## Comment for planning application 22/02866/OUT

**Application Number** 22/02866/OUT

Location

Land East Of Ploughley Road Ambrosden

**Proposal** 

OUTLINE planning application for up to 120 dwellings, vehicular and pedestrian access off Ploughley Road, new pedestrian access to West Hawthorn Road, surface water drainage, foul water drainage, landscaping, public open space, biodiversity and associated infrastructure. Access off Ploughley Road is not reserved for future consideration

**Case Officer** 

James Kirkham

**Organisation** 

Name

Liz Harris

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Type of Comment

Objection

**Type** 

neighbour

Comments

I can see that Ambrosden is becoming a large housing estate rather than a village. If you total up the number of houses built in the last ten years or so, ongoing building on the road out to Merton, this planning application and also plans to build the Blackthorn Road we are getting more than our fair share of new housing. I support new homes but not where a village is singled to take on so much that the character of the village is undermined. I understand that we are an A village as we have a bus route. The pub is really the front room of the pub owners' home as they ban people and choose who they have in. We do have a post office and a church but there is nothing for teenagers. The village school is full despite two new classrooms being built during lockdown. We do not have facilities to support the number of homes which will be built according to all the planning at Cherwell District

There should smart targets where x number of houses are built in areas by a set date. I understand that is not in place. Ambrosden is getting a very large percentage of the so called 'A' village quotient. Have the planning people thought sufficiently about the people already living here, many who enjoy living in the countryside, enjoy the village character and do not want to become a suburb of Bicester. No, they have thought of where it is convenient for them, to put in the new housing. They don't live here.

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