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Objection

I wish to object to the further information to this application submitted by LCP on the following grounds:

- 1. The demand for Weald clay for building is low. West Sussex have reserves of c 25 years of quality house building clay so there is no need for this clay. Clay is uneconomic too transport and adds harmfully to our carbon footprint at a time when the mankind is making efforts to reduce it.
- 2. Noise and pollution will increase to the detriment of all who live and work in the local villages. Walking, cycling and horse riding on these small local roads will be adversely affected by a minimum of 42 lorry movements per day, 6 data a week for 33 YEARS. Lives of those road users are likely to be endangered as a result of constant large lorry movements on small roads with few passing places to shelter safely in.
- 3. At a time when the government is planning and encouraging communities to plant woodlands,
- 4. Irrelevant referrals to other claypits and brickworks.
- 5. LCP seem to be critical of West Sussex policies on waste and minerals which is both unprofessional and inappropriate.
- 6. LCP have put forward no further reasons for the need, or rather not, for more waste recycling sites.
- 7. Re the PROWs as LCP no longer proposes to close the footpath on the northern boarder how will they ensure the safety of walkers not to mention the loss of enjoyment, peace and tranquility which has been enjoyed by locals abs visitors for many years?
- 8. Water is our most precious resource and this woodland and surroundings areas are water stressed and yet LCP have not made any reference as to how they will mitigate this.
- 9. The ecology of this area is also precious. Wildlife is being bombarded from all sides. Species have declined by 40% in the last forty years. We have to preserve this precious are. This beautiful woodland should be preserved, cherished and enjoyed by wildlife and people alike.

We cannot, we must not, let the greed of the few fatally impact on whole species and communities. We all have the right to enjoy our environment and this claypit and waste recycling application, should it be allowed to go ahead, will destroy our right to enjoy our surroundings and adversely affect the mental health of all those who will be directly impacted by it.

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