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I wish to strongly object to the proposed building of over 3000 homes on the above proposed developments.

We have always enjoyed our leisurely walks in the beautiful countryside in the Canterbury area and as walkers have never been disappointed. We have for many years ambled through the fields across Brooklands Farm to the Crab & Winkle, and also the quiet lanes and surroundings of Blean, breathing in the fresh air with little pollution. Such beautiful vistas which will be ruined and listening to the quietness compared to the city of Canterbury. It is on these walks we can hear the wild live.

It is these very walks and views and our love for the area why we live here. All to be ruined by more housing.

Due to these proposed estates

Traffic will become even more congested

bus services adequate now will be unable to cope

More congestion from cars and lorries, etc

schools will be overflowing with youngsters. There is no mention of more things for the young to do (clubs etc)

country lanes will become no go areas due to the constant stream of traffic being made wider and wider. Making it no go areas for walkers.

A&E and Dr Surgeries will not be able to cope. Where will the drs and nurses come from, there are few trainees now, and the whole of NHS is under stress because of lack of new drs and nurses now.

How many young people born and bred here will be able to afford these new homes at such high prices. They will probably be sold for a huge amount of money. Well out of the reach of the salaries of many.

How on earth will the water authority cope with ever more sewage. Which is now being poured into our beautiful sea. Visitors will stop coming all together because of the fear of catching something.

I attended the protest march which ended in the university grounds. Beautiful green landscape and so many acres of land. Why not build these new homes in these very fields belonging to the University? Plenty of room for housing there on the doorstep of the City of Canterbury. The University would then raise the money that they require to keep going to the standard they require. Traffic would be to a minimum around the surrounding areas and our beautiful countryside would not be destroyed.

PLEASE, I BEG YOU, DO NOT DESTROY THE KENT COUNTRYSIDE. Put these plans in the bin where they belong. If not for this generation but for future generations.

Don't let future generations grow in concrete fields.

Christine Stokes  
From Whitstable