

Cow Hey Farm

9 Gawthorpe Lane

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Huddersfield

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27 July 2024

APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION ref 16/07/2024 Alison Dumville

Regarding planning application for applicant G Whitehead for land off Wakefield road at Grange Moor Huddersfield for the erection of one agricultural building.

I am writing to express my strong support for the construction of an agricultural barn on the land off Wakefield Road, Grange Moor. I have seen first hand the dedication and work that G Whitehead and put in to ensure the welfare, care and safety of their herd of goats. The work they have completed on re-fencing the timber post and rail boundary of the land is in keeping with the local area and are both fit for purpose and aesthetically pleasing.

They are keen wildlife enthusiasts and wish to encourage wildlife, flora and fauna to flourish alongside them. This includes planting hedgerows and putting up bird/bat boxes.

I believe that an agricultural barn such as the low impact barn that they wish to construct will not have any negative impact and will only increase their ability to care for and maintain both their flock of goats and the land itself, by providing suitable shelter for kidding the goats and also a secure place to store agricultural machinery and forage.