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To: [Site Allocations Plan](#)
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I wish to object to the following site allocations for housing in and around Horsforth.

HG2-12 / HG2-41

These sites are in Green Belt as identified in Leeds Core Strategy and they are also shown as "Strategic Green Infrastructure".

HG3-2 / HG3-3 / HG3-4

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The loss of these green fields and open spaces would have an adverse effect on the whole area. Such large scale development would lead to an increase in air and noise pollution from the extra volume of traffic which would be inevitable. The health and well being of local residents would suffer.

Building on sites HG2-12, HG2-41, HG3-2 and HG3-3 would effectively merge Horsforth and Rawdon and this is inconsistent with Leeds Core Strategy and national policy.

HG2-43

This site is also in Green Belt and as such development should be restricted to the college buildings area only.

These large areas are all in Green Belt and I believe they should remain open spaces and that Leeds' plans for development are not justified.

The National Planning Policy Framework states "The Government attaches great importance to Green Belts". Building on these sites ignores the purposes of the Green Belt as set out in this framework, and is therefore inconsistent with national policy.

Leeds has to find alternative sites.

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