Comment for planning application 20/02453/F

Application Number	20/02453/F	
Location	Hornton Grounds Quarry Hornton	
Proposal	A fuel depot including ancillary offices, the installation of plant and hardstanding	
Case Officer	Bob Neville	
Organisation		
Name	Amanda Venables	
Address	Rupert Cottage, Sunrising Hill, Near Banbury, OX156HR	
Type of Comment	Objection	
Туре	neighbour	

I wish to object strongly to this proposal on the grounds of the increase in traffic, especially HGV's, that would pass by our home 24 hours a day. We live on Sunrising Hill on the A422. It is a steep hill (16% gradient) on an already busy road with dangerous bends. It attracts speeding cyclists, motorcyclists and cars. Any further growth in traffic will only increase the likelihood of accidents. Despite resurfacing of the hill with Ultilayer SMA in 2014 (undertaken because of the risk of accidents), heavy vehicles continue to get stuck travelling up the hill, particularly after leaf-fall or in icy conditions. As they cannot turn round, they usually reverse down the hill on the opposite side of the road, causing danger to other road users. Frequently the police are called to block traffic so they can do this more safely, causing loss of valuable police time and disruption to other travellers. We are lucky to live in an Area of

Outstanding Natural Beauty but heavy traffic is already a problem this hill was not designed for and any further increase would only add to the risks.

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