours are of the same mind.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Could you please communicate any information regarding this matter.	<p>Thank you for your enquiry relating to the installation of telegraph poles in your area. However, the operator does not require permission from the Council to install this type of pole, so we are unable to take any action.</p> <p>It would therefore be advisable to contact the operator directly to raise your concerns.</p> <p>The Council's Planning Committee considered a report in April 2023 titled 'Telecommunications Infrastructure and the Planning System'.</p> <p>The purpose of this report is to inform Members of the role of the Council from a planning perspective in the deployment of telecommunications development. It provides a background and explanation of the decision-making processes around telecoms infrastructure through the planning system, and also explains what and importantly, what is not, in the Council's control when assessing planning applications associated with this infrastructure. The report can be viewed online on the Council's website at the following link:</p> <p>(Public Pack) Agenda Document for Planning Committee, 11/04/2023 14:00 (wigan.gov.uk)</p>