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Subject: Section 62A Planning Application: S62A/22/0007 Land to the south of Henham Road, Elsenham, Essex

From Heather Margaret Salvidge,

I ask you to refuse this application. In the last decade Elsenham has seen hundreds – literally – of new houses built and has lost facilities. There is a on-going application to build 130 new houses on land to the west of Hall Road, the narrow sunken carriageway to the immediate west of the land in this new proposal which is the last green space in Elsenham and needs to be preserved as such. It offers a view across to the church which is grade one listed and surrounded by some of the grade two listed buildings in the village where even the dovecote for Elsenham Place, grade two, has its own grade two listing. This pleasant sight is available for all of us to look at and enjoy.

Seasonally it is used for grazing and in winter often has birds such as flocks of fieldfares and redwings feeding on it. Equally geese, mainly Canadas and some grey lags tend to graze on it usually on the southern slope . If the application were to go ahead all this would be lost and the countryside surrounding our village would be pushed further away once more.

Furthermore, roads in our village and leading to it were suitable for the traffic of 40 years ago but they are no longer and are becoming increasingly dangerous.

Heather Margaret Salvidge

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