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Dear Canterbury City Council

I would like to object to the proposed allocation of 1930 houses at Merton Park. Whilst I appreciate the pressures and the complexity involved on this, I think this proposal is poorly thought through, without thought for how it would integrate with the surrounding area. I am grateful to you for the opportunity to feed in, as I think some form of development could be of benefit to the area. So instead I would like you to consider a development that has appeals to the best interests of the local residents, the infrastructure of Canterbury and the biodiversity and history in this area. I have attached a full letter containing all my objections as well as suggestions for improvement to the Merton Park plan.

Thank you for your time and consideration. I am happy to discuss anything further if it can be in anyway helpful.

Yours sincerely

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