Comment for planning application 23/00853/OUT

Application Number 23/00853/OUT Location Land East Of Warwick Road Drayton Warwick Road Banbury **Proposal** Outline application for up to 170 dwellings (Use Class C3) with associated open space and vehicular access off Warwick Road, Banbury; All matters reserved except for access **Case Officer** Linda Griffiths **Organisation** Name Alexandra Adams **Address** Haven House, Main Street, Hanwell, Banbury, OX17 1HN **Type of Comment** Objection **Type** neighbour Comments Dear Sir/Madam, I am writing to express my objection to the proposed plan to build 170 new houses near the village of Hanwell. I believe that this development would have a negative impact on the local community and environment. Firstly, the construction of such a large number of houses would put a strain on local infrastructure, including roads, public transport and healthcare facilities. Hanwell is a small village with limited resources, and the addition of so many new residents would inevitably lead to overcrowding and increased demand for services. Secondly, the proposed development would have a significant impact on the natural environment. The site in question is currently home to a variety of wildlife, including deer, foxes, badgers, hedgehogs and numerous species of bird, including red tailed kites buzzards and owls. Not to mention the bees that rely on crops that will be lost forever. The destruction of this habitat would be a severe blow to the local ecosystem and could have long-term consequences for the region's biodiversity. The proposed land is also Grade 2 listed and therefore extremely arable. The two fields in question have been farmed on for years, growing wheat, rape and peas. Furthermore, the construction process itself is likely to cause significant disruption to the local community, including noise pollution, traffic congestion, and dust and debris. This disruption would have a negative impact on the quality of life of residents in the area and could have a lasting impact on the social fabric of the village. In light of these concerns, I urge you to reject the proposed development and to explore

alternative solutions that would meet the need for housing while minimizing the impact on the local community and environment.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Alexandra Adams

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