

## Search application details

Application number: 2025/93572	
What is the application for?:	Outline application with all matters reserved, bar vehicle access into the site,
Address of the site or building:	Land South of, Barnsley Road, Upper Cumberworth, Huddersfield, HD8 8NN
Postcode:	

## User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	Yes
<p>I wish to object to the proposed housing development on a number of grounds.</p> <p>This relatively large development will have a significant impact on the natural environment in the area. The proposed site sits adjacent to ancient woodland which is home to a large and diverse variety of animals and plant life. The eco-system in this woodland through noise, dust and fumes would be negatively impacted by the construction works. The woodland and the access points to it provide natural and pleasant open spaces for people to walk in and this development will encroach on that space. Priority for developments of this scale should focus on brownfield sites to avoid impacting well established open spaces and woodland as in the case of this proposal.</p> <p>The road network around this site is already very busy and many of the roads are narrow and adding potentially another 200 plus cars into the mix will not help an already busy road network. The crossroads near the Sovereign garage (within a mile of this proposed development) are already dangerous and there have been multiple accidents there, adding more traffic will further compound the issue.</p> <p>Finally the development's appearance will not fit with the existing area. The majority of the housing in the surrounding area is over 50 years old and simply bolting on another 123 new dwellings will significantly affect the the appearance of Upper Cumberworth.</p>	