

Address: 26, BOSHAU VIEW, HADE EDGE, HOLMFIRTH, HD9 2TZ

### About the application

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?	No
<p>I wish to formally object to the proposed 123 house development plan on Greenbelt land in Upper Cumberworth.</p> <p>My family and I visit Denby Dale/Upper Cumberworth on a weekly basis to spend time with our nieces and nephews, all of whom are under the age of seven. These visits are not simply social occasions; they provide an important opportunity for the children to engage with the natural environment in a meaningful and educational way. During our time there, we regularly make use of the nature trails and open green spaces for wildlife observation. We bring binoculars so the children can observe different bird species and learn about the habitats that exist within the area. This hands-on experience fosters an early appreciation of nature, biodiversity, and the environment, something that is increasingly important in today's society.</p> <p>The land in question is not vacant or without value. It supports established habitats and wildlife that cannot simply be replaced once destroyed. The loss of these natural spaces would remove an important educational and recreational resource for local families and would permanently diminish the character and environmental richness of the area. I respectfully ask the council to carefully consider the long-term environmental and community impact of this proposal. Once natural habitats are lost, they cannot truly be restored to their original ecological value.</p> <p>For these reasons, I strongly urge the council to refuse this application.</p>	