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To: Members of the Overview Committee

I am writing to strongly object to the proposal to put a park and ride on the Thanington Recreation Ground.

My husband has lived in Thanington for over 53 years and I have lived here myself for 30 years. We use the recreation field daily to walk our dog, it is a welcome reprieve to walking along the busy A28 or amongst the housing estate. We feel that one of the more deprived areas of the community is being unjustly targeted because this is the "SIMPLE" solution for the Council.

Access to open space is a must for all generations. We have already lost a huge amount of fields and open space to the Thanington Park Estate and the development on Cockerling Road.

We urge the Council to look harder at the many alternative options:

- 1) A multistory car park on the existing site

- 2) Use the Wincheap Industrial Estate carpark next to Iceland as an overflow as it is often totally empty
- 3) The old derelict office site on the A2050 just after Palmers Cross Hill
- 4) The empty car dealership site on the A28 Ashford Road between Canterbury and Chartham

Yours faithfully

Mr & Mrs S Moys



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