Comment for planning application 22/01488/OUT

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Location

OS Parcel 5616 South West Of Huscote Farm And East Of Daventry Road Banbury

Proposal

Construction of up to 140,000 sq m of employment floorspace (use class B8 with ancillary offices and facilities) and servicing and infrastructure including new site accesses, internal roads and footpaths, landscaping including earthworks to create development platforms and bunds, drainage features and other associated works including demolition of the existing farmhouse

Case Officer

David Lowin

Organisation

Name

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Type of Comment

Objection

Type

neighbour

Comments

I'm objecting to this proposal on a number of accounts.

- 1. Impact on increased amount of traffic it would bring to the motorway junction and surrounding roads. If this was to get the go ahead the road infrastructure simply wouldn't be able to cope. The roads in this area are far to busy.
- 2. Warehousing on natural capital assets. Industrial warehousing should not be built on important and valuable green spaces that surrounds Banbury. Banbury's roads are some of the most polluting roads in the South East of England and more natural capital should be reserved to help off set carbon emissions from Banbury's roads and industrial presence. This landscape is also very valuable as with its agricultural heritage assets too with its ridge and furrow. This ancient landscape should be protected to be used only for agricultural farming. The war in Ukraine and large increase in the price of energy has demonstrated the need to grow our own food and crops and this landscape should soley be left to do just that.

Our important landscapes that surrounds Banbury as so important and valuable and are natural capital assets. They not only provide food and crops, but they are home to our wildlife. The attractiveness of our landscapes bring visitors to Banbury's surrounding villages in the Cherwell District, which therefore brings visitors in to spend money in the district. If we build on all of this outstanding natural landscapes there will be nothing for people to see and therefore no longer visit.

I firmly object to this application and believe that alternative brown field sites should be considered within Banbury urban setting and not in its surroundings rural setting.

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