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Dear sir/madam

I am writing this letter to inform you about the terrible decision you have made by choosing to destroy our precious green land in Leeds/Rawdon that has been here for so long as we choose it to be our treasure and our joy. If you put this decision in place many lives will be ruined at the devastation to the nature and fields that once lied there and that will never return when this plan is in action.

Firstly the council have been spending thousands on helping overweight and obese children. In 2013 and 2014 19.1% of yr6 pupils were obese and a further 14.4% were overweight. This is just less than a quarter of the pupils in Britain. You may think greenbelt development doesn't effect that.....IT DOES! By including less space for anyone to exercise in and forcing people to do it on solid ground often near roads which makes the safety scale set high, especially if you're a child or on a narrow and busy path that could lead to collisions and near death if they happen to exit the path at the wrong time. If an adult has two children and can not afford to go to a gym membership they could enjoy a leasurly stroll/jog in a field or green open space. Do you really expect people to walk on hard concrete paths when they could be enjoying it in the countryside against the colourful flowers blowing in the breeze and the wild life around you that echoes in the warm sky? with no green space this will also discourage walking as they will not enjoy it. Who wants an overweight city.....not me?!

You can definitely not forget the pollution, litter and smoke fumes that will increase when the new citizens arrive, leaving Rawdon as not a nice hygienic place to be. Our beloved village will be a litter sight that chokes our environment. The houses that will be built will create gas fumes as well as smoke fumes polluting our air and filling our lungs with vile fumes that could lead us to diseases. Do we really have to suffer?

Rawdon is filled with vulnerable animals that bring wonder and joy to us. Animals also teach us lots about their self and how they act their type and breed and yorkshire is a great place for that. We need to protect our wildlife for many humans and other creatures are killing and endangering most of our animal living in Rawdon and the rest of Yorkshire, and if you build your houses there you're helping the number go lower and lower down and making there more chance of an extinction! You will be animal murders A.K.A poachers! Do you really want that to be leeds reputation..... poachers?! If you stop the plans now that won't happen. Protect the animals and save the green.

The next thing is the tragic loss of our view will dishearten many of our bubbly residents that have the tale of Rawdon from many years. Our fun filled emerald fields will be destroyed and many smiles lost. Our tranquil view is filled with vulnerable wildlife lurking

in every corner. The fresh air and benefit we get from our small and large fields will ruthlessly be destroyed forcing us to a cramped and busy place getting hardly any exercise. If you kill our green there will be the end of Rawdon village as Horsforth and Rawdon will be merged together!

please take into consideration of my TRUE facts and the reality that it will become.

Your sincerely

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