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Good afternoon

My name is Lorna Abbott and I live at The New Poplars, Hornton, Banbury, OX15 6BW. I'd be grateful if you would add my objection to planning application 21/00517/F to the CDC planning portal.

I would like to make clear my wholehearted objection to this planning application.

I live at the top of Millers Lane, north of the village of Hornton and one would think that I would be spared, by reason of distance, from the noise that comes from the Wroxton motocross site. In fact, the volume of noise here on race and practice days is such that it is impossible for me and my family to enjoy our garden. We are driven inside by the noise even on the most pleasant of days. This is a fairly recent phenomenon. Until five years ago the motocross track noise was discernible but not invasive. It wasn't desirable but it was tolerable. Now it is not. The site has developed to such an extent over recent years that it is no longer recognisable as the small facility serving local enthusiasts that it once was and which the village of Hornton was happy to accept.

It has been incredibly frustrating to witness the upscaling of the activities of the motocross site that, according to supporters of it, now ranks as "one of the best motocross tracks" in the country and to know that it has taken place with a total disregard for the planning system. The track owner and operator have cynically abused the system, seemingly confident that they will get away with it. And so far they have; as far as I'm aware there has been no enforcement action by CDC. This has meant many of our weekends spoilt and for some, like Mr & Mrs Vint at Hornton Grounds Farm, their B&B business blighted.

I am very happy to support Hornton Parish Council and its environmental planning and legal advisers by objecting to this application.

Lorna Abbott

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