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Application WSCC/028/21 – Further Information

Rock Common Quarry
The Hollow
Washington
Pulborough

STRONGLY OBJECT – Further Information

My previous objection stands along with the other 100's of objections made to this application

I note that the applicant's response to our neighboring business is that it has been running with a working quarry for many years.

- We have however been building our business up as the Quarry has been in demise.
It has been very noticeable to us and our customers in the past 5 years that the noise from the Quarry has greatly reduced.
- **Saturday working hours** have been requested in this application which have never been applied previously.
- A representative of Wiston Estate admitted that some material will be **brought in just to be processed and then moved out**. This is purely just for financial gain and is no gain to the overall 'restoration' plan, resulting in more noise, more air pollution, more lorries.
- **Flooding** onto our land has been the worst it has ever been in 2022 and I would be extremely concerned with any plan that is put forward without intense scrutiny from third party experts and the environment agency.
- **Increased Traffic on the A283** and connecting roads will be dangerous especially as Rampion II is using a field on the bend of the A283 in Washington as a compound on a medium term basis (up to 3 years) for heavy plant. I do hope Andrew Griffiths MP recent comments about increasing road safety on the A283 are applied in this instance.

This application if approved will result in a processing plant that will make running our business and livelihood untenable. This will impact on Tourism and the local pub.

Essentially Washington will turn into a village known only for its processing plant !