About the application

Application number: 2019/90190	
What is the application for?:	Erection of 3 dwellings (within a Conservation Area)
Address of the site or building:	adj, 1, Lowgate, Kirkburton, Huddersfield, HD8 0SE
Postcode:	HD8 0SE

User comments

Type of comment: An objection

I wish to object to this plan.
I fail to understand why this land, in a conservation area, needs to be built on when there are all those new houses being built in Highburton.
This land has been part of the village of Kirkburton since I moved in here in . It was used by the community for various reasons over the years and was always full of birds , and even the occasional squirrel. It was obtained without any knowledge of the surrounding property owners or even the people who were trying to tidy it, and planting apple trees, building paths and planting small plants. Trees were cut down, which had once had protection orders on them, or at least we were told

I a road widening scheme which was later abandoned. George Street is a very busy road carrying some heavy traffic. If you allow these houses to go ahead it will make the chance of having the road widened impossible as Kirklees will not be willing , or probably financially able, to buy back these houses. Also, it is a very dangerous road as our house has been hit by a bus and substantial damage caused and there have been at least two cases of cars hitting the wall which will overlook these houses. What if another car fails to negotiate the bend, or a truck, and goes through the wall onto these homes?
The suggested driveways of these houses will open onto a very narrow road and a bad bend, this narrow road is used by a lot of traffic, usually travelling rather fast.
The houses will effect by cutting down the sunlight and daylight

If this planning goes ahead are you going to ensure that the houses will be built of stone to blend in with the rest of the village and not be an eyesore as the new estate in Highburton is, built of red brick.