

Address: 88, Barnsley Road, Huddersfield, hd88nn

About the application

Application number: 2026/91494	
What is the application for?:	Outline application for erection of residential development, including associate
Address of the site or building:	Land off, Penistone Road, Birdsedge, Huddersfield, HD8 8XP
Postcode:	

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	No
I would like to register an objection to this planning application. The proposed development will negatively affect the character of the area and affect long distance views to the Upper Cumberworth preservation area which are priceless. The land is Green Belt within the Kirklees local plan and there does not appear to be sufficient mitigation to allow such a status change and therefore residential development. It is therefore invalid and should not be allowed. It is manifestly obvious that the proposed development would rely on car use as there are no amenities - other than the one school - in the village. Public transport hardly exists with one bus every two hours and no rail service, the nearest being Denby Dale - a station with only hourly connections. The village has no shops. A common argument occurring as an objection on all of the recent spate of planning applications locally relates to traffic levels which are already excessively high. This is a rural area with a poor road infrastructure which cannot cope safely with the higher levels of traffic that this development will bring particularly in the vicinity of the school. I hope that the Planning Committee will refuse this application and back proposals on brownfield sites within HD8.	