

Please post to: Katherine Parkin, Planning Officer, Civic Centre, Gravesend, Kent DA12 1AU (stamp required)
(or can be left in secure drop box at Costa Coffee and Cost Cutters, Meopham Parade)

Application Reference: 20260207		Case Officer: Mrs Katherine Parkin	
Location:	Land at Norwood Lane, Meopham		
Proposal:	Outline planning application for up to 725 dwellings (Use Class C3), a new two-form entry primary school (Use Class F1)		
I am:	Member of the Public (Age 18 or above) ☒	Other: MEOPHAM RESIDENT	
My Title & Full Name:	[REDACTED] NEIGHBOUR		
My address & postcode:	[REDACTED] Lilac Place Meopham, Gravesend, DA13 0ER		

I have the following comments on planning application number 20260207 :

I am objecting to the above planning application going ahead. The reasons for my objection are as follows:
The planning application for 725 Homes to be built in our village of Meopham is the most atrocious proposition because the village facilities, i.e. Doctors & Schools would not be able to cope with the amount of extra people moving into the area. The roads are busy enough and at peak times would become extremely congested. This would also be dangerous for our children to get to and from School, and elderly people in the village would have difficulty getting doctors appointments and the hospital is struggling as it is. Please do not let this happen.
The environment would suffer because of pollution from traffic and the natural habitat for the birds and country animals would be in danger.
The idea of the road widenings, roundabouts, bus stops, one way systems and dead ends with boulders is preposterous. It would ruin the whole village and the amount of noise and disruption would be horrific for the local residents and for wildlife.
Agricultural land in this area for growing Kent fruit & vegetables is very precious to the UK and also the land is prone to flooding and would be disastrous for housing to be built on and could easily cause subsidence.
Please do not allow this to happen to much loved MEOPHAM VILLAGE, it would be a terrible mistake and would change things for the worst.

Signed: [REDACTED]

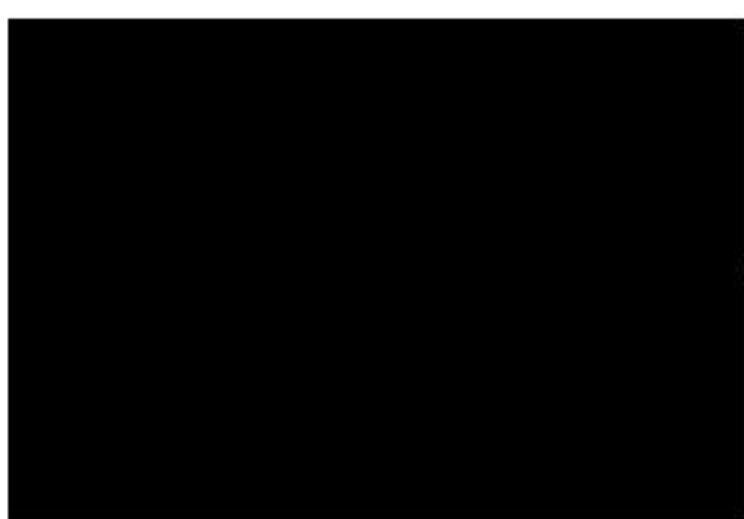
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I have the following comments on planning application number 20260207 continued:

Residents in this village are very proud to live here and it would upset an awful lot of people who have lived here for many years and have enjoyed the open green spaces to have peace and quiet. The countryside has many benefits to our physical and mental health and would affect many people to have the noise and pollution and dangerous roads with much more traffic & congestion. This should be kept out of our precious countryside to preserve what we have on our doorstep to enjoy. We have moved to Meopham for a quieter lifestyle and property is expensive and Council Tax is expensive. We are paying that for the privilege to live in an unspoilt Kent Village, and the idea of having it ruined for ever by having all these proposed houses, buildings etc would bring depression into the area. If we wanted a busy, hectic, noisy overcrowded place to live then we would be living in the towns or cities.

Signed:



Date: 22/3/2026

Deadline for objections: 25/3/26 (subject to change)