

## Cubbington & District O.A.P Association

## PRESIDENT Mr A. Stephens

Hon TREASURER VICE CHAIRMAN

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Development Policy Manager,
Development Services,
Warwick District Council,
Riverside House,
Milverton Hill,
Leamington Spa,
CV32 5HQ

**CHAIRMAN** 

Dear Sirs,

## Re: Gypsy and Traveller Site, Leicester Lane, Cubbington

Following discussions at our Committee meeting the Committee wishes to lodge an objection to the proposal that the land in Leicester Lane, Cubbington be used for a permanent gypsy and traveller site. This land will be compulsory purchased from the Cubbington Freeholders.

This land will be compulsory purchased from Cubbington Freeholders. The monies they receive from renting the site is donated to local causes such as schools, the Church and our Association. Our Association has approximately 700 members of state pension age and above covering not only Cubbington but outlying villages also.

The Committee works hard to raise monies to enable the Association to arrange activities for its members such as day trips. In particular activities are arranged for the less-abled of the community. Recently a strawberry tea was arranged and on other occasions trips have been organised which are suitable for the less-abled of the community. Without donations to support our fund raising activities this would not be possible.

Loss of income from the Cubbington Freeholders would be detrimental to the Association. In turn this would have an effect on what the Association can provide to the senior citizens and less-abled of the local community.

It is on the grounds of loss of income to the Association and others in the community of Cubbington that derive financial benefit from the Cubbington Freeholders that we lodge our objection.

Yours faithfully,

Gillian Jackson

Secretary,

Signed on behalf of the

Committee of the Cubbington & District OAP Association