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 want to object to this planning application because of its unsuitability for this location. I work in adult social care in Mirfield and already have difficulties driving around the town because of the current volumes of traffic and the existing road network. Many of the roads in this area are narrow and obstructed by parked cars – because the houses were built before people owned cars. Adding more houses in this location will only add to the problems we already face.

The location of the land in question is immediately next to an infant and junior school and can only add to the existing road safety risks faced by the children who attend these schools. The roads are chaotic at the beginning and end of the day, and another 75 houses will be a serious additional road safety risk.

The Council has already refused to accept an application for 61 houses on this site and it seems completely illogical that you would now allow a larger number of properties. If the highways issues were a major fact that caused the previous application to be refused then the situation has only got worse in the intervening years and as a result, the council should refuse this new application.