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Your Ref: Planning Application: 2025 / 93355

Erection of 75 houses by Bellway Homes, Yorkshire, Land off Woodward Court/ Hepworth Lane, Mirfield
Dear Katie Chew

I am not a resident of Mirfield and but wish to object to the above planning application. I can also confirm that I fully support the Save Mirfield challenge to the above Planning Application.

I visit my parents and family at least several times a week who live off Wellhouse Lane in Mirfield, the traffic situation in and out of Mirfield and especially around his property is atrocious, it influences all our journeys. We try to avoid peak times as the roads are gridlocked, the chaos around the school makes it a dangerous place to travel, both as a driver and pedestrian. I feel the health and safety of the children at Crossley fields school is of grave concern.

Emergency access to this area would not be possible at busy times.

I am aware that sensibly the governors at the school have strongly objected to the Bellway proposal.

When my parents told me of the Bellway planning application, I was staggered that any council familiar with their own area could even consider further housing here. Mirfield itself cannot cope with more unsustainable development, the doctors, dental practices and schools primary and upper are already at maximum capacity.

One of the main features of this area are the wonderful green fields and the semi rural feel to the area, but it feels judging by the approval of other unsuitable local developments in the area, that the council are happy to let the area become overrun with development and not protect Mirfield's green spaces.

I hope my specific concerns and objections are given the most serious level of concern and consideration.

In these circumstances, I trust the Planning Application will be rejected.

Yours sincerely