Comment for planning application 20/02446/F

12 Bignolds Close, Claydon, Banbury, OX17 1ER

Application Number 20/02446/F Location Glebe Farm Boddington Road Claydon Banbury OX17 1TD **Proposal** Formation of inland waterways marina with ancillary facilities building, car parking, access and associated landscaping including the construction of a new lake - re-submission of 18/00904/F **Case Officer** Shona King **Organisation** Name

Address Type of Comment

Objection

sarah keyser

Type

neighbour

Comments

Dear Cherwell District Council Claydon is a very small village with no amenities / logistics to support the extra traffic and people a Marina would bring. The roads are narrow in the village and they will not be able to support extra traffic. This would also disrupt the many people who live on these through roads. Claydon is a beautiful and quiet village, which was our reason for moving here a year ago. Anything to disrupt what we have will be devastating to the people who live here. Visitors from the proposed marina would probably travel through Claydon to get to surrounding villages with shops and pubs etc, which means Claydon will just be used as a 'rat run'. This will not provide the village with any benefits whatsoever. There is a huge marina in Cropredy (the next village), which, from what I know is substantial enough to support more than enough boats. We need more wildlife safe areas and not more places for people to develop for themselves. This surely can only have a detrimental affect on the existing wildlife! Please don't develop more land, we need to protect what we have and look after the natural environment. The people of Claydon want to protect wildlife and this would go against all of the hard work we have put in. In this current climate, it would seem obvious to invest in the environment and wildlife, and not in more man made 'tourist attractions'. Can't we provide more land that is protected and supports the environment instead? This is such an important topic right now, Claydon could be used as the first eco friendly village! We are small enough to do this without too much cost and it would bring the right kind of attention to the village. I really hope you would consider thinking about the natural environment and not the money that can be made from this potential project. It's more important to think about the health of the planet and making steps to balance out the destruction people have caused. Thanks and regards Sarah Keyser

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Attachments