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To: [Site Allocations Plan](#)
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To whom it may concern.

I wish to express my strong opposition to the proposals to build houses in the Rawdon greenbelt (reference HGX-XX).

The proposed development would be unjustifiable and impracticable for two main reasons.

First, the traffic around the A65 and Knott Lane is already severely choked during rush hours. This has been exacerbated by the work on/results of changes to Horsforth roundabout. **The traffic system cannot now handle the current volume of traffic.** Piling on additional traffic through the building of new homes would snarl up the road networks making these increasingly dangerous and congested.

Second, the area is a beauty spot and a rich oasis of fauna and flora between the Leeds and Bradford conurbations. **Much of this would be destroyed for lost ever to the future generations of Leeds – that would be their legacy from Leeds City Council.**

I implore you to reject the proposals.

Yours faithfully

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