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I am particularly concerned about sites HG2-12, HG3-2, HG3-3, HG3-4, HG2-41, HG-43
The proposal to include these Green Belt sites in the local plan is NOT consistent with National policy, to use green belt before brownfield is not justified and to use this Strategic green Infrastructure goes against the Leeds Core Strategy.
These are special landscaped areas with distinctive open valley views and rural character and are all sites designated within LCC's special landscape area.
The proposals would mean loss of wildlife habitats and grade 3 farmland along with restricting access and recreational enjoyment.
More developments along the A65 is unsustainable. This is a road already saturated and overcapacity, completely gridlocked on a daily basis and considering more traffic on it demonstrates a lack of knowledge, or complete indifference to local needs and views.
There has been no consultation on site HG2-12 prior to it being allocated to housing in Site Allocations Plan.
Potential alternatives are being overlooked, brownfield sites ARE available elsewhere across Leeds and the LCC Core Strategy says these must be developed before green belt land.
Clearly LCC needs to revise its housing target as well as justifying the exceptional circumstances necessary to build over green fields that will inevitably mean that the Roads, schools, medical centres, recreational opportunities, parks and transport will be Totally inadequate.
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