

Dear Sir,

I am writing again as a local resident to object to the proposed Quarry at Lea Castle Farm, near Cookley.

As I am hoping you have seen from the thousands of objections from local people who will be impacted by this proposal there are NO benefits to our having this so close to our homes and schools.

There is inadequate infrastructure to cope with the additional lorry traffic, let alone the destruction of farm land, the environment around it with its flora, fauna and wildlife.

The openness of the green belt will be taken for ever, the negative impact on our health, mental well being and business's too high a price to pay for such a quarry.

This is simply not an appropriate place to put a quarry, let alone what will become of it once landfill is started.

We have lived with the shadow of this quarry for years now, it has been refused at every level of planning , because of legal technicalities here we are again.

I think you will have seen the passion in the local community coming together again to fight this proposal and I cannot see that there is ever a justification for this to go ahead.

I therefore ask you sincerely to reject this proposal, and finally give us our breathing space back

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'J Phillips', written in dark ink.

Joanna Phillips