

Comment for planning application WSCC/030/21

Application number	<input type="text" value="WSCC/030/21"/>
Name	<input type="text" value="Patricia Hargreave"/>
Address	<input type="text" value="WILLOW TREE COTTAGE, SPY LANE, SPY LANE, BILLINGSHURST, RH14 0SS"/>
Type of Comment	<input type="text" value="Objection"/>
Comments	<p>I would like to object to the Loxwood Clay Pits Ltd planning application and development in Pallinghurst Woods for the following reasons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Rural roads are not suitable for the significant increase in HGV traffic. The roads are used by cyclists, horse riders and pedestrians and their safety would be severely compromised.- The area where the wheel wash is proposed is in irreplaceable designated Ancient Woodland. Ancient Woodland covers 2.5% of the UK's land area. To destroy any ancient woodland in order to pursue an unnecessary development is unacceptable. <p>The movement of HGV's and the proposed redesign at the site entry area will result in the loss of public parking at the lay-by. This will restrict public access to the woodland area, an area that is used frequently by the local community. Recreational access to woodlands is vital for health and wellbeing. The coronavirus pandemic and lockdowns of 2020 and 2021 have shown that local people have sought to walk in these woods, enjoying peace and quiet, this would be destroyed by the noise created by diesel generators and HGV's.</p>
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