

Drayot Lane
PLANNING
SERVICES Chippenham
08 MAY 2017 SN15 5LD

Dear Planning Committee,

Re: J17 Development - Planning appl. 17/03417/OUT

My husband & I OBJECT to the proposed planning application. It would be far too large & high for our rural area, & the extra traffic would cause chaos, not only on the motorway junction, but also on the bad bend of the B4069 at Drayot Lane where it is joined by the narrow B4122. This is already a very dangerous crossroads with quite a few accidents.

The drainage would also cause a huge problem. The rain water comes from the motorway down to the lake at Drayot Lane park & on to Dutton Benyer & Christian Malford which both already flood at times.

The proposed pond would no doubt cope during normal conditions, but no way would it do so in extreme weather conditions. This would bring enormous amounts of additional water to already over-stretched drainage areas.

Yours sincerely
Neville & Geraldine Cousins