## Comment for planning application 21/00922/OUT

Application Number 21/00922/OUT

**Land West Of Foxden Way Great Bourton OX17 1QY** 

Proposal OUTLINE Planning Application for up to 9 entry-level affordable houses - all matters reserved

save for access

Case Officer James Kirkham

Organisation

Comments

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**Type of Comment** 

Objection

**Type** neighbour

My to be wife and myself have been using the foxden way for exercise, walking and dog walking. Whenever we meet a car we have for safety reasons to climb on the side. It is thankful that the traffic is not heavy on the foxden way, but we always meet a car or two when we walk/run there. The addition of that many houses on that road will increase this traffic causing particular issues to the users of this road. On this road I have see a lot of dog-walkers, horseriders, and families on bikes. Increasing the vehicle traffic puts considerable risk for the lives of all those people and animals. In conjuction to the total lack of lighting and sidewalks on the road, I severely object in new building with their main and only access on Foxden Way. I have also read the prediction for the traffic impact and I find it unrealistic, benefiting the manufacturers. I am observing the traffic in Pinson Close which is a similar development and there is a lot more traffic than predicted, as it needs to take into account delivery vans, visitors etc. Also the really narrow streets of Great Bourton like Crow lane, and the certain traffic issues that are going to be observed, will push a lot of traffic towards little Bourton affecting the whole of Foxden Way as well as the narrow Spring Lane and Chapel Lane of Little Bourton that is used by walking people and our elderly co-villagers. In conclusion, I do not see the reason of affordable housing in the Bourtons as it is an area with poor connectivity and particularly in a development with the only access to a road used by families, elder people and animals, with no safety measures in place. I consider this a huge risk on the life of all of us. If the development go forward, all the participants will be responsible for any future accidents.

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