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Dear consultant team,

I am angry and upset at these proposals to build 2000 properties on the aforementioned green space. I have lived in the area my entire life, which spans 50 years now & I have the fondest memories of playing & dog walking in this area. The dog walking I still do & I often find bits of broken pottery or stones for my artwork.

In an area known as the garden of England to even consider construction upon such a valuable green space is inconceivable.

There's almost 40 different bird species in that area, almost a third of which are endangered.

Not to mention other species such as bats, foxes & pollinators. These may seem very insignificant to you but they are the small, well oiled cogs in the the eco system that keeps us alive. Constantly steamrolling in on their & our habitat has, does & will make life for all of us much more problematic.

The estate that was the Travis Perkins site could expand into the lime kiln quarry which is a piece of useless wasteland without much issue. Lorries used that route regularly when I was young. However, infrastructure for so many homes is frankly pie in the sky. Wincheap is already a rat run & more housing will only excasabate the situation.

Luckily I'm informed that the CCC & KCC have no money for infrastructure so this plan should already be a white elephant.

Labour is waking up to the reality that their plan to build 1.5 million homes in 5 years was way off the scale. They are downsizing, if you will, the number of affordable homes in London & this could be rolled out nationwide. It seems such a contradictory stance to try and save the planet with hit & miss green alternatives to making energy while concreting over our countryside.

One can only hope this preposterous proposal is seen for the dead duck it is & is confined to the bin post haste.

Yours sincerely,

Nathan Woods.

