About the application

Application number: 2025/93355	
What is the application for?:	Erection of 75 residential dwellings with associated landscaping, open space, hi
Address of the site or building:	Land off, Woodward Court, Mirfield, WF14 0PY
Postcode:	LS15 8ZB

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	Yes

I have serious concerns in connection to this planning application.

I am aware that there has been previous attempts refused and I have not felt strongly enough to object however as time has moved on so has the volume of traffic and the safety of both vehicle drivers and pedestrians has escalated on a daily basis.

The local road infrastructure was not built for the modern day traffic and every day there is potential for collisions.For example;
Wellhouse Lane narrows to single traffic at times including joining Flash Lane and attempting to join queuing traffic.Hepworth Lane is a blind spot at its junction with Wellhouse and again turning right from Shillbank Lane (used as a short cut). Using Crossley Lane as a option increases the risk further as there are several blind corners, single traffic at times and some drivers use it as a race track.

These are my observations of using these various routes on a regular basis, add in there a school with over 500 pupils, not to mention the industrial traffic that would be necessary for the construction of the proposed development.

I seriously question why this application would even consider being approved. I am not against progress and I know that new housing is desperately needed however the infrastructure needs to be in place to keep road users as safe as possible.