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Application Reference No. : SMD/2026/0201 Site Address: Land Off Breach Road Brown Edge Staffordshire
Comments by: Sarah Broughton
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Submission: Neither

Comments: I am massively against this planning application for the following reasons. I've only recently moved to Brown Edge and I moved for the county side and village life. This planning application directly impacts both of these and will have a negative impact on everyone who lives here.

This development could lead the way to future developments seriously affecting the village way of life. This application, risks Brown edge being merged with Endon creating urban sprawl, eradicating our greenbelt and losing our village identity. Pretending it's 'grey belt' land is just wrong and concerning that nature can be overruled so easily. Everyone one has a right to access and enjoy nature, this development will mean we lose protected trees, and open countryside, many species and vital habitats for wildlife.

I understand the argument of our kids needing homes to live in one day but this is not the answer, developers 'affordable homes' are NOT affordable, it's just paving over green land for profits, they don't care about us or the local community.

We need to safeguard local character and greenbelt land that acts as an important buffer between settlements and of course homes for many animals.

Finally, and the most obvious reasons, road safety concerns, this road is already dangerous with people travelling at speed, it will affect current residents and new, make dog walking, and walking to school much more dangerous and our children shouldn't have to worry about this. Drainage and infrastructure, highway maintenance is already lacking, increased traffic and residents will exasperate this even further making everyone's lives more difficult and more expensive. We do NOT need to lose any more green land, we need to protect it for us, for our future an the future generations otherwise they will be left with nothing.

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