Dear Mr Taylor

Re: Application Number: 14/12118/OUT

Further to the above application and to reiterate our emailed response to Sarah Foster dated 28th July 2014 expressing our concerns (copy attached), we would once again like to voice the points we made at that time following the initial consultation with residents.

The current road system will not be able to cope with the increased traffic flow that a development of 1000 houses will obviously create.

The response to the 35 people who expressed their concerns in the Full Consultation Response Summary from December 2014 - to suggest that walking and cycling links and improved bus services would reduce traffic impact on the A4 is laughable - unless every person in each of the houses doesn’t use a car!!

**THE SIMPLE FACT IS - THE A4 IS ALREADY TOO BUSY!!**

We also understand that some of the data used to support the application is from 2008 and is therefore out of date.

We will continue to strongly object to this proposal until an alternative route is identified that will not have the major affect on the A4 traffic flow that the current proposal most certainly will.

Yours faithfully

[Signature]

R G & N M Pithouse
Dear Sarah,

We are very concerned about the effects that the above-mentioned development will have on the traffic flow into Chippenham town centre and beyond.

Since we moved into our property almost 14 years ago we have seen a marked increase in the volume of traffic that comes past our house (making it quite difficult at times to get out of our driveway).

An additional 1000 new homes is surely going to only make things much worse.

There have been no improvements made to the roads, which are in a very poor state of repair already and we feel that this needs to be addressed before even considering adding to the volume of traffic that passes through.

The bottleneck at the Bridge Centre in Chippenham already causes problems at busy times for people travelling from our side of town into the town centre and to Caine, and numerous other onward destinations.

We feel very strongly that an alternative route needs to be identified and put in place before this very large development is built.

We look forward to your feedback.

Kind regards,

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