

I OBJECT - Brooklands Farm Development

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To whomever is may concern,

I am writing to **object** to the proposed Brooklands farm development. My reasons being the below:

- detrimental impact on already over-capacity local health services - personal experience of pharmacy wait times, delays and mistakes on medication, significant wait times and difficulties seeing a doctor, let alone wait times and lack of beds in local hospitals and even in urgent care. Plus dentists.
- significant increase in traffic on our already over-capacity local roads, plus consequent impact of additional pollution
- increase risk of flooding - less green space, more concrete/ brick
- increased pressure on Swalecliffe sewage works, which are already unable to cope and having a huge impact on the quality of our local water/ the sea
- loss of ever-decreasing local, agricultural land
- loss of important wildlife habitats
- additional pressure on water supplies - given how often we are already subjected to hose pipe bans in the summer months
- permanent destruction of rural nature of the valley that separates urban Whitstable and Blean
- loss of green space amenity for local residents
- increase on pressure on local schools and all general infrastructure not covered in points above

Thank you for your time.

Regards,

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