

About the application

Application number: 2026/90880	
What is the application for?:	Change of use, retention of agricultural buildings and alterations to convert to
Address of the site or building:	Liley Hall Farm, 3, Liley Lane, Upper Hopton, Mirfield, WF14 8EG
Postcode:	WF14 8HG

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
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This is an exceptionally poorly thought out development. The drawings are done (deliberately one assumes) to the lowest possible quality required to be validated by the council and the information contained in the reports, particularly that which refers to 'high quality development' is hard to swallow as anything other than a response to a brief that called for the maximum possible development that can be built in the cheapest possible way without any consideration for material quality, built form, ecology, environmental performance, relationship to listed historic buildings, the welfare of people who will live there or development policy generally. The submission of planning documentation this poor makes a mockery of the validation service. To approve it would erode any public faith in the planning system and represent a profound dereliction of its duty to safeguard the countryside from inappropriate encroachment. Moreover, why would we build homes this bad and why is there so little ambition in housing design generally? why don't we care about the environments we build for people to live in? If council's either don't care or aren't equipped with the tools to refuse this kind of thing, the built landscape of England outside of the more vociferous conservation areas, will be further decimated beyond recognition. We need affordable new homes, we need good new developments, we don't need this. This development represents everything a development in the beautiful Yorkshire countryside shouldn't be; ugly, mean, excessive and careless. Please refuse it.	