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Brooklands Farm, Whitstable and local plan 2045

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To: consultations@canterbury.gov.uk

Sent from my iPad Dear Sirs.

I would like to strongly object to building proposals in areas in Whitstable, and in particular Brooklands Farm. Its beautiful view and it's associated wildlife will be gone forever. How very sad. Years of building with the noise, dirt and dust and heavy goods vehicles etc. to be endured. We have housing estates going up everywhere in Whitstable, together with retail outlets, business space, schools, with the loss of our beautiful green spaces. With the amount of housing estates already built or in the process of being built, beautiful quirky Whitstable will just become a brickwork jungle. It will not be the desirable place it once was.

How on earth is the sewage to be managed? The water company cannot cope now, with them dumping sewage in the sea (32 hours on New Year's Eve due to heavy rainfall.) We therefore have the beautiful coast and cannot at times go in the sea because it is filthy. Our children and grandchildren cannot go in in case they pick up nasty infections. We are paying the water company to safely dispose of our sewage and this is not being done. New houses equals more sewage. It will get worse.

We already have drainage issues here and after a heavy rainfall, various places get flooded. Flooding will be so much worse the more buildings that go up.

With all these developments going up, what about our hospitals? They are already under great pressure. How are they going to cope with all the extra people? The same goes for GP surgeries. It is just not sustainable,

The roads will be so much busier, with a lot of homes owning 2, 3 or more cars. Thousands more cars will be on the roads. There will be more noise, poorer air quality, not to mention light pollution. I have noticed since I have lived here the amount of traffic since housing estates have gone up.

Enough is enough and common sense must prevail. We cannot sustain any more building.