

27/9/15

Dear Mr. Jones,

Proposed extension of landfill  
south east of Bradford St. Hwy

Thank you for your letter of 24<sup>th</sup>  
July regarding the above.

I have tried to speak to all  
residents affected by the proposed  
extension & the original development.  
Nobody that I spoke to was in favour  
of either plan. Several are unable to  
write to you due to old age, lack  
of literacy or because they are abroad &  
unlikely to return in time to reply by  
18<sup>th</sup> September. Thus you should  
not assume that a lack of responses  
implies that people don't care or  
are in favour of your plans.

The principal concerns are that  
the existing infrastructure does not

support further large-scale develop-  
ment.

Our schools, doctors, dentists  
and NHS facilities are all over-worked,  
parking is tricky and more people means  
more traffic, pollution & waste disposal  
issues.

→ here are three listed houses  
that will be affected - surely that is  
not a good thing from the point of our  
national heritage.

The loss of independence of lower  
Blundford St. Mary is another adverse  
factor that planners should take into  
account.

The A354 is a very busy road  
and both children & the elderly  
cannot be expected to cross this road  
safely; there is an obvious health &  
safety issue here. The point of a bypass  
is to go around an urban area & these  
developments simply ignore this basic  
principle.

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It is also the case that some of the above concerns can be addressed by moving the developments to the North or West of Blandford Forum which are areas much better suited for the purpose.

I appreciate the need the country has for more houses but these need to be located near to the jobs market. Blandford Forum has created for more houses as a percentage of the original building stock than many other locations in recent years.

Enough is enough, please stop & in particular do not build outside the bypass.

Yours sincerely,



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