

Comments summary

Dear Sir/Madam,

Planning Application comments have been made. A summary of the comments is provided below.

Comments were submitted at 15/08/2026 2:18 PM from [REDACTED]

Application Summary

Address:	Land North Of The Drove Way Istead Rise Gravesend Kent DA13 9JY
Proposal:	Development for up to 100 residential dwellings (Class C3), including the formation of new accesses from The Drove Way, the provision of new areas of public open space and all other associated infrastructure and ancillary works (all detailed matters reserved other than means of access).
Case Officer:	Ms Rebecca Harrison

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Customer Details

Name:	[REDACTED]
Email:	[REDACTED]
Address:	[REDACTED] Flowerhill way Gravesend

Comments Details

Commenter Type:	Neighbour
Stance:	Customer objects to the Planning Application
Reasons for comment:	
Comments:	Why must farmland get swallowed up to push unwanted housing? The requirement for new housing maybe a council objective but given most people from other countries are leaving the UK to return home, and standard of living has fallen to an all time low. This is either another fat cat development forcing house prices beyond first time buyers reach or worse accommodation for people unable to work, or refugees! Smaller independent developments would allow for a more natural growth and more sympathetic than doubling the village size over night. The roads struggle to handle the current traffic especially at peak times. Wait times for a doctor's appointment over 2 weeks and my daughter had to wait 6 months for a place at the local junior school. The buses don't start until after the morning rush and only limited service so unless you drive no chance if you're unemployed how are they going to go and sign on. This village works as it is and only works due to the harmony of fields and working farms, still plenty of houses for sale in the area so zero shortage!! Developers need to keep building as much as councils need to be seen help with housing. Why not take over many closed office blocks and river from sites crying out to be made into more sustainable luxury flats at a cheaper development cost with better amenities. Leave our green land alone

Kind regards

