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Dear Sir

I am writing to you to comment on the Stroud District Plan and object to the use of land known as Wisloe Green.

Stroud Council consulted with the public over where development should take place. The preferred option emerged as a dispersed approach across the District. SDC have completely ignored this opinion and taken what appears to be the 'path of least resistance' to position development at two large sites including Wisloe. I urge the Council to review this strategy and adopt a more dispersed approach.

The transport infrastructure around this site is already operating at full capacity as can be seen by the heavy traffic flows on the A38 and the overspill parking on Box Road from Cam & Dursley station. Introducing a further 1500 houses to the area will exacerbate these problems even further.

SDC's own strategy states that it 'aims to protect and enhance the natural and built environment of the district'. The Severn Vale is the most rural part of the Stroud District. As such the Wisloe Green development should clearly be rejected based on SDC's own policy. Furthermore there will be significant losses to the aspect and amenity of the Cotswold and Forest of Dean AONBs which is in stark contrast to SDC's earlier commitment to protect these areas and views.

These objections are based on opinions gained through SDC's own consultations and good planning practice so I trust you will use these to reject the Wisloe Green proposal.

Yours Sincerely

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