

P15/V1504/FUL Residential development to provide 204 dwellings with associated highway works, open space and infrastructure improvements (revised November 2015)

Response from the Keep Harwell Rural Campaign

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Keep Harwell Rural (KHR) is a residents' group independent of any statutory body. It was formed in 1998 to enable residents to express their views about changes that may affect Harwell, in ways that could augment and complement the views expressed by the Harwell Parish Council. KHR has inputs from a cross-section of villagers concerned about education, traffic and road safety, sustainability, the amenities provided by our nearest town, Didcot, and the preservation of the character of a village with a thousand year history.

KHR has responded to planning documents since 1998 and has taken part in Structure Plan and Local Plan Public Enquiries.

We submitted a response dated 28 July 2015 to the original planning application. We note that some changes have been made to the proposed measures for Grove Road, including a narrowing of the footpath proposed on the north side. However, the set of arrangements for Grove Road is still unsatisfactory and our other objections to the original application still stand.

The Keep Harwell Rural Campaign therefore objects strongly to this revised Planning Application.

We fully support all the points made in the comprehensive response from Harwell Parish Council and do not consider that it is necessary for us to repeat them here as an expression of strong concern and objection from the Harwell local community.

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