

About the application

Application number: 2021/92603	
What is the application for?:	Erection of storage and distribution unit (Use Class B8) with ancillary offices,
Address of the site or building:	land west of M62, south of, Whitehall Road, Cleckheaton, BD19 6PL
Postcode:	

User comments

Type of comment: An objection	
Do you wish your comments to be published on the website anonymously?	Yes
<p>I wish to object strongly to the proposal of this development being approved.</p> <p>My family and I can't believe that serious consideration is being given to the destruction of a beautiful site for an industrial unit, and in the process removing a flood plain and wildlife habitat in exchange for excessive light pollution and traffic.</p> <p>My children walk daily between Scholes and Whitcliffe Mount School, along with scores of other children. Currently this is a safe and healthy walk for them, and one of the reasons the area appealed when moving here. The proposed site, mainly the car and staff entrance is immediately opposite the sports pavilion the school use, and on this route. The additional traffic through this area will not only impact the road safety of this walk on the children, it will have a major detrimental impact on the health of those children walking past additional traffic and increased air pollution. It is unacceptable to have such a large site and therefore this additional traffic near not only the local high school but also within the vicinity of two local primary schools.</p> <p>As a local resident I also worry about the additional HGVs that will inevitably park around the area too when unable to go into the site. Not enough has been proven by the planners to alleviate those concerns.</p> <p>I am at a loss as to why a beautiful part of the area is being looked at to build this monstrosity and not one of the increasingly derelict industrial areas instead. Please do not decimate our local area to appease a global corporation who just want to be close to a motorway.</p> <p>I also support Save Our Spen's representation on this planning application as I share it's concerns.</p>	