

The Planning Inspectorate

COMMENTS ON CASE (Online Version)

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Appeal Reference: APP/C3105/W/24/3338211

DETAILS OF THE CASE

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Appeal By VISTRY HOMES LTD

Site Address
Land east of Warwick Road
Banbury
OX16 1HD
Grid Ref Easting: 433313
Grid Ref Northing: 243119

SENDER DETAILS

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ABOUT YOUR COMMENTS

In what capacity do you wish to make representations on this case?

- Appellant
- Agent
- Interested Party / Person
- Land Owner
- Rule 6 (6)

What kind of representation are you making?

- Final Comments
- Proof of Evidence
- Statement
- Statement of Common Ground
- Interested Party/Person Correspondence
- Other

YOUR COMMENTS ON THE CASE

I object to the proposed development to build 170 homes in Hanwell village because it would:

- be contrary to the Cherwell Local Plan (and Draft Local Plan) and related spatial planning policy;
- result in the coalescence of the Banbury urban area and Hanwell village, contrary to adopted planning policies;
- harm an area of high landscape value;
- have a negative impact on setting of the conservation area and heritage assets;
- Cherwell District Council has approved a new housing land supply statement, which demonstrates that the district has a 5.4 year housing supply for 2022 - 2027, so this development is not needed;
- develop a site that CDC has assessed as clearly "not suitable" for development;
- erode an important gap of undeveloped land, that is protected under existing planning policy;
- result in piecemeal housing development in the open countryside, outside the built-up area of Banbury;
- cause loss of an important, prominent landscape feature that adds to the character and identity of open countryside north of Banbury;
- have adverse impacts on the environment & biodiversity;
- cause loss of high-grade- (Grade 2 and 3a) farmland crucial for sustainable farming and food security;
- cause traffic congestion, access and safety problems;
- result in loss of amenities such as green spaces;
- result in the loss of important public views;
- put strain on existing local infrastructure; and
- have a detrimental cumulative impact alongside other nearby developments.