

## About the application

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| 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

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| Type of comment: An objection   |     |
| Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?   | Yes |
| <p>1. Harm to Landscape &amp; Risk of Coalescence<br/>This development would significantly alter the character of the area, eroding the clear separation between settlements. One of the core purposes of Green Belt is to prevent this coalescence, and this proposal undermines that principle.<br/>The scale and location of the scheme would urbanise an open, rural landscape that currently contributes strongly to the identity of the village and surrounding countryside.</p> <p>2. Impact on Wildlife &amp; Biodiversity<br/>The site supports a range of wildlife and forms part of a wider ecological network, particularly given its proximity to woodland. Development of this scale would result in habitat loss, disturbance, and long-term ecological harm.<br/>These impacts cannot be adequately mitigated or replaced, and the proposal therefore conflicts with environmental protections set out in the National Planning Policy Framework.</p> |     |