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**To:** [Site Allocations Plan](#)  
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LDF Publication Draft Consultation, Forward Planning & Implementation, Leonardo Building,  
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RE: LEEDS SITE ALLOCATION PLANS - FORMAL OBJECTION

Date 16<sup>th</sup> November 2015

Dear Sir / Madam,

I am writing to formally object to the proposed development of the following sites in the Horsforth area:

- HG2-41 (4240) - Fields South of A65 from Horsforth & Rawdon RA to crematorium
- HG2-42 (1016) - Fields at Broadway and Calverley Lane, Horsforth
- HG2-43 (5009) - Fields at Horsforth College Campus

These are incredibly important and special Green Belt areas for the local community and I understand that the proposed developments are NOT consistent with the national policy, specifically with regard to Green Belt.

We ourselves use these areas for exercise, we ride our bikes through them, we take the benefit of mixing with our community through the use of the strawberry fields. What will happen to the natural wildlife in this area, which is well established and enjoyed by many.

In addition to this, we live one street from the main Leeds/Rawdon road, which already is incredibly congested due to the volume of traffic and the recent works which have been taking place on the roundabouts. New works on this road would have a seriously negative impact on our lives; our access to our own home, the safety of our children near such an increasingly busy road; the value of our houses, which we feel would reduce as a result of the building on Greenbelt. If the road is widened, it would be extremely negative, and what about the bottleneck congestion on the New Road Side of the roundabout.

Leeds must continue to protect our Green Belt and greenfields. These sites should continue to be part of Leeds' 'Strategic Green Infrastructure' as identified in the Adopted Core Strategy.

Please keep me informed of the public examinations, submission of the plans and potential outcome of the review as my family is incredibly concerned.

Yours faithfully,

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