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Attn: Mrs Lucy Hankin, Case Officer

OBJECTION to single-storey extension to the front of No.4 The Larches, Higham

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For expediency, I am amalgamating our comments into one here - as our opinions do align with each other.

[REDACTED] We strongly OBJECT to the application of No.4 to build a single storey extension to the front of their house. The Larches cul-de-sac was planned with most of the houses built with open frontages and those going up the hill were staggered in order to allow a view. The proposed extension would certainly block much of the view from our neighbours at No.10 and would also have some impact for No.2. In the 62 years since the road was developed, no one has built to the front although many houses have extended to the rear or side. This helps keep the open sight lines of the original plan and accommodates our neighbours, particularly those who have views across the fields to the river. In fact, most of us take care to keep our hedges and trees trimmed so that people's views (at the front, or in some cases at the rear) are not impeded. A permanent extension is well beyond that consideration and outside the design for the road.

Yours faithfully

[REDACTED]
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