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Dear sirs

I am contacting you regarding planning ref 2020/92331 and 2020/ 92450.

Whilst not against development as such, it should be at the right place and right time. The decision to even consider this in the current climate baffles me. To consider destroying pristine farmland at this time of world shortages of grain is puzzling. We are also going into recession with interest rates climbing steeply are people going to be investing in new property?

Traffic is another concern, living just off Batley rd I see this every day, both on Batley rd and Leeds rd.

Already bad, it will only get worse as the Redrow development at Haigh woods the new estate on Owl lane and the developments down challenge way begin to pour thier traffic onto already congested roads.

There is also the loss of wildlife habitat to consider. Walking around those fields i regularly see dear, pheasants, squirrels, red kites and buzzards, there are few such places left in Kirklees. Please don't allow this destruction to happen. If it must, then please consider delaying it until the effect of all the other building work can be seen and assesed. I would suggest at least reviewing in 5 years time.

Yours sincerely

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