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To: [Site Allocations Plan](#)
Subject: PDE03186_Leeds Site Allocation - Objection
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Dear Madam/Sir

I object to the inclusion of site HG2 41 in the Site Allocations Plan because the site is green belt. Removing the site from the green belt is contrary to National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) Section 9, paragraph 80 because including the site for development fails the 5 tests of green belt purpose. The inclusion of the site to achieve the housing number target is not an exceptional circumstance as per paragraph 83 of NPPF. Therefore the Plan is not consistent with national policy.

Whoever is even considering this outrageous idea needs to go outside and give themselves a good talking to.

Yes, we get why the developers want to build in Horsforth - because the profit margins are higher. However, planners have a duty to actually take into account the impact on current residents, the environment, infrastructure and the area, not just the financial side. They also have a duty to comply with the NPPF.

I could also rant on about the dud hand local people have been dealt with the forge and Clariant developments
but I'll save that for another day.
And that site on Clarence Road with the rare species of bramble that is apparently in the frame for some profiteering.

For now though, I'll stick to HG2 41. On consideration, I'm sure you'll agree that legally it just doesn't stack up.

Yours faithfully,
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