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To: Day, Peter - E&E

Subject: Minerals & Waste Local Plan Update -Clanfield/Bampton Area

Dear Mr Day

I am Chair of The Society for the Protection of Bampton, founded in 1993 "to improve the quality of life for the people of Bampton". It has 400 approx. members in this village. We are horrified by the resurrection of this most unwelcome proposal for gravel extraction in this area.

The infrastructure is poor with some single track roads not all with passing places. All the roads pass through villages some past primary schools.

Because of the high water table restoration will be to lakes of which there are a super-abundance in the locality, or, worse tips.

Large flat fields do not admit easily of screening.

This "rural" area already suffers from aerial pollution from the RAF Brize Norton base so it is not as if we are not bearing our share of the environmental pain.

This is the last surviving area of the Thames Valley upstream from Oxford unaffected by gravel, which is worth keeping for our grandchildren.

Please exclude it from consideration.

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