

About the application

Application number: 2024/91242	
What is the application for?:	Erection of residential development (up to 50 dwellings) with associated access,
Address of the site or building:	Land north east of, Shepley Road, Stocksmoor, Huddersfield, HD4 6XW
Postcode:	LS23 7BA

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
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<p>These plans fall short in several areas stated in the local planning policy and I urge you to refuse this application.</p> <p>The village has no amenities and very poor public transport, so cars are needed to commute, take children to school, go to the shops and GP. I understand that new developments are supposed to be non-reliant on car usage!</p> <p>This development would be hugely detrimental to local wildlife, with it being so close to the ancient woodland, the field is farmed, but it still teeming with wildlife. I have seen deer and badgers in the field.</p> <p>I see no benefit to anyone locally, in fact it would block light and views to many houses in the village. The increase in traffic would create pollution and is likely to cause more accidents on these already busy country lanes.</p> <p>The planning report seems to assume that people will drive a very long way round to avoid using Stones Wood Lane and use Penistone Road, even if this was the case, they would have to drive through Thunderbridge, past the Woodman (dodging the drunk wedding guests) or up Dam Hill, which is often blocked at the very tight junction to Penistone Road, nether being a suitable alternative.</p>	