Comment for planning application 23/02098/OUT

Application Number	23/02098/OUT
Location	Begbroke Science Park Begbroke Hill Begbroke OX5 1PF
Proposal	Outline application, with all matters reserved, for a multi-phased (severable), comprehensive residential-led mixed use development comprising: Up to 215,000 square metres gross external area of residential floorspace (or c.1,800 homes which depending on the housing mix could result in a higher or lower number of housing units) within Use Class C3/C4 and large houses of multiple occupation (Sui Generis); Supporting social infrastructure including secondary school/primary school(s) (Use Class F1); health, indoor sport and recreation, emergency and nursery facilities (Class E(d)-(f)). Supporting retail, leisure and community uses, including retail (Class E(a)), cafes and restaurants (Class E(b)), commercial and professional services (Class E(c)), a hotel (Use Class C1), local community uses (Class F2), and other local centre uses within a Sui Generis use including public houses, bars and drinking establishments (including with expanded food provision), hot food takeaways, venues for live music performance, theatre, and cinema. Up to 155,000 net additional square metres (gross external area) of flexible employment uses including research and development, office and workspace and associated uses (Use E(g)), industrial (Use Class B2) and storage (Use Class B8) in connection with the expansion of Begbroke Science Park; Highway works, including new vehicular, cyclist and pedestrian roads and paths, improvements to the existing Sandy Lane and Begbroke Hill road, a bridge over the Oxford Canal, safeguarded land for a rail halt, and car and cycle parking with associated electric vehicle charging infrastructure; Landscape and public realm, including areas for sustainable urban drainage systems, allotments, biodiversity areas, outdoor play and sports facilities (Use Class F2(c)); Utility, energy, water, and waste water facilities and infrastructure; together with enabling, site clearance, demolition and associated works, including temporary meanwhile uses. The Proposed Development affects the setting of a listed building a
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Organisation	
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Type of Comment	Objection
Туре	neighbour
Comments	Genuinely beginning to feel overwhelmed by the scale of the proposed development around Kidlington, Yarnton and Begbroke. The creation of 5000 new jobs, with more on other sites, the potential to close the Sandy Lane crossing, the accommodation clearly designed for students in an already crowded part of North Oxfordshire. It's like the lungs of the place, the bits that are pretty and make this area a place worth living, are being smothered. Loss of green space will be devastating but add that to the added traffic, the fact you have to build more houses to cater for all the extra people this development will suck in. Is there any side of Kidlington that isn't under threat?
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