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I would like to make comments on the Leeds Site Allocation Plan, specifically Site HG2-17 (1080_3367A).

I do not agree with the site being allocated for housing as I do not believe that the plan is justifiably or effectively sound, my reasoning expanded below:

- 1: I believe that all brownfield sites should be utilised before consideration of any greenfield or green belt land.
- 2: I am also concerned that housing on that site would provide unprecedented burden on already over congested commuting services to Leeds city centre. Public transport simply would not cope with the extra commuters, and the A660 already has significantly lengthy tailbacks during peak time. Significant improvements in the roads and public transport would need to be considered to make this site a viable option.
- 3: There are only 2 primary schools within any reasonable distance of Bramhope village- Bramhope primary and Pool Cof E. Both of these schools are already significantly oversubscribed, and several parents in the last few years have had to resort to independent schooling for their children as these local primary schools have been unable to meet the current needs of the village. There are simply not enough school places as is and the schools do not have the scope for expansion to accommodate further housing in the area.
- 4: I also am very concerned about the impact of extra housing on local wildlife as the site will impose on several local conservation areas.

I trust my comments will be forwarded to the appropriate department

Regards

Signed: LFMould
8th November 2015