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Application Reference No. : CON/2024/0006 Site Address: Area known as Killer Hill West Leek Staffordshire Leek
Comments by: Julie Adams

From:

Ash Bank
Werrington
stoke on Trent

Submission: Objection

Comments: I object to this application . There are plenty of footpaths, rights of way, green spaces and rural walks within the Leek area. There is even a registered footpath only a short distance from the area trying to be claimed is can be seen from the land to offers similar views .. the suggestion that nearly 40 acres of farmland should be turned over to a village green is ridiculous. It would render the land effectively worthless while the farmer is still paying for it for many years to come. All this so a small group of self entitled people who think they have the right to do as they chose on another persons private property. the presvius owner regularly challenged and stopped trespassers so did his brother-in-law when he latter took over running of the farm. the current owners made it very clear from the off that they would not allow this to happen and the fields were to be kept secure and free from trespassers as they were grazing stock on the land.

The farm has been there for centuries long before the houses and trespassers/dog walkers .it is good that the new owners are trying to restore it to past glory raising stock and producing food. Farms are a precious asset to communities and should be protected.

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