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To: [Joanna Vincent](#)
Subject: Objection for proposed quarry at Ellenbrook Fields
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Importance: High

I am writing to formally object to the proposed quarry at Ellenbrook Fields.

My primary concern relates to the proposed entrance location and the severe traffic congestion that already affects this stretch of the road. The area is frequently congested during peak hours, with vehicle often queuing and limited visibility at certain points. Introducing additional heavy lorries and construction traffic would significantly worsen an already problematic situation. The road infrastructure is simply not designed to accommodate the volume and size of vehicles that this proposal would generate.

Furthermore, the narrow and often muddy footpath surrounding Ellenbrook Fields present safety concerns. These pats are regularly used by walkers, family with children, dog walkers, disabled users, cyclists and other vulnerable residents. The during wet weather , the pats become slippery and are difficult to navigate. With the proposal of the narrow paths this will not be an enjoyable walk in the fields as we know them. The proposed entrance appears particularly unsuitable due its confined space and proximity to residential movement routes. Public safety should be priority and we hope that is going to still be the case.

Ellenbrook Fields has long served as valued open space for the community. It provides environmental benefit, biodiversity, and an important sense of openness that cannot be easily replaced(ruined in this case forever). The proposal does not represent a sensitive or appropriate use of what was previously a natural and accessible area. The paths will never be the same and this residential area is going to suffer as a result of this proposal.

In summary, we believe the development would:

1. Exacerbate traffic congestion
2. Introduce unsafe levels of heavy vehicle movement
3. Compromise pedestrian safety along narrow, muddy paths unsuitable for daily use
4. Diminish the environmental and community value of Ellenbrook fields.

For these reasons, I respectfully urge the planning authority to reconsider and refuse this proposal.

Yours faithfully,

Mr & Mrs Kidd

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