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I object to the above planning number

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The proposed site for the Tritax Symmetry proposal is greenbelt land and was previously deemed unsuitable for such development. It would have a significant impact on the ecology and biodiversity of wildlife and habitat in what is currently unspoilt and farmed countryside and flood risk would be inevitable if such enormous sites were developed in proximity to each other. Previous planning application for similar development of this area were dismissed on appeal (18/00672/OUT) and the criteria in dismissing the plans at that time still apply.

I believe that The Woodland Trust were not consulted in regards to the proximity to Stoke Woods, a medieval coppice, very popular with dog walkers and families who escape the town and find an unspoilt pocket of countryside. There are also a number of listed buildings within Stoke Lyne and Bainton Parish, namely St Peter's Church in Stoke Lyne. Also, a number of dwellings within close proximity to the site have not been included in the maps supplied on the Tritax site. The application was flawed in not considering these important points.

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