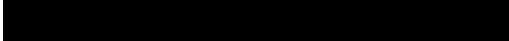


## Planning Objection

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To: Gloucester City Plan <cityplan@gloucester.gov.uk>

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Dear Sirs,

I hope my e-mail reaches the correct place, as it is not clear on the City Council website how to object to a proposed development.

I wish to object to the building of houses on the field that abuts the Ash Path in Abbeydale, just off the Wheatway. I have lived in Abbeydale for over 16 years and during the Pandemic walked a lot more in my local area. I discovered the joy of the field on my route to Upton St Leonards. It is a green lung, with a lot of wildlife dependent on it. The proposed development will increase traffic in that area of town, as it accesses the main road.

It would appear to me that it would be much better for the land to be developed into a wildlife area like the Balancing Pond in Saintbridge. If the Pandemic has taught us anything, we need more recreational areas for people to enjoy. There are still plenty of Brownfield sites in Gloucester, that could be developed instead. While not questioning the need for more houses, the development at Sneedham's Green is also a disaster, next to the M5. Putting housing so close to a Motorway is very short sighted.

Please add my comments to your files on this development and I hope sense will prevail and the Landowner looks to his conscience. I would be grateful for an acknowledgment that this e-mail has been passed on to the correct department or person responsible.

Yours faithfully,

Mary Matthews

