

## About the application

Application number: 2020/92331	
What is the application for?:	Outline planning application for demolition of existing dwellings and developmen
Address of the site or building:	Land east of, Leeds Road, Chidswell, Shaw Cross, Dewsbury
Postcode:	

## User comments

Type of comment: An objection
<p>I object strongly to the proposed development for the following reasons:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- The increased pollution will have an adverse affect on the residents in the areas health and quality of life. This is will be more significant during the construction.</li><li>- The loss of green space, used by many people in the area for exercise and to get access to nature will be lost permanently. The band of green space provides our oxygen.</li><li>- The drainage issues that will result will harm the ancient woodlands within the proposed development area.</li><li>- The increase in traffic caused by building so many houses and units in one area will increase travel times and reduce the capability of emergency services, particularly ambulances coming from Pinderfields, to get to emergencies in time at peak times in this immediate area.</li><li>- Speeding and dangerous driving on Chidswell Lane will increase further. Cars are already using Chidswell Lane as a rat run, often doubling the speed limit in order to bypass the traffic on Leeds road.</li><li>- It is a lazy effort to hit the targets set on the council and I expect more effort, especially given the timeframe the targets have to be hit. There are more than enough (Tenfold enough!) smaller plots across the district that could be developed in order to hit the targets without causing so much devastation in one small area that already suffers with congestion.</li></ul> <p>The green belt is all we have left in the way of countryside walks and running/ walking space.</p> <p>Its a shameful and lazy attempt at ticking boxes- especially when there are so many 'eyesore' plots that need bringing into use, that combined would easily hit the targets without destroying the last bit of green space in the area.</p>