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Forward Planning & Implementation  
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LEEDS CITY COUNCIL			
To	Action	Info	Mtd
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Dear Sir/Madam

HG2-12 Fields off Woodlands Drive, Rawdon  
HG3-2, HG3-3, HG3-4 Fields off A65, Rawdon  
HG2-41 Fields South of A65 Horsforth Roundabout to Crematorium  
HG2-43 Fields at Horsforth College Campus

**NO TO BUILDING ON GREENBELT**

I feel the need to object strongly to the proposed plans to build on the above sites.

I have lived in Rawdon for many years due to it having a village feel, with so much open countryside and distance views over the Aire Valley which I can see from my home. LCC are not looking at the long-term affect the proposed development will have.

I am more than concerned at the volume of properties Leeds City Council and Developers propose to be build. This is not justified, not effective and unsound. If these proposed developments go ahead the landscape and Rawdon's village identity will be changed and lost forever. The area is rich in wildlife and this will disappear. Some of the land is farmed, therefore jobs will also be lost.

The proposed development will cause an urban sprawl.

Leeds City Council claim to be environmentally friendly. This cannot be true if the proposed developments go ahead.

How do LCC arrive at the target set for 70,000 new homes to be built by 2028?  
This figure is not realistic and should be reviewed immediately in accordance with  
Section 1.8 of the Core Strategy.

The present infrastructure in the area cannot cope and any future development is  
unsustainable and will cause even more chaos and be dangerous on the A65 and  
roads in the area. Whilst a school is proposed this too will cause even more  
gridlock and be dangerous. Access onto the A65 will also cause chaos and be  
dangerous. The plans are not sound.

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Yours faithfully

Margery Anderson

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