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Dear CCC,

I strongly object to the proposed development at Brooklands farm in the Blean area. The reasons are many.

There has been a lot of building of houses happening over the past year or two and I don't think Whitstable can sustain any more.

As a town we are inundated with tourists in the Summer and I already stay home during the busy periods as it's a nightmare even getting into Whitstable from Seasalter where I live.

The sewage infrastructure is also a big concern. I used to go swimming off Whitstable beach but haven't done so for nearly two years because of the sewage spills.

Another huge reason is for the wider environment. We really need to keep our green spaces so, to help sustain the biodiversity. Therefore I believe brownfield sites are a better solution to the housing problem.

I believe that it's easier for developers to clear a field and build houses on it rather than build on brownfield, but I think this is a poor shortsighted solution which will only cause more environmental damage.

Please reconsider this plan.

Thank you Clare Tindall

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