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RE: Public Consultation Feedback - for Leeds and Airedale Site Allocation Plans

To whom it may concern:

I wish to raise objections to the following protected green belt sites, listed within your Leeds and Airedale Site Allocation Plans; and ask that they should be removed from the selection process:

Proposed Green Belt Sites that I wish to protect include:

- 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
- HG2-46 (1062) - Horsforth
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It is my understanding that the proposed development sites are NOT consistent with the national policy, specifically with regard to Green Belt. Leeds must continue to protect our Green Belt and greenfields. The fields and open green spaces, which are being proposed for development, are important to me because I, and the rest of my family use them on a regular basis. They are an important part of our young family's life and help us maintain our health and well-being through exercise and enjoyment of nature and the great outdoors. They were a primary reason for us choosing to settle and bring up our family in Leeds.

My grounds for opposition include the following considerations from the National Planning Policy Framework:

1. Housing targets are not an exceptional circumstance needed for destruction of green belt
2. There is a major lack road development and infrastructure in the areas in which they are located
3. Leeds City Council's housing targets should be met by brownfield site developments
4. The green belt needs to provide habitats for wildlife and protect them from isolation
5. The above green belt provides us with a method to access and enjoy the countryside
6. If required, the housing target should be capped in line with the need to protect green belt sites.
7. Large proposed green belt sites do not justify proposed developed, in advance of brownfield
8. The above green belts provide separation between the communities which they divide
9. The above sites provide me with unique landscapes and views which I do not want to lose
10. There has been inadequate co-ordination with local councils to share housing targets
11. There has been inadequate pressure on developers to build on existing brownfield sites

Please keep me informed of the outcome and process for de-selecting the green belt sites, in line with my wishes, shown above.

Yours faithfully,

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