

MID SUSSEX DISTRICT COUNCIL

19 MAR 2026

Planning Application
Ref: DM/26/0303
COPTHORNE MEADOWS

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Dear Sir or Madam,

I object most strongly to the above Planning Application.

The Meadows support a huge variety of wildlife, most of which are protected species. Wildlife is being squeezed more and more out of their habitat, especially around our village of Copthorne with the relentless housing developments. It is worth noting that none of this housing is ever available for local people.

Bones Arms Road is already constantly busy as much more so during peak hours. To expect that extra amount of traffic from this proposed development to be able to come out onto and join Bones Arms Road would be ludicrous.

Local schools and the GP surgery are already full to capacity.

Lastly, where would all the water go from such a development? Although we live on an incline, the ground is saturated already. Only the surface dries on a dry day but the slightest amount of rainfall the ground is a bog again.

PLEASE DO NOT approve this Application. The only benefit of such destruction of these Meadows would be to lose a few pockets.

TO: MID SUSSEX DISTRICT COUNCIL
PLANNING DEPARTMENT