

Address: 46 Primrose Hill Batley WF170QA

About the application

Application number: 2020/92350	
What is the application for?:	Outline application for residential development (Use Class C3) of up to 181 dwel
Address of the site or building:	Land south of, Heybeck Lane, Chidswell, Shaw Cross, Dewsbury
Postcode:	

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
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1. I absolutely object to this development. The Batley area is already hugely overpopulated and has had most of its green spaces eradicated over the past few years. This has worsened the quality of people's lives who currently live here

2. There is a severe lack of trees and green spaces left in the area, as most of the green belt has already been taken for more housing. The addition of houses increases pollution and the Greenhouse effect, directly contravening other Government requirements and not supporting Government strategies for saving our hedgerows and wildlife.

3. More houses and people haven't brought prosperity to the area, just decimated any charm and historic value that the area once had.

4. None of the developments that have taken our fields and views, oxygen, seem to be putting any mitigations into developments. Where are the parks, where are the fields to keep our horses, go running, walk the dogs, have picnics? It's all become housing estates. Kirklees council are not doing enough to repurpose existing buildings in disrepair and ruin. EVERY single property that is currently disused, whether or not you own it, MUST be regenerated before you take fresh land for building purposes. All landlords should be responsible for providing clean, safe and area design appropriate premises, or have the property confiscated, so you as a council can ensure properties are not left derelict and unsightly.

5. Each new development has negatively, not positively, impacted current residents in terms of overcrowding, noise and pollution. Kirklees are not on top of littering, or fly-tipping. Nor is there a proper standard of law and order to tackle issues such as fireworks going off, revving and skidding driving

6. Kirklees and surrounding councils have built on greenbelt that was specifically planned to stop urban sprawl and protect the integrity of people's ability to live healthily. All previous applications in Batley/Dewsbury and surroundings like Morley, Gildersome, Birstall, Drighlington have slowly eroded all fields and green spaces. Urban sprawl has significant environmental, economic and social consequences. It leads to higher emissions from road transport and loss of open space and environmental amenities. It also increases the cost of providing key public services, exerting pressure on local public finance.

Urban sprawl has been correlated with increased energy use, pollution, and traffic congestion and a decline in community distinctiveness and cohesiveness. In addition, by increasing the physical and environmental "footprints" of metropolitan areas, the phenomenon leads to the destruction of wildlife habitat and to the fragmentation of remaining natural areas. (Brittanica dictionary definition)

Kirklees council please stop destroying the area and switch finance and focus by contributing to improved infrastructure, regeneration of existing buildings and improved green spaces for residents. Further over population of the area will bring about these known adverse effects - an increased demand for food, water, housing, energy, healthcare, transportation, and more. And all that consumption contributes to ecological degradation, increased conflicts, and a higher risk of large-scale disasters like pandemics. (Population Media) Recognise anything here?