

February 13 2023

Planning  
Council office  
WBC  
Market St.  
Newbury  
RG14 5LD



Dear Sirs

Re: WBC LPR Regulation 19 Objection

I write to object most strongly to the Council's proposals to build between 1500-2500 houses in Thatcham.

There are many areas which make the building of any houses completely wrong.

Firstly, the roads are not able to cope with the traffic we now have, let alone any more cars. For every additional house there will be at least 2 more cars and even more pollution than we have already.

The schools are full to overflowing. This is both primary and secondary. We have no bus service so children get brought to school in cars when they should be walking.

Our GP Surgery are overstretched and already have more patients than they can cope with. They want to do a good job and deliver the excellent care we all need but they cannot do this because of patient numbers.

We live in an area of outstanding natural beauty which must be protected at all cost. Nothing is more important than our environment both for wildlife and people. Wildlife is disappearing at an alarming rate and people are suffering from all kinds of health issues that have never happened when we had space around us to live our lives

I shall not live to see the appalling destruction of our  
Beautiful countryside if this Housing Development goes  
ahead, but I grieve for those that will come after  
me and who will have to live with the consequences of  
your actions.

Yours faithfully

