Comment for planning application 23/03428/OUT

Application Number 23/03428/OUT

Location

OS Parcel 7921 South Of Huscote Farm And North West Of County Boundary Daventry Road Banbury

Proposal

Outline planning application for the construction of up to 140,000 sqm of employment floorspace (use class B8) with ancillary offices and facilities and servicing and infastructure 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

Chris Wentworth

Organisation

Name

Address

Type of Comment

Type

Comments

Jane Kilsby

Objection

neighbour

New Farm House, Boxhedge Road, Banbury, OX16 OBP

I object to this plan very strongly. There is no defined need to build more warehouses on this farmland and doing so would ruin wildlife habitat to the point of no recovery. There are several huge vacant warehouses along the M40 sitting empty that could be made use of, as well as plenty of brownfield sites within Banbury itself. Building anything on this site would

ruin this area for farming and wildlife conservation and at a time when it has become clear

and common knowledge that UK wildlife has been badly depleted, this would be a tragedy and a travesty. Further development will have a huge detrimental impact.

There are already huge numbers of large lorries using the roads in this area adding to

pollution and traffic congestion.

The proposed site has historical significance - ridge and furrow fields (that are irreplaceable), and it's the location of intriguing and fascinating Cold War spying, including the passing of nuclear secrets from the UK to Russia by 'Red Sonya' - there is a wealth of information about all of the area's history and it's rural significance on the Keep Nethercote Rural website and,

if they haven't done so already, I would urge all of the Planning Officers and all of the councillors on the CDC Planning Committee to read all of it.

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Attachments