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30 APRIL 2014

Dear Sir/Madam

RE:- SITES FOR GYPSIES AND TRAVELLERS

REF:- GTALT02 WOOD YARD RUGBY ROAD CUBBINGTON

We wish to object to the above mentioned site for the following reasons:-

- 1) The B4453 Cubbington to Weston under Wetherley currently has a speed limit of 50 mph. The entrance/exit to the timber merchants is situated on a bend in the road and visibility is very restricted especially when leaving the timber yard. We consider this would be detrimental to the safety of road users.
- 2) The site is in the Green Belt.
- 3) The site would put additional pressure on local amenities, schools, doctors, hospitals, shops etc.
- 4) The loss of part of North Cubbington Wood would have a devastating effect on wildlife and the habitat that an ancient woodland supports.


we fully support the Warwickshire Wildlife Trust Living Landscape project and the work that it does to promote woodland restoration for the Princethorpe project.

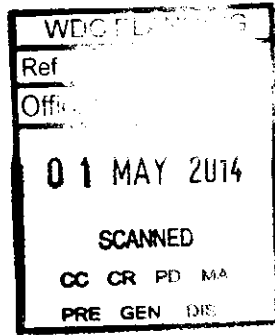
⑤ The site is situated in close proximity to the proposed High Speed Railway (HS2) and we understand that the B4453 may have to be structurally altered should the project go ahead.

⑥ If the construction of HS2 is undertaken, and that appears to be increasingly likely, then not only will our area lose part of South Cobbington Wood but also part of North Cobbington Wood if this site went ahead. We believe that ancient woodlands are precious habitats and should be protected for future generations.

We should be grateful if you would take our comments into consideration.

Yours faithfully





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RE: - SITES FOR GYPSIES AND TRAVELLERS

REF GT08 DEPOT WEST SIDE OF COBBINGTON HEATH FARM.

We wish to object to the above mentioned site for the following reasons:-

- ① The land is owned by Cobbington Freeholders, a charity dating back to 12th February 1768 for the benefit of the Parish of Cobbington. The yearly income earned from this land, an old quarry, being leased by Warwickshire County Council is the sole income used to support worthy causes and organisations in Cobbington village. The income from this land gives annual donations and actively supports the village. The loss of such income would mean that the Trust would be unable to continue supporting community organisations.

②

The cross roads (Stoneleigh to Cubbington) is already the scene of many road accidents. The A445 Leicester Lane already being a very busy road. We have great concerns over the safety issues arising from access to the site.

③ The area has been earmarked for use as "Site Compounds" for machinery and waste material arising from the construction of the proposed High Speed Train (HST).

④ The site is in the Green Belt and we are extremely concerned regarding the impact on wildlife in the area.

⑤ There would be an additional demand on local schools, the doctors surgery, shops etc.

We should be grateful if you would take our comments into consideration.

Yours faithfully

