



'The Storage Tank'

- This is not a reservoir, it's an enormous storage tank.
- Press releases suggest it will be like Farmoor, a pleasant place to visit with walks and views over the reservoir. Nothing could be further from the truth.
- The walls of Farmoor are 1-2 metres (3-6 feet) high. The walls of Abingdon reservoir will be 25 metres (80 feet high). More than 3 houses high. There will be no views over the water.
- Because Thames Water want the reservoir to be as big as possible, there isn't the room for promised 'landscaping to blend it into the countryside'. To suggest otherwise is just insulting.
- This will be one of the highest structures in the Vale of the White Horse and security concerns means we probably won't be allowed anywhere near it.