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I would like to pledge my support for Lidl to be built in the Oaks, Salendine Nook and Lindley area.

There is a lack of competition dominated by Sainsbury's supermarket. The car park is congested and there is no walking alternative in the area. With the cost of living crisis, Kirklees council have allowed developers to build over 800+ homes in the area on mainly greenbelt land. At the same time, we have had no new amenities open with to supplement the increase in homeowners in the area. Most of us understand that Bhullar (landlords of the Sainsburys shopping centre) have a strong hold over the council and have been known to lobby councillors in the past. Regardless of this type of under-the-hood dealing, I would hope the decent and honest councillors would pass the Lidle development as this would help the struggling families in the area and give us more choice. We do not need housing on the land. There is further planning application to develop on the Crosland Road greenbelt land which will no doubt pass. The previous premises, The Spotted Cow was a pub and therefore a commercial premises therefore there should be no reason that building another commercial unit will change the area but rather enhance a derelict building.

Please take my and other views into consideration and please try your best not to be swayed by Bhullar Brothers.

Lindley Resident