

Address: 66 Ryefields Holmfirth Hd9 1xf

About the application

Application number: 2022/92406	
What is the application for?:	Erection of 10 affordable dwellings, with access from Chapelgate and associated
Address of the site or building:	Land Adj, 67, Chapelgate, Scholes, Holmfirth, HD9 1SX
Postcode:	HD9 3BW

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	No
As a resident of Scholes for over 40 years, I regularly use this area for recreation purposes; to walk the family dogs, my children ride their bikes on the 'jumps', my children regularly like to spot the wildlife and the many rabbits we see with homes on the site. The land has also previously been used as parish land to host local bonfires and Christmas sing-a-longs. To build on this recreational green belt land takes all this away from local residents and the only other similar recreational area available to us is much further up in Scholes near the small park on Rycroft Lane. Also, the access to the site is on a hellish bend. Cars fly up the hill and around that bend at ridiculous speed. My young children and I have been the victim of a near miss not so long ago when a car hurtled past at great speed with no consideration of the almost 'blind bend' as we 'edged' our way out of the site. I have witnessed several near misses even with vehicles driving at less than the 30mph speed limit. Add a housing development with more cars, pedestrians and youngsters who aren't road savvy with the area and dangers will, in my opinion, be a recipe for disaster. I really do not understand the need to build on green belt land which provides a lovely area of wildlife and a well-used recreational area for children and adults alike. There are many other brownfield sites available which should be utilised.	