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59 Flash Lane,
Mirfield,
West Yorkshire
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29 dec 2025
Katie Chew
Planning Case Officer (Kirklees)
Agent P B Planning
Application number 2025/62/93355/E
Proposed erection of 75 residential dwellings

Land off, Woodward Court, Mirfield, WF14 0PY Proposed new homes Bellway

I am writing to strongly OBJECT to planning no 2025/62/93355/E. This would be highly unsuitable, dangerous and high risk to the impact of the roads in and surrounding Mirfield which is already a constant daily challenge. This will have an impact on traffic, parking, loss of green space, and danger to pedestrians.

All the roads are lanes in fact and one car at a time having to give way due to parked cars and impatience. This is extremely dangerous for pedestrians and young adult drivers have no patience, they constantly take extra risks overtaking and speeding. An example of this May 18th 2025 a car crashed into the Dusty Miller Pub causing 2 men to be hospitalized and luckily no deaths. Boy racers like to use Flash Lane, Greenside Road and Shillbank Lane resulting in the above.

Parking on Flash Lane and Greenside Road is atrocious!! I have to wait for traffic to pass before it's even safe to get in or out of my car. My mirror has been smashed off over 3 times. Family have difficulty parking outside their own homes and visitors have to park nearby. This is due to too much traffic. Hepworth Lane - Has INSUFFICIENT footpaths and only one vehicle can pass at a time - DANGEROUS!

Passing The Parish on Wellhouse Lane the road is too narrow and only one car at a time can move. Further up the road (Lane) outside Crossley Fields Junior and Infant school the road is still not wide enough mainly due to terrible parking making this a serious and dangerous route to and from school for children and pedestrians.

The same goes for Castle Hall Academy and Crowlees Junior and Infant School dangerous parking blocking blind spots and peoples driveways.

The cross Roads on Lee Green and Kitsen Hill Road are too busy and has no traffic control. The local conservative politician Vivien Lees Hamilton says

This junction is undoubtedly

“ The Most Dangerous” in Mirfield. The sight line from the left is

“ Abysmal,” this has a knock on effect on all the roads(lanes) surrounding Mirfield.

Balderstone Hall Grade II listed building lies directly in the field that Bellway are proposing to build.

List entry no 1313670

The land has already been designated as SAFEGUARD.

This beautiful building needs to be protected in its original enviroment. It is listed for a reason, Built by John Baldertone in 1690 we must respect and protect our heritage and this beautiful picturesque land that completes it.

Flood Risk - The River Calder constantly floods in heavy rain causing major conjection and upheavel to the roads.

Impact on our green space and wild Life - The fields are littered with wildlife, it is a known for homing bats and on two occasions we ve had deer run in front of us whilst walking. It is there home and we must protect this.

I urge you to refuse this application as it is CLEARLY far too dangerous to the current infrastructure and traffic levels and has been considered unsuitable 4 times already. It is not in the interests of the local communityand especially our enviroment

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