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Dear Sirs

As a resident of Thakeham I am writing with regard to the above planning application.

I am strongly opposed to the application for the following reasons:

1. Thakeham is a small rural village which cannot support so many extra residents. There are already four approved applications for a further 180 homes and more development would be contrary to the Thakeham Neighbourhood Plan.
2. Car ownership is essential for Thakeham residents to access schools, doctors, dentists, hospitals, supermarkets, etc as the bus service is extremely poor. The main road through Thakeham is narrow, hilly and has many sharp bends. Extra traffic would make this road even more dangerous than it is now. [REDACTED]
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3. At a residents meeting earlier this year, Bellway representatives made it clear that they would need to build more than 150 homes to make the site profitable which would only exacerbate the above objections.

Yours faithfully
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