

Address: Park Head, The Cottage, Park Head Lane, Huddersfield, HD8 8XW

About the application

Application number: 2025/60/93572/e	
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	
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<p>To increase the housing stock 34% in a small rural village is the equivalent of Kirklees increasing its population from 448,000 to over 600,000 in a space of one or two years. BUT, without any provision made for social or environmental infrastructure. NO MORE water or sewage supplies, NO MORE public transport, NO MORE school or medical provisions.</p> <p>However, this is what strains this proposal would place on the proportionate size of Upper Cumberworth. The above scenario would never get beyond the first stage of plans on the back of an envelope stage, so why is it even being considered for Upper Cumberworth?</p> <p>The fact that the ancient woodland is immediately BENEATH the proposal creates additional issues. All the pollution and damage to the environment on the proposed estate, both during and after construction, would have an immediate detrimental impact on the woodland.</p> <p>With the abysmal public transport service provided in this area, it would require all new residents to have, unfortunately, at least one car per household. This would also apply to the social housing provision. Can our roads take this strain, and, should they take this strain?</p> <p>There may be a housing shortage nationally, particularly in starter homes, but providing mid-priced to expensive housing seems illogical.</p>	