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I wish to formally object to the proposed housing development on Green Belt land near the ancient woodland in Upper Cumberworth.

This site lies within protected Green Belt countryside and plays an important role in maintaining the rural character and openness of our small village. Development in this location would cause irreversible harm to the landscape and would erode the clear boundary between Upper Cumberworth and surrounding settlements.

In addition, the proximity to ancient woodland raises serious environmental concerns. Ancient woodland is an irreplaceable habitat, and nearby construction risks damaging biodiversity, wildlife corridors, and established ecosystems.

Upper Cumberworth is a small village with limited infrastructure, and further housing would place additional pressure on local roads, services, and drainage systems that are already stretched.

For these reasons, I strongly urge the planning authority to refuse this application.

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