

About the application

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| Application number: 2021/91638 | |
| What is the application for?: | Reserved matters application pursuant to outline application no. 2016/91479 (app |
| Address of the site or building: | Land at Hart Street, Newsome, Huddersfield, HD4 6LS |
| Postcode: | YO42 1NS |

User comments

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| Type of comment: An objection | |
| Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes |
| <p>Building on this site will involve the loss of mature trees as well as the loss of both mill ponds.</p> <p>The ponds are a wonderful open space right in the middle of the village and provide a safe haven for local fauna and biota. I have observed herons, ducks, geese, bats as well as fishes which shows how healthy and biodiverse the ponds are to be able to support these top of the food chain animals.</p> <p>The pandemic has reminded us of our human need to see and enjoy nature and how lucky Newsome village is on having this wonderful amenity on our doorstep. For our future mental health we need to preserve these areas and their wildlife for the whole community and passers by to enjoy.</p> <p>The ponds must be fed by land drains and remain relatively full even during prolonged dry spells. One wonders where all this water will go if this little estate of houses is built on this land and on the ponds. Also one would be concerned about the risk of flooding, not only to these homes but also those nearby, when we have periods of heavy rain.</p> <p>It is for these reasons that I object to this estate of little houses being built.</p> | |