

I am resending my objections to the proposed quarry.

To whom it may concern,

MY OBJECTION TO LEA CASTLE QUARRY!

I am very upset that a quarry of this kind is even being considered in an area that is in the close proximity of of at least 4 schools. The health risks that this could impose doesn't bare thinking about.

There are also nursing homes within close proximity!

My Dad lives in Cookley who has COPD and this will be detrimental to his life, I know he is not the only one!

I am currently purchasing a house in Cookley for the health benefits of being out of the busy town and into the country side this will no longer be the case. I have a small child which I was hoping would have a nice village upbringing and also be attending a good rated School. All of this now seems like a waste of my time waiting for house to become available in such a popular village location.

The walk through the castle gates would be very convenient for me for child care to my Mother's at Sion Hill but with the Quarry in place this would add 60 minutes onto my journey. I may have to choose to drive but this increases my carbon footprint!

Further to my personal objections,

The town already struggles with tremendous traffic congestion without added pressures from quarry traffic.

There is a lot of local businesses that require their outdoor space to produce income such as, the camp site, golf course, pubs and cafes.

With increased noise and air pollution they will struggle to maintain a steady income. This could see a rapid decrease in the local community socialisation opportunities, therefore peoples mental health will suffer especially after the past 18 months of lockdown and social restrictions.

As well as these reasons for objection there is a wide variety of wildlife that call this land their home. So the quarry will not only be ruining the life of the local people but also the lives of animals that live here who are already struggling to survive due to masses of habitation lost.

Please please stop the quarry!

Regards

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