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APPLICATION FOR PLANNING DEVELOPMENT ADJOINING M40
JUNCTION 10 Ref 21/03266/F

Dear Yvonne

I am writing to lodge my objection to the above proposed application.

My family and I have lived here for just under seven years and I have noticed the substantial increase in traffic through this old village. Building warehouses will create more traffic, especially HGVs where the villagers and the wildlife simply won't cope, let alone the old dry stone walls. Junction 10 is already dangerous at peak times – the route and roundabouts within the Baynards Green area won't cope with increased traffic upon it.

I have heard that because of the increase of traffic, particularly houses on Roundtown, the B4100, structural faults within their walls are tragically appearing.

There are many older people within this village too, some with physical difficulties, ie hearing, some needing more time to cross the road. At peak travelling times, there is now a rush hour. Friday is the worst as Londoners speed through all the villages, usually travelling to Deddington.

I understand too that Stoke Woods is also under threat from the above mentioned application. A treasured wood filled with trees and wildlife and a very safe place to talk with children and dogs. Please do not let this happen. Where would the wildlife live if you take away their habitat? What of the trees? We're meant to be planting, not destroying them, surely.

Please also be aware that there are many lovely walks with dogs and horses which adds value to the Aynho properties and this a gain financially for everyone. I have been advised by a reliable source that within 10 years, all the hedgehogs will be dead due to traffic travelling through Aynho and within our localities.

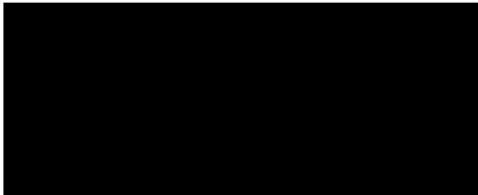
I no longer use the gate from my front garden onto Roundtown as I have witnessed HGVs and school busses when they are sharing the "Wembley Corner" mounting the verges and the narrow pavement. This is traumatising me and I don't mean Covid issues. I used to to walk with two little dogs, down to one and another little person is about to. Roundtown and the traffic upon it prevents me from being a good neighbour to those in need.

I compassionately implore you and your planning department to reject this planning permission.

I send this letter via Royal Mail – the internet is constantly challenged by HGVs and we have builders digging up the roads aglore upon our village. How is this progress?

Lastly, thank you for taking the time to read Yvonne and I look forward to your letter.

Yours sincerely

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