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Dear Sir

I would like to lodge my objections to the preferred local plan. Also the way in which the consultation period has been handled.

I myself only found out through word of mouth. There has been no correspondence from the council to my home which will be in the centre of a new development.

Although we all know there is a need for new homes, to sacrifice so much of the green belt in one area seems shortsighted and irresponsible..

In the twenty years I have lived in Appleton Thorn, four working farms have closed, and now the largest farm of them all ,Friars farm,(Applejacks,Spooky World etc) over 300 acres of prime farmland is earmarked for the same.

This is a scandal robbing future generations of a food supply source. Farms of this size should be saved from any development.

If we are to build on the greenbelt ,smaller sites should be chosen from various areas around the town.

