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Land at Old Pool Bank, Pool in Wharfedale
Site references: 1095b – 1369

I do not agree that the area (site 1369) should be taken out of Green Belt as this will encourage rural sprawl in the future. Furthermore would strongly suggest site 1095b to be put back into Green Belt (currently PAS land).

The movement of traffic around Pool-in-Wharfedale, currently heavy and quite dangerous through the narrow village streets, will significantly increase due to the Airport expansion and large number of development sites in Otley. Therefore Pool should be safeguarded FROM development to ensure the traffic flow and safety.

Also highly important is conserving the important views up and down the Valley and to and from the Chevin Forest Park which is designated a Local Nature Reserve. It is important to retain the natural countryside surrounding the Park for wildlife and to retain the natural beauty of this area.

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